



How K12 Private Academy Helps Students Worldwide Access Online Courses

A FOCUS ON DUAL ENROLLMENT AND EARLY COLLEGE

K12 Private Academy, A Stride Company, is an online private school committed to bringing personalized learning and a US high school diploma to students worldwide. But Anmar Hale, Lead School Counselor, had another goal: to bring college opportunities to her students. "Accessing online, asynchronous dual enrollment courses through Acadeum is exactly what we needed," Hale said, "The platform is simple to use, and a network of hundreds of colleges and thousands of courses gives us the ability to choose the online options our students want."

After integrating dual enrollment, the school launched early college pathways through Acadeum. This program provides advanced ninth and tenth graders the opportunity to earn an associate's degree in high school, saving thousands of dollars and giving students a head start in life. Dual enrollment courses and early college pathways benefit students in many ways. "The students love being able to select from a wide range of colleges and courses, including general education and specializations, like nursing, IT, computer science, and more. They also love knowing that they are taking college courses from college faculty with college students. Students don't have to worry they will lose an entire year by messing up on the final exam."

500+

Dual enrollment courses now offered

250+

Students completing dual enrollment courses



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Building Pathways to College and Boosting Confidence

Students have also learned that college-level courses can be more challenging than high school equivalencies. "We have to be transparent with students about what it means to take a college-level course. We've found that our honest approach helps students to prepare for what to expect," Hale explains. "Once they understand the requirements, especially regarding time management, we've seen boosts in confidence, self-advocacy, and GPAs. All traits we are trying to develop, which is particularly difficult in a virtual school serving students worldwide."

Before the partnership with Acadeum, Hale had to manually manage all college-level programs. Now, Hale is enrolling more students in more colleges and courses, boosting enrollment in K12 Private Academy. "Students want more options than AP or IB, so they choose K12 Private Academy."



"Ultimately, college courses have helped our students to be mature, responsible learners. It presents the perfect growth opportunity for both the school and student."

-Anmar Hale

HOW ACADEUM AND K12 PRIVATE ACADEMY ARE BRINGING ONLINE COLLEGE COURSES FROM TOP US COLLEGES:

- + Automating admissions, enrollment, grades/transcripts, and payments through the Acadeum platform
- + Providing students the opportunity to experience college while in high school, building character, confidence, and credit
- + Early college pathways allow students to earn an associate's degree with their high school diploma
- + Expanding access for students leveraging the Acadeum network to provide hundreds of colleges and thousands of courses

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