

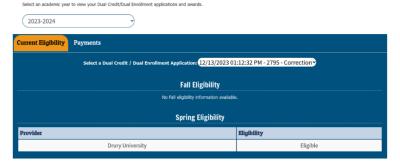
To: Dual Credit Students and Families From: Director of Dual Credit, Beth Nation

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Drury University is proud to share the Dual Credit Panther Scholarship with students and families. This scholarship is made possible by a Drury University alum who recognizes the need for high school students to have obstacle-free opportunities to take dual credit (DC) classes. This scholarship is available for the Fall 2024 and Spring 2025 semesters.

Steps for students to follow:

- 1. The student must qualify for free/reduced lunch, per their home district.
- 2. The student/family must complete and submit the Missouri Department of Higher Education and Workforce Development (MDHEWD) Dual Credit Scholarship application.
 - a. Link to MDHEWD application
- 3. Students: Fill out the Dual Credit Panther Scholarship Form
 - a. <u>Link to DC Panther Form</u>
- 4. Student Requirement: Students MUST upload a screenshot of their state portal confirming eligibility for the MDHEWD scholarship.



Scholarship requirements:

- Student must have a minimum high school GPA of 3.0 (unweighted)
- The student's high school transcript is required (one time per school year).

Benefits of the Panther Scholarship:

- The Panther Scholarship removes the payment at the time of registration for up to **two** DC courses/semester.
- Course fees are covered by the completion of the MDHEWD application and the screenshot of Eligibility status.
- The high school counselor MUST select the Panther Scholarship button during the **High School: Confirm Enrollment step in DualEnroll.**

Please Note:

- The MDHEWD Dual Credit Scholarship is a selection process by MDHEWD; therefore, funds may or may not be awarded to the student.
- If the MDHEWD Scholarship is not awarded, the Panther Scholarship will cover the cost of up to two courses if directions were correctly followed as outlined above.
- If a student registers for more than two courses/semester, the additional cost is the responsibility of the family or could be covered by the student's award of the MDHEWD Scholarship.

<u>Application Deadlines:</u> The MDHEWD is an electronic application that must be submitted online (link above #2a.), and the Panther Scholarship Form must be filled out by the student (link above #3a).

- Fall 2024: Both applications must be filled out and submitted by Friday, August 30, 2024.
- Spring 2025: Both applications must be filled out and submitted by Friday, January 24, 2025.

Panther Scholarship questions may be directed to Beth Nation at enation@drury.edu or 417.873.7676.

MDHEWD Scholarship questions must be directed to MDHEWD. Email: info@dhewd.mo.gov or Call Toll-Free: (800) 473-6757 (Option 2: Workforce Development)