

EARLY GRADUATION

Early Graduation Scholarships are available to students who graduate from high school at least one year early. This scholarship is estimated at **\$1,800** for every year skipped and can be used at any Idaho public post-secondary institution.



\$1,800

PER SKIPPED YEAR

ADVANCED OPPORTUNITIES

HOW DO I SIGN UP?

Create an Advanced Opportunities account at advancedops.sde.idaho.gov to track account balance and request funding.

Contact your school's **Advanced Opportunities designee** to learn about local guidelines for funding requests.

Note: Account verification and funding approvals are done by your local school district.

ADVANCED OPPORTUNITIES



CHALLENGING COURSES

School districts may have options for students to receive high school credit for courses by demonstrating mastery of the course content. Challenge exams, portfolios or other demonstrations may be used to challenge a course for credit. Contact your local school district for criteria.

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ADVANCED OPPORTUNITIES

Students in grades 7-12 attending public school in Idaho have an allocation of **\$4,125** to use towards the cost of:

- ▶ Overload Courses
- ▶ Dual Credits
- ▶ Workforce Training
- ▶ Exams

\$4,125
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ALLOCATION

▶ OVERLOAD COURSES

Advanced Opportunities dollars can be used to pay for overload courses. These are high school classes that are over 12 credits per school year and taken outside of the regular school day. Students can utilize up to **\$225** per course toward such classes.



UP
TO **\$225**
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PER COURSE

▶ DUAL CREDIT TUITION

Dual credit courses are courses transcribed on both a student's high school and college transcript. Through the Advanced Opportunities program, students can request up to **\$75** per credit for such courses. Students using funds for more than 15 credits must meet with an advisor to discuss how credits will translate into their post highschool goals.



UP
TO **\$75**
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PER CREDIT

▶ WORKFORCE TRAINING

Students can utilize Advanced Opportunities funds to pay for regionally approved workforce training courses at colleges in their area. An approved list of courses are available on the Advanced Opportunities website at www.sde.idaho.gov



▶ EXAMS

Students can use Advanced Opportunities funds to **cover the full cost** of the following exams:

- Advanced Placement (AP)
- International Baccalaureate (IB)
- College Level Examination Program (CLEP)
- Professional Certification
- College Entrance Exams

