



# Early College | Experience

*ECE the UConn Way*



**UConn**

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Your future stands before you,  
like a chapter in a book, waiting  
to be written. Reach for your  
goals; you may exceed your  
expectations.

Information about:



ABOUT US



RESOURCES



COURSES



PROGRAM FEES

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Providing access to, and preparation  
for, higher education.

Approximately

**20,000**

*UConn ECE students enrolled*



STUDENTS



INSTRUCTORS



HIGH SCHOOLS

# Welcome

**5** *UConn Schools  
& Colleges*

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**45+** *UConn  
Departments*

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**100+** *Unique  
Courses*

to a head start in your college career. As a UConn Early College Experience Student, you are part of a 70-year legacy committed to providing access to, and preparation for, post-secondary education programs. You will try something new and take UConn courses for both high school and college credit. You will acquire college competencies, a UConn transcript, and collegiate benefits while still in high school. You will save time and money. And you will work with expert instructors, all in the comfort of your high school classroom.

**What will your first college course be?**

**195+**  
*Partner Schools*



# *Try something new and unleash your potential*

**How, you ask?** Take UConn courses at your high school for both high school and college credit. *College credit. In high school.* Every course taken through UConn ECE is equivalent to the same course at UConn. Established in 1955, UConn ECE is the nation's longest running concurrent enrollment program and is nationally accredited by the National Alliance of Concurrent Enrollment Partnerships (NACEP).

**Don't hold back.**

**87%**

*Credit Transfer Rate*

**92%**

*Earn a "C" or higher*

# Start your college career now!

*Potential to  
earn up to*

**1.5** *years  
of college credits*

Information about:



STUDENT  
BENEFITS



PARENT'S  
CORNER



STUDENT  
GUIDE



ADVISING  
PORTAL

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# A top tier program

Rigor, intensity, and academic equivalency, they're all here. Top-notch instructors, we've got them too. Access to a first class library with online access to 7 million scholarly articles and 3.2 million volumes - check! But, college is more than that. UConn ECE Students participate in on-campus events such as language immersion days and quiz bowls, a globalization conference, chemistry labs, marine science symposiums, and even a cardboard boat race – **that's right, nothing but cardboard and duct tape to keep you afloat.**

## Information for Instructors and Site Reps:



POLICIES AND  
PROCEDURES



PROGRAM  
SUPPORT



BENEFITS



ADVISING

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**10** years among  
the nation's  
top 25 public institutions

**300**  
hours of PD annually

**2,000+**  
certified Instructors

**7** million  
scholarly articles

**3.2**  
million volumes



242

*Student Ambassadors*

15+

*UConn ECE Student Events*

The background of the page is a photograph of a science classroom. In the foreground, several students are seated at lab benches, working with microscopes. A large teal diagonal overlay covers the right side of the image. In the upper left, a screen displays a diagram of various blood cells, with labels A through H pointing to different types. The main title is written in a large, white, cursive font across the middle of the teal overlay.

# *Transitioning to "college ready" is easier*

**Think you are ready?** Are you prepared for the academic workload that lies ahead? Wouldn't it be great to start college with a college class (or 2 or 10) complete? And with an understanding of the value of a course syllabus where expectations and responsibilities are laid out in a single document. Grades are recorded on an official UConn transcript that can be transferred to the college of your choice 87% of the time.

**And, you'll have the confidence of knowing that you have already started that journey.**



# *In the comfort of your classroom*

## **A 300-seat lecture hall in your first year of college?**

No thank you. Take UConn courses in a setting that is both familiar and conducive to learning – your high school classroom. You'll be in your environment, with instructors who know you and can offer the support you need. Lab sections are integrated into the class – not across campus with a teaching assistant. Low student-to-teacher ratios often result in greater academic success.

**Don't be lost in the crowd —  
stand out!**

**18** *Students*

**Average UConn ECE  
class size**

# *With an established support system*

## **Expert Instructors**

Go ahead, call your UConn ECE Instructor “Professor.” They deserve it. Not just anyone can teach a UConn course. High school teachers who want to offer more opportunities for their students submit an application which is reviewed by that discipline’s academic department; UConn ECE Instructors are only permitted to teach a UConn course at your school if they meet the same qualifications as UConn faculty that teach on campus. Not only that, but they attend professional development workshops on campus, interact directly with UConn faculty in their academic department, and participate in online forums. They are the real deal.

## **High School Site Representatives**

Not sure which UConn courses to take at your school or how to register? We’ve got that covered. Your school has a designated UConn ECE Site Representative. Often a school counselor, your Site Rep will provide you with program information, guide you through the registration process, and assist you throughout your journey as a concurrent enrollment student. They are your very own “go to” person.

## **Faculty Coordinators**

Discipline-specific UConn professors supporting the oversight of course integrity, UConn ECE Instructor professional development, and program standards.

## **UConn ECE Program Staff**

Relationships, relationships, relationships. We pride ourselves on the connections we make and the people we serve. We are here to support and provide guidance to our high schools, parents, faculty, and you!

**We are only a phone call or e-mail away.**



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*Professional  
office staff*

54

*UConn Faculty  
Coordinators*

300

*Site Representatives to support  
CT high school students*

# *Saving time and money*

Who can argue with that? It's even better than a two-for-one deal. Yes, you do get credit for 2 classes (high school and UConn), but you also pay 92% less than the cost of the UConn course on campus. And because you've already gotten courses out of the way, when you get to the college or university of your choice, there is more time for internships, studying abroad, community service, a lighter course load, and/or double-majors.

**You may even find the  
opportunity to graduate  
from college early!**

**7+**

***Average number of credits  
earned per UConn ECE  
Student***





**92%** *savings*

**UConn ECE  
Courses**

**2025-2026 UConn  
Undergraduate Courses**

3 Credit = **\$150**

3 Credit = **\$2,127**

4 Credit = **\$200**

4 Credit = **\$2,836**

*Since*

**2007**

*UConn ECE is proud to be recognized  
as a NACEP-accredited program*

**70**

*year history of  
student success*



Connecting UConn  
ECE and CT High Schools  
through Collegial Interaction

Established in

# 1955

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We pride ourselves in providing access to, and preparation for, higher education.

## WHAT ARE YOU WAITING FOR? START YOUR COLLEGE CAREER NOW!

**UConn ECE  
Courses**

**2025-2026 UConn  
Undergraduate Courses**

1 Credit = **\$50**

1 Credit = **\$709**

2 Credit = **\$100**

2 Credit = **\$1,418**

3 Credit = **\$150**

3 Credit = **\$2,127**

4 Credit = **\$200**

4 Credit = **\$2,836**



## Look towards your future.



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## The UConn ECE Community

*UConn Early College Experience is committed to excellence in education by fostering a relationship between higher education and partner high schools to create an effective transition for students who have made college a goal or have not considered it and want to try a college course.*

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