

Earning college credit while in high school gives Hoosier students and families the opportunity to save significant costs. Dual credit has the potential to save the State of Indiana **nearly \$78 million annually** (2018 data).

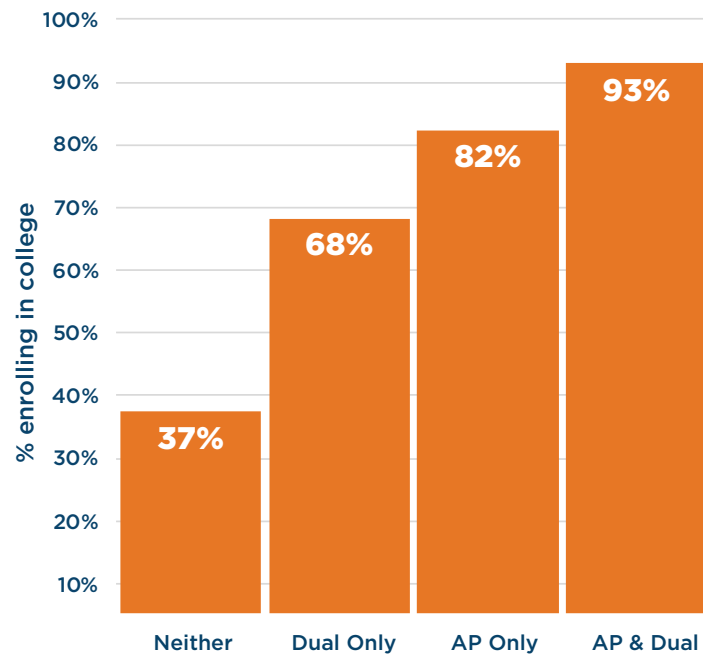
The total cost savings for students statewide who go to Indiana public college is even greater: **\$81.9 million in savings**. That breaks down to roughly **\$2,300 per Indiana public college student**.



Low-income students specifically see savings of **\$20 million** (based on free- or reduced-lunch status) in Indiana.

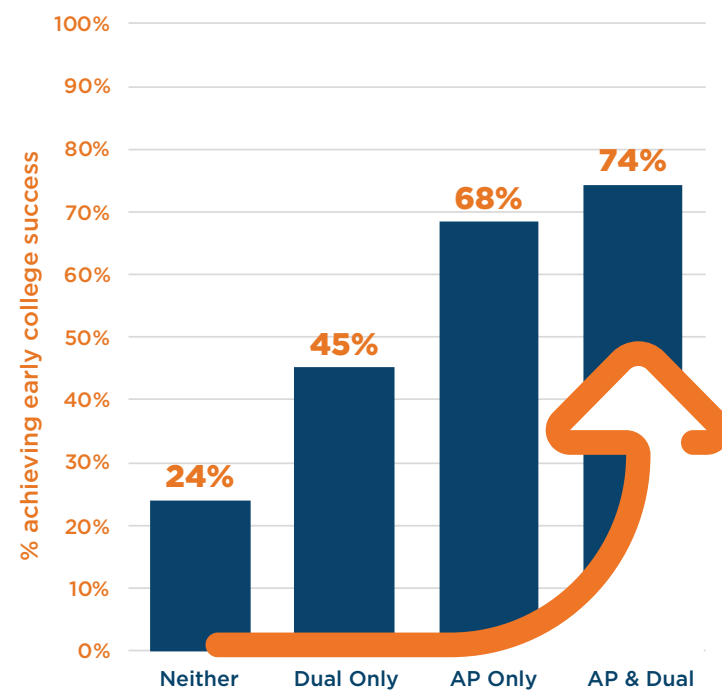
DUAL CREDIT: HIGH SCHOOL

- 64% of 2018 high school graduates earned AP, dual credit or both.
- Students in 2018 earned nearly 600,000 dual credit hours.
- Nearly 70% of students in 2018 who took dual credit enrolled in college.



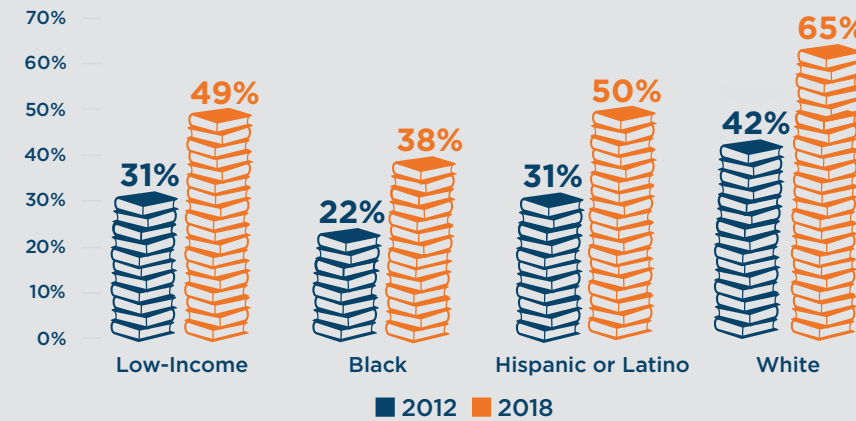
COLLEGE ACCESS AND SUCCESS

High school students who take both AP and dual credit are most likely to enroll in college (93%) and succeed when they get there (74%).



EQUITY: DUAL CREDIT

GROWTH IN DUAL CREDIT FOR LOW-INCOME, BLACK AND HISPANIC STUDENTS



Students of every race and ethnicity took more dual credit in 2018 than in 2012, as did students from low-income households.

Gaps persist, however: In the 2018 high school graduating class, 65% of White students had dual credit, while only 38% of Black students and 50% of Hispanic/Latino students had dual credit.

INDIANA COLLEGE CORE

The **Indiana College Core** (formerly called the **Statewide Transfer General Education Core**) is a block of 30 credit hours of general education college-level coursework that transfers seamlessly among Indiana's institutions.

COST SAVINGS WITH THE INDIANA COLLEGE CORE

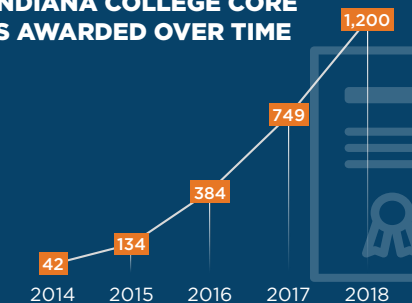
Students can earn the Indiana College Core through dual credit in high school for thousands less than earning the same credits at a two- or four-year institution.



>\$750: Indiana College Core through dual credit
\$4,200-\$5,700: Two-year institutions
\$7,200-\$10,500: Four-year institutions

GROWTH IN INDIANA COLLEGE CORE CREDENTIALS AWARDED OVER TIME

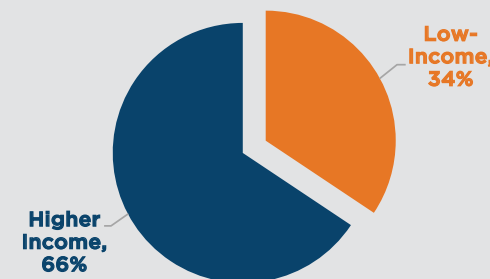
More Hoosier students are earning the Indiana College Core than ever before.



DUAL CREDIT AND OPPORTUNITY

Over one-third of all dual credit earners are low-income students. Far fewer low-income students earned Advanced Placement in 2018.

EQUITY: INCOME STATUS OF DUAL CREDIT STUDENTS



EQUITY: INCOME STATUS OF AP STUDENTS

