



College Credit Plus Applicant Acknowledgements

- Cuyahoga Community College's (the "College" or "Tri-C") College Credit Plus application and all supporting documents become the property of Cuyahoga Community College and will not be returned to you or forwarded to another institution.
- Cuyahoga Community College will report grades and appropriate information to the middle/high school counselor as named in the College Credit Plus Authorization Form.
- College Credit Plus students/parents assume full financial responsibility for courses that are failed, not completed successfully, or are [non-allowable courses](#) as identified by the State. Expenses may be payable to the school district and/or college.
- Any public, private, or home school student/parents will be responsible for payment of tuition, fees, book and materials required for each course should the State choose not to fund participation in College Credit Plus.
- Cuyahoga Community College is an open access institution of higher education consisting of a diverse student body. As an open access institution, our student body consists of individuals of all ages and backgrounds. The average age of a Tri-C student is twenty-nine years old and the College allows for students, regardless of their age or background, to enroll and participate in all courses and campus activities.
- Course content and expectations will not change for students participating in the College Credit Plus program. Courses may require College Credit Plus program participants to work with individuals in a class as part of a team or project. Course work may also require meeting with classmates outside of the classroom or off campus. Course subject matter may include adult themes and content including books, movies, illustrations, or topics as part of the curriculum and will not be modified to accommodate the age of College Credit Plus participants. While, the College takes measures to ensure the safety and wellbeing of all of its students, as a multi-campus, open access institution, the College cannot guarantee the same safety measures as those found in a more controlled secondary school environment.
- The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 ("FERPA") and associated regulations set forth requirements designed to protect the privacy of student education records. FERPA protects all college students, including College Credit Plus participants, who are currently enrolled or formerly enrolled, regardless of their age. Students may consent to the release of their education records by completing and signing a consent to release on *My Tri-C Space*.
- The College is committed to making higher education accessible to all eligible students with disabilities. The Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (ADA) mandate that colleges and post-secondary institutions ensure that qualified students with disabilities not be denied participation in, or the benefits of, post-secondary education. The Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) is not applicable to institutions of higher education such as the College. For more information visit: www.tri-c.edu/access.