Dual Enrollment at Credo through Colorado Christian University (CCU)

What is Dual Enrollment through CCU?

1. Dual Enrollment classes are college-level courses that high school students take to earn both high school and college credit at the same time.
2. CCU Dual Enrollment "empowers high school students to earn transferable, Christ-centered college credit while still in high school. Students can even earn an Associate's degree while still in high school! Courses are flexible, reduce college costs, and prepare high school students for the rigor of college coursework. Every course is taught from a Christian worldview — in keeping with CCU's mission to provide Christ-centered higher education, transforming students to impact the world with grace and truth." (Colorado Christian University Academy)

Advantages of taking Dual Enrollment at Credo:

1. Students can work together in person once a week and through email outside of class, which will aid in accountability and collaboration on homework.
2. Students can prepare for the rigors of college courses in a friendly homeschool environment with affordable classes.
3. In class time, Credo hopes to have a facilitator to lead discussions, help students follow the syllabus, and encourage accountability. However, it is the student that is fully responsible to turn in work to the professor, and all grades will be given by the CCU professor.
4. Students can enter college with general education and elective courses completed.

Guidelines for taking Dual Enrollment at Credo:

1. CCU Dual Enrollment is open to high school students who are at least 15 years of age and not currently enrolled in regular classes at CCU. Once students enroll in a regular course, they become ineligible for Dual Enrollment through CCU. If there is any uncertainty regarding student eligibility, students should contact CCU for clarification and approval.
2. CCU Dual Enrollment classes are priced at $110 per credit, with most classes costing around $330. In addition, Credo families are required to pay a $35 registration fee.

3. Students are responsible for contacting the college they plan to attend to verify which CCU Dual Enrollment credits may transfer.
4. Students participating in Dual Enrollment at Credo must maintain Communication with their CCU professor and advisor. While Credo offers a facility for connecting with other Dual Enrollment students, Credo is not responsible for any communications, grades, or fees associated with CCU Dual Enrollment classes.

Considerations regarding Dual Enrollment at Credo:

1. Neither Credo nor CCU can guarantee that a Dual Enrollment class will be able to transfer to another institution.
2. A Dual Enrollment class represents one semester of college-level work but is equivalent to a full year of high school coursework and credit. It is important to choose Dual Enrollment classes that align with your student's high school academic plan first, rather than focusing only on future college plans.
3. Students and parents should take into consideration the rigorous nature of CCU Dual Enrollment classes when planning out which classes to include in their high school academic plans.