

HIGHLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE
GENERAL PERSONNEL POLICY

SUBJECT: Doniphan County Residents High School Tuition Assistance Policy Page 1 of 1

BOARD OF TRUSTEE APPROVAL: 01/22/2025

EFFECTIVE DATE: 01/23/2025

Purpose:

To establish a fair and supportive tuition policy for high school students residing in Doniphan County who wish to enroll in Early College classes through Highland Community College (HCC).

Policy Statement:

Highland Community College (HCC) is committed to making college courses more accessible to local high school students and supporting the academic development of Doniphan County residents. Therefore, a revised tuition policy is adopted to reduce the financial burden on Doniphan County high school students enrolling in Early College classes at HCC.

Policy Provisions:

1. Eligibility:

- This policy applies to high school students who are residents of Doniphan County.
- Eligible students must be enrolled in Early College classes offered by Highland Community College.

2. Tuition Rate Adjustment:

- For the academic year, Doniphan County high school students taking Early College classes at HCC may qualify for a reduced tuition rate or tuition-free enrollment for up to 9 credit hours per semester (Fall & Spring), depending on funding availability and approval by the college administration.
- If funding and resources permit, tuition may be eliminated entirely for all Doniphan County high school students enrolled in Early College HCC classes.
- Any changes to the tuition rate for eligible students will be communicated prior to each academic semester.

This policy aims to support high school students in Doniphan County by reducing barriers to higher education and enabling early access to college-level courses.