Cross-State College in High School Virtual Workshop
March 25-26, 2020

Course Access & Availability Deep Dive
Wednesday, March 25
Agenda

1. Icebreaker (10 minutes)

2. CHSA Vision for Course Access & Availability (10 minutes)

3. Policies Related to (10 minutes each):
   - Making Courses Available to All Students
   - Student Eligibility
   - Pathways to Areas of Student Interest
   - Graduation/Diploma Requirements
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REFLECT ON CHSA VISION:
Does this statement resonate with your state’s policy goals?
Making Courses Available for All Students

Georgia – Notify Students & Parents
- High schools required to advise students & annually provide information to students/parents starting in 8th grade to include in individual graduation plans

Ohio – Require Program Availability
- All public schools and public colleges and universities must participate
- Public schools required to develop pathways to earning 15 and 30 college credit hours

Other Approaches
- Provide Transportation Supports
- Include Multiple Providers (2/4 years, public/private)
- Create Regional Collegiate Hubs
- Deploy Mobile Labs
- Leverage quality distance learning technologies
Making Courses Available for All Students

Successes in your state? Opportunities?
Target Student Population? Reconsidering Student Eligibility
Student Eligibility

Ohio – Aligned Eligibility Criteria

- Subject-specific eligibility based on “Uniform Statewide Standards for Remediation-Free Status”

Texas – Whole-School Models

- 150 Early College High Schools across the state

California – Provide Early Interventions

- Students who pass CalState’s Expository Reading and Writing Course satisfy CSU & UC first-year course placement standards

Delaware – Use Multiple Measures for Eligibility

- Student eligibility must be based on multiple indicators of readiness such as a combination of tests, course grades, teacher recommendations or portfolios
Student Eligibility

Successes in your state? Opportunities?
Pathways to Areas of Student Interest

- Academic focus: 30%
- Career/Technical: 70%

Workforce Connections

CareerWise Colorado
modern youth-apprenticeship

Student Choice

- Overload Courses
- Dual Credits
- Examinations

$4,125

Broad Range of Courses
Pathways to Areas of Student Interest

Successes in your state? Opportunities?
Graduation/Diploma Requirements

Florida – Require Dual Crediting

- State maintains a list of college courses offered for dual enrollment and how they count toward high school graduation requirements.
- Schools required to advise students about progress toward graduation.

Mississippi – Graduation Diploma Endorsements

- Students expected to choose one of three endorsements: Career and Technical, Academic, or Distinguished Academic.
- All three allow demonstration of achievement through passing dual enrollment courses.

Indiana – Flexible Graduation Option

- High school dropouts can enroll at Ivy Tech Community College and earn a high school diploma by completing college courses toward a certificate or Associates degree.
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