*DE and DLE Programs are reserved for Junior and Senior class members ONLY.

The Dual Enrollment Program through Clarion University and Butler County Community College is an “Early Start” program that is designed to introduce high school students to the advantages of postsecondary education and to promote a more successful transition into the culture and expectations that are present in postsecondary institutions.

- Successful completion of the college course results in the awarding of both college credit (3.0) and HS credit (1.0).
- HS Credit will be awarded as an elective credit.
- Coursework may be done on either CUP campus, on-line, or in the high school classroom (BC3).
- Final grades will be converted to % grades and will impact your quarterly and cumulative percentages.
- Out of pocket expenses for the student/family is dependent upon annual state/federal grant awards and the number of students taking coursework. 2007-2008 maximum expense was approximately $200 for course and textbook.
- Specific billing issues, transfer of credits to other institutions, and other questions you may have, should be directed to either Susan Staub in Clarion University’s Center for Teaching Excellence @ 814-393-2774 or to Jane Dollhopf (BC3) @ 724-287-8711, ext. 8254.

The Keystone Distance Learning Elective Option Program is designed to provide students with the opportunity to enroll in on-line academic, elective credits that are not offered in the regular high school schedule. Courses must have an academic disposition. World languages, communications, and science, are examples of such coursework.

- Distance learning coursework shall not replace any of the required 6 credits within the regular schedule.
- Students participating in this program will be doing so independent of any formal classroom instruction.
- Successful completion of distance learning coursework requires student initiative, self-discipline, persistence, and planning.
- Students should have a reliable computer, internet service, and printer at home in order to be successful with distance learning coursework. There are no guarantees that the student’s schedule will permit time to work on the coursework at school.
- There is no charge to the student for distance learning coursework.

Contact your Guidance Counselor for additional information on these programs!