

Concurrent Enrollment in Minnesota 2007-08 Fact Sheet

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In January 2009 the Minnesota Concurrent Enrollment Partnership conducted a survey to collect data about the scope of concurrent enrollment opportunities and participation in Minnesota during the academic year of 2007-08. A concurrent enrollment program (CEP) or course is one in which approved high school teachers teach the postsecondary course at their own high school during the regular school day. Twenty-four (24) institutions completed at least part of the survey.

- **19,864 students** enrolled in Minnesota CEPs (unduplicated student count, 23 CEPs responded).
- **35,454 course registrations** (total CEP registrations, 23 CEPs responded).
- **111,701 semester credits** (total CEP college credits earned by MN students, 22 CEPs responded).
- **113 legislative districts** served by at least one concurrent enrollment program. This is 93% of the legislative districts that include a high school within their borders.
- **99%** of students responding to CEP surveys are going directly to college (Four CEPs responded).
- **94%** of CEP students requesting transfer of credit earned through CEP programs report that their CEP credit was recognized. Recognition comes in at least three forms: transfer of credit; exemption from required courses; placement in advanced courses. (Two CEPs responded).
- **433 MN high schools partner with colleges/universities** to offer concurrent enrollment (24 CEPs responded; this number represents some duplication because some high schools partner with more than one postsecondary institution.)
- **898 high school teachers are approved to teach college courses** at the high school (23 CEPs responded; this number represents some duplication because some high school teachers participate in more than one CEP.)
- **60 different college courses are offered as part of Minnesota's CEPs**, including general education courses, liberal arts courses, and technical education courses.
- **4 MN concurrent enrollment programs had become NACEP-accredited by February 2009:**
 - Mesabi Range Community College
 - University of Minnesota, Crookston
 - University of Minnesota, Duluth
 - University of Minnesota, Twin Cities