### **ASCENT 12+1**

(Accelerating Students through Concurrent ENrollmenT)

ASCENT 12+1 is Concurrent Enrollment extended into a 5<sup>th</sup> year, providing graduating seniors one extra year of free college courses. **ASCENT is available at PPSC and not available at UCCS.** 

### \*\* All ASCENT applicants should also complete their FAFSA and apply to their program/colleges of choice.

If students qualify for financial aid from their program/schools of choice that exceeds ASCENT tuition, students should accept financial aid, which might include textbooks, and forfeit their ASCENT slots to students on the ASCENT waitlist.

## · Student Eligibility

- On track to graduate at end of 12<sup>th</sup> grade (meets HS grad requirements)
- Must have 9 transcripted college level credits (1000 level+) by graduation
  - Includes articulated CTE college credits and AP tests scores of 3-5
  - Does not include remedial courses credits, IB, or CLEP
- Selected by HS Principal or Counselor
- Must have an updated Pathway Plan (ICAP)
- Must select a postsecondary degree or certification program
- Satisfy minimum college prerequisites for ASCENT courses
- Must not be in need of developmental courses for selected pathway
- Retained 5<sup>th</sup> year seniors do not qualify
- 1 Year Limit No prior ASCENT participation
- College Readiness Scores (no developmental courses must be needed)

Exam	NextGen Accuplacer	SAT	ACT
English	246+ Writing	470	18
Reading		470	17
Math	AR 265+ Career/Fin Math	500 Career/Fin Math	19
	QAS 240+ Lib Arts, Statistics	500 Lib Arts, Statistics	19
	AAF 245-279 College Algebra	590 College Algebra	23
	AAF 280+ Pre-Calculus	610 Pre-Calculus	24

- ASCENT Courses must align with Pathway Plan & apply to degree/certificate completion
- **Diplomas and Transcripts** awarded at *end* of ASCENT year and dated the *end* of ASCENT year; students can attend and participate in graduation ceremonies with their class; ASCENT grades are included in HS GPA.

## ASCENT Funding

- Pays College Tuition at Community College rate (PPSC only)
  - Full-time (FT) = 12+ college credits each semester
  - Part-time (PT) = 3-11 college credits each semester
- FAFSA All ASCENT applicants should still submit their FAFSA and apply to colleges
   (If student receives financial aid that exceeds ASCENT funding, student should accept financial aid and decline ASCENT slot)

#### ASCENT Slots

- 1 FT student (12+ cr) = 1.0 slot
- 1 PT student (3-11 cr) = 0.5 slot
- o 2 PT students = 1.0 slot

### ASCENT Timeline

- o Feb Applications due (same as CE applic. due date)
- March Confirm Student List to CE Coordinator (by Spring Break)
- June 1 CDE Notification of approval to District (typically by late May)

### TREP 12+2

# (Teacher Recruitment Education and Preparation)

TREP 12+2 is Concurrent Enrollment extended into a 5<sup>th</sup> and possibly 6<sup>th</sup> year, providing graduating seniors up to two extra years of free college courses. **TREP is available at PPSC and not available at UCCS.** 

### \*\* All TREP applicants should also complete their FAFSA and apply to their program/colleges of choice.

If students qualify for financial aid from their program/schools of choice that exceeds TREP tuition, students should accept financial aid, which might include textbooks, and forfeit their TREP slots to students on the TREP waitlist.

# · Student Eligibility

- On track to graduate at end of 12<sup>th</sup> grade (meets HS grad requirements)
- Must have taken at least one college course listed in the Educator Pathway listing <u>during</u> the student's senior year.
  - Includes articulated CTE college credits and AP tests scores of 3-5 transcripted at the college
  - Does not include remedial courses credits, IB, or CLEP
- Selected by HS Principal or Counselor
- Must have an updated Pathway Plan (ICAP) that reflects the teacher/educator pathway
- o Must select an approved teacher/educator postsecondary degree program
- Satisfy minimum college prerequisites for TREP courses
- Must not be in need of developmental courses for selected pathway
- Retained 5<sup>th</sup> year seniors do not qualify
- o 2 Year Limit No prior TREP participation before initial entry year
- College Readiness Scores (no developmental courses must be needed)

Exam	NextGen Accuplacer	SAT	ACT
English	246+ Writing	470	18
Reading		470	17
Math	AR 265+ Career/Fin Math	500 Career/Fin Math	19
	QAS 240+ Lib Arts, Statistics	500 Lib Arts, Statistics	19
	AAF 245-279 College Algebra	590 College Algebra	23
	AAF 280+ Pre-Calculus	610 Pre-Calculus	24

- TREP Courses must align with the Educator Pathway Coursework laid out by the Colorado Department of Education.
- **Diplomas and Transcripts** awarded at *end* of TREP participation and dated the *end* of TREP year; students can attend and participate in graduation ceremonies with their class; TREP grades are included in HS GPA.
- TREP Funding
  - Pays College Tuition at Community College rate (PPSC only)
    - Full-time (FT) = 12+ college credits each semester
    - Part-time (PT) = 3-11 college credits each semester
  - FAFSA All TREP applicants should still submit their FAFSA and apply to colleges
     (If student receives financial aid that exceeds TREP funding, student should accept financial aid and decline TREP