

#### HORRY COUNTY SCHOOLS

## 2015 High School Summer School Program



This year Horry County Schools will offer a limited summer school to Horry County Schools 12th graders. Students in grades 9–11 who want to attend summer school will be required to enroll in classes through either South Carolina Virtual School (SCVS), or Horry County Virtual School (HCVS). Students in grades 9-11 are reminded that course offerings through HCVS are limited, and enrollment for SCVS is done on a first-come, first-served basis. SCVS online enrollment opens on Monday, May 20, 2015. Students in grades 9-11 should contact their guidance counselor prior to attempting any summer online enrollment.

STUDENTS WHO PLAN TO TAKE A COURSE OUTSIDE OF HCS SUMMER SCHOOL PROGRAM AND INTEND TO POST THE GRADE ON THE HCS TRANSCRIPT, MUST HAVE PRIOR WRITTEN APPROVAL FROM THE BASE SCHOOL ADMINISTRATOR BEFORE ENROLLING IN THE COURSE. Courses for consideration must be taken from an accredited institution.

#### **PROGRAM DATES:**

Teacher Workday/Staff Development

June 11, 12 and July 20, 2015

First Day of Class

June 15, 2015

Midterm Reports to Parent(s)

July 1, 2015

Last Day for Students

July 16, 2015

Summer School Graduation

July 16, 2015

Teachers/Final Reports Mailed

July 20, 2015

#### **Location of 12th Grade Summer School**

 Credit recovery will be offered to Horry County Schools 12<sup>th</sup> graders at Conway High School. Students will complete their credit recovery course work via APEX Learning under the supervision of a certified teacher.

# <u>Final Date for Registration and Fee Payment</u> for 12th Grade Summer School

• Monday, June 15, 2015

# **Transportation for 12th Grade Summer School:**

• 12th grade students are responsible for providing their own transportation to the Conway High School campus.

#### 12th Grade Credit Recovery

- <u>Eligibility</u>: Face-to-face credit recovery will be offered at Conway High School for Horry County Schools 12<sup>th</sup> graders who need to recover a credit in order to graduate at the conclusion of summer school.
- Hours/Cost: Monday through Thursday, from 7:45 a.m. 1:15 p.m. Course cost is \$225.00.

## **Attendance School (Grades 9-12)**

- <u>Eligibility</u>: Each high school will offer an attendance school program for students who received an FA due to excessive absences.
- <u>Hours/Cost</u>: Students should contact their guidance office for information regarding their high school's attendance school program. Course cost is \$75.00 per week. Students must enroll for a minimum of one week.

#### **Students Needing an Initial Credit Course**

Students who want to earn a new credit in the summer (e.g., English IV) may do so by either enrolling in SCVS or HCVS, provided both the course and space are available. (Again, SCVS online enrollment opens on May 20, 2015.) Since SCVS courses run until August 7, 2015, students who choose to enroll in SCVS and are wishing to graduate will receive a S.C. diploma upon successful completion of their SCVS course(s), but they will **not** be permitted to participate in the HCS Summer Graduation ceremony since that ceremony occurs on July 16, 2015. Students may also wish to take advantage of the limited course offerings in HCVS. Any student needing an initial credit course should consult their guidance counselor to determine their eligibility and course needs and to assist with registration.

#### **Grades 9–11 Credit Recovery**

• 9th-11th graders who need to recover a course credit will have to enroll in the SCVS for this purpose. Students who are unable to enroll in these courses via SCVS will be enrolled in credit recovery at their base high schools in the Fall. To sign up for SCVS, students should contact their high school guidance counselor <u>first</u> prior to enrolling online at <a href="http://scvspconnect.ed.sc.gov/">http://scvspconnect.ed.sc.gov/</a>

### **Driver Education**

One section of driver education will be offered at Conway High School, provided that a sufficient number of students enroll.

#### Requirements:

Students must be at least 15 years or older and must possess a S.C. driver's permit prior to the driving portion of the course. Students will be required to drive in the driver's education car for one full day after the classroom phase is completed. This will be scheduled with instructor at a time that is convenient for the student and the instructor.

#### Hours/Cost:

Monday through Thursday, from 7:45
 a.m. − 1:15 p.m., for the first three weeks
 of summer school. The instructor may
 establish caps on the number of students
 that he/she can serve each week.

#### Cost:

Course cost is \$250.00 for in- district students and \$350.00 for out-of-district students.

# **Diploma Issuance Dates**:



- July 16<sup>th</sup> Students Who Complete Coursework through HCSD Summer School
- ◆ August 12<sup>th</sup> Students Who Complete Coursework through SCVS or HCVS



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