



## Dual Enrollment Program for High School Students 2021-2022 Program

### **Purpose:**

This program is designed to provide current high school students with additional collegiate-level, Christian educational options that meet their objectives.

### **Ideal Student:**

This program is designed for students who want collegiate-level Christian education. Students should be self-motivated, hard-working, and diligent. Ideally, students should be at a junior or senior level in high school.

### **Limited Number of Students:**

Great Northern University is offering this program to a limited number of participants for the 2021-2022 academic year. At this time, this program is capped at 9 students for the fall and spring semesters. Additional interested students will be wait-listed.

Eligible students will be accepted for this program on a first-come, first-served basis. Students accepted for the fall term will be given priority for the spring semester upon successful completion of their fall term.

### **Admissions Requirements:**

For this program, we require the following as a part of our application process:

1. Writing sample
2. Academic reference (parents may be an acceptable reference)
3. Reference from a Christian
4. Statement of personal faith
5. Permission from a parent or guardian to participate in this program
6. Agreement with Great Northern University's Code of Belief and Conduct

### **Expectations of Students:**

1. Students will be considered Great Northern University students who are "non-degree-seeking." The guidelines and expectations for students are outlined in the current Academic Catalog, and students will be expected to comply with these expectations.
2. Students will participate in an orientation the Friday before the start of their first semester. This orientation is designed to connect students with one another, explain how to succeed in college, and provide additional details.
3. If students who are minors are permitted by their parents, students will be welcome to participate in activities and events at Great Northern University.

### **Course Options:**

Students in their first semester of this program can take **one class** (up to four credits). Students who achieve a 3.0 GPA or higher (at least a B) in their first term can request permission to register for up to **four classes** (nine credits) the following semester.

Some courses are automatically open to every student in the program. Other courses require permission. Some courses will only allow for a limited number of students.

**Cost:**

For the 2021-2022 year, students will be charged a special rate for this program of **\$200 per credit**. This program does not qualify for any form of financial aid, external or internal.

**Additional Costs:**

Students are expected to purchase their textbooks and classroom supplies.

**Application Process:**

1. Apply online, [www.greatnorthernu.org](http://www.greatnorthernu.org), and complete an application for the Dual Enrollment Program for current high school students.
2. After your application is completed, the second step in the process is an interview with a GNU faculty/staff member.
3. After these two steps are completed, you should hear from us regarding your acceptance status within two weeks.

**Registration for Class(es):**

Accepted students will be contacted by our Registrar, who registers students for their classes. The email is [registrar@greatnorthernu.org](mailto:registrar@greatnorthernu.org).

**Orientation:**

Orientation for this program will be the Friday before the start of the semester. Students are required to attend. Information about orientation will be communicated via email and social media by the Student Services Officer.

**Payment for Classes:**

Two options exist. Full payment is due prior to the start of the semester, or students can select a payment plan (for no extra charge) that divides the total into four installments. As outlined in the catalog, students can pay online through their "My GNU" account or via check or cash to the Registrar. The catalog also includes the refund schedule.

**Transferability of Great Northern University Credits:**

Completed courses are transcribed. Transferability of credits from Great Northern University is dependent upon the receiving college.

**Additional Questions:**

If you have additional questions, please contact our Admissions Counselor at [admissions@greatnorthernu.org](mailto:admissions@greatnorthernu.org).