

# accomplish more in 4....

Accomplish More in 4 is the School District of New Berlin's initiative to provide all students with the opportunity to successfully complete college-level coursework prior to graduation. This is coursework that can count towards both a student's high school diploma, and possibly a college degree, allowing the student to accomplish more in their four years of high school than just their diploma.

## How Can Taking College-level Coursework While In High School Help You Accomplish More During Your 4 Years Than Just A Diploma....

### KEY CREDIT MILESTONES ALONG A CONTINUUM OF COLLEGE CREDITS

**3** COLLEGE CREDITS

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One college course

**15** COLLEGE CREDITS

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The equivalent of one full semester of college

**30** COLLEGE CREDITS

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The equivalent of one full year of college

**60** COLLEGE CREDITS

=

Can potentially translate to an associate degree

## Why Would You Want To Complete College-level Coursework In High School....

Research has shown that students who enter college with 15 or more credits are twice as likely to graduate with a four-year degree. This is referred to as, "The Power of 15". Even having just one post-secondary learning experience while in high school can allow students to:

- ✓ Show that you're ready for college level coursework, which can help you decide what type of post-secondary education is right for you.
- ✓ Demonstrate that you've selected high school coursework with a higher degree of rigor, which is desirable on college applications and could help you get admitted to the college of your choice.
- ✓ Earn college credits or test into possible credits and courses, which could save you time and money in attaining a college degree.
- ✓ Support a strong start to your college transcript (improve the likelihood of better grades) by providing content knowledge, regardless of whether or not you end up applying the credits to a college transcript.

## What Are Your Options to Earn College Credits While in High School....

### Onsite in your building:

- Advanced Placement (AP)
- Dual Enrollment (DE) - UW Waukesha, UW Milwaukee and Marquette
- UW Oshkosh Cooperative Academic Partnership Program (CAPP) Courses
- Transcribed Credit (TC) and Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA) through WCTC
- Project Lead The Way (PLTW) selected course-work

### Offsite:

- Early College Credit program
- Waukesha County Technical College  
Dual Enrollment Academy
- UW College online courses
- College Level Examination Program (CLEP)

## Interested In Finding Out More? Here's Next Steps....

- ✓ Begin by visiting the SDNB website at: [www.nbexcellence.org/district/college-in-high-school.cfm](http://www.nbexcellence.org/district/college-in-high-school.cfm) or just scan the code at right with your smartphone's QR code reader app.
- ✓ Next, set up an appointment with your counselor to map out a plan that supports your goal to accomplish more in four.

