

BGRD Dual Credits Course Offering 2018/2019



As part of our commitment to *Inspire Success* in our students, Black Gold Regional Schools (BGRS) will be offering a program which provides a dual credit opportunity to high school students in Black Gold Outreach (Beaumont and Leduc), Calmar, New Sarepta, Thorsby, and Warburg. Through the program, students will earn college credits and high school credits by completing college-level coursework. This program is in partnership with Bow Valley College, Lakeland College and Alberta Education.

The *Alberta Dual Credit Framework* identifies dual credit as programming that is authorized and funded by Alberta Education in which grade 10, 11, or 12 students can earn both high school credits and credits that count toward a post-secondary certificate, diploma, or degree, including a journeyman certificate.

- Post-secondary credits earned may count towards a post-secondary certificate, diploma, or degree through partial or full completion of post-secondary requirements.

Post-secondary institutions include Colleges, Universities, Technical Schools and Trades training schools.

Dual credit helps students to:

- get a jump start on their post-secondary education while still in high school.
- transition to post-secondary studies or move into the world of work.
- potentially complete post-secondary with less financial debt.
- earn credits in high school **and post-secondary institutions at the same time**, as well as earn credits that may lead to preferred placement and workplace certification.
- gain confidence to succeed academically in a post-secondary environment.
- use the latest education technologies which prepare them for the technological workforce.
- learn what college and university instructors expect, while still in familiar high school surroundings.

Through the Dual Credit Framework, high school students do not pay post-secondary tuition fees.

Student Registration

- Registration **begins in June** and closes on **Fri. Sept. 7, 2018**
- Register students **ASAP** as courses are shared between school districts and are filled on a **first-come, first-serve** basis.
- Have students complete the **application forms** for the college offering the specific course.
- **Send student registrations to** Jennifer Southcombe jennifer.southcombe@blackgold.ca

If you have questions during the summer, you can contact Terri Reid terri.reid@blackgold.ca

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[Bow Valley Application Form Link](#)



[Lakeland Application Form Link](#)



Email completed applications directly to jennifer.southcombe@blackgold.ca Be sure to include the name of your school in your email.

Course Credits

All courses earn 3 credit college and 5 high school 30-level credits unless noted.





Important Notes: College Pathway & Post Secondary Transferability

- Transfer agreements are established with many post-secondary institutes and some courses may be accepted for equivalent credits at some PS institutes.
 - Course/credit transfer acceptance is always determined by the receiving institute and this information is in no way a guarantee of transferability.
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The course selection is different in Semester 1 and Semester 2. For each course, please note which College is offering the course (Lakeland College or Bow Valley College).

All courses are delivered online and students will be supported in their coursework by staff at their local school as well as our Black Gold Dual Credit Lead, Jennifer Southcombe.

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Fall 2018 - Semester 1				
Course	Prereq	Course Description	College Pathway & PS Transferability	College
Intro to Management MGMT 1101	none	Learners are introduced to concepts, terms, and theories which provide an understanding of the principles of management. Key functions of management, including planning, organizing, leading, and controlling, are addressed. The exploration of key functional areas assists learners in developing their own managerial practice. Learners are informed of the vital role a manager plays in an organization.	BV:Business Administration Diploma -Accounting Major -Digital Marketing Major -Event Management Major -Financial Services Major -Human Resources Major -Insurance & Risk Management Major -Marketing Major -Supply Chain Management Major Transferability*: High	
Intro to Psychology PSYC 1101	Grade 12 recommended (or successfully taken a previous Dual Credit course)	This course gives students a basic understanding of the diverse field of psychology. Attention is given to the scientific method, physiological factors, sleeping, dreaming, learning, memory, intelligence, motivation, personality, and social psychology. Developmental factors of the lifespan are explored along with the development and treatment of psychopathology.	Bow Valley: Social Work Certificate/Diploma Practical Nursing Diploma Addiction Studies Certificate/Diploma Disability Studies Certificate/Diploma Transferability*: High	
Medical Terminology I HUCL 1401	none	This course offers instruction in the language of medical terminology and teaches you how to read and interpret commonly used medical terms, symbols and abbreviations. Topics include rules, prefixes, suffixes, root, combining forms, and basic introduction to body systems.	Bow Valley: Medical Office Assistant Certificate Hospital Unit Clerk Certificate Veterinary Office Assistant Certificate Dental Business Certificate Transferability*: Medium	
Introduction to Soil Science SO102	none	This course involves a study of the basic properties of soils. The course studies physical, chemical, and biological properties of soils to provide an understanding of how soils function as a growth medium in agriculture. The Soil Orders of the Canadian System of Soil Classification relevant to field crop production in Western Canada are reviewed.	Lakeland: Agri Business Diploma Crop Technology Diploma General Agriculture Certificate Transferability*: Unknown	

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Winter 2019 - Semester 2				
Course	Prereq	Course Description	College Pathway & PS Transferability	College
Business Communication MGMT 1201	none	This course covers the theory and practice of effective communication. The course will emphasize class participation through discussion boards, professional conduct, problem-solving and critical thinking as it relates to the communication process. Topics covered will include the importance of psychological factors of communication, clear and concise communication in the workplace, multicultural and nonverbal communication, effective listening and feedback, speaking effectively and efficiently, and the role of conflict management.	Business Administration Certificate/Diploma Majors: Accounting, Digital Marketing, Event Management, Financial Services, Human Resources, Insurance & Risk Management, Marketing, Supply Chain Management Medical Office Assistant Certificate Hospital Unit Clerk Certificate Dental Business Assistant Certificate Veterinary Office Assistant Certificate Nutrition Manager Certificate Legal Assistant Diploma Administrative Professional Diploma Events Management Certificate Transferability*: High	
Health Education: Personal Health & Wellness NURS 1302	none	An overview, within the context of community and the Canadian Health Care System, of the physical, social, mental, environmental, and spiritual aspects of personal health and wellness. Learners will develop healthy lifestyle strategies, as well as become advocates for the health of others.	Practical Nurse Diploma Transferability*: High	
Medical Terminology I HUCL 1401	none	This course offers instruction in the language of medical terminology and teaches you how to read and interpret commonly used medical terms, symbols and abbreviations. Topics include rules, prefixes, suffixes, root, combining forms, and basic introduction to body systems.	Bow Valley: Medical Office Assistant Certificate Hospital Unit Clerk Certificate Veterinary Office Assistant Certificate Dental Business Certificate Transferability*: Medium	
Intro to the Criminal Justice System JUST 1101	none	A study of Canada's Criminal Justice System in the sequence as seen by an offender who traverses it. The structure and jurisdictions of the three levels of government involved are examined, together with the development, role and functions of the police and other agencies, the courts, sentencing philosophies, correctional institutions, community corrections, and diversion. Also considered are discretion, limitations of authority, and the decision points throughout the system.	Justice Studies Certificate/Diploma Addiction Studies Certificate/Diploma Transferability*: Medium	
Environmental Sustainability SC140	none	Students who are interested in a career in environmental sciences will benefit from Environmental Sustainability. this course focuses on human interactions with the environment.	Lakeland College: Environmental Sciences majors Transferability*: Unknown	