# **Southeast Tech**Dual Credit Update

#### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

### **Purpose:**

To provide the School Board an overview of the Dual Credit program at Southeast Tech.

The Dual Credit program has become a very popular program at Southeast Tech. High school students can take college courses to be used for both high school and college credit for a cost of only \$40 per credit. Many New Tech and CTE High School students have been able to take courses at no cost. The \$40 per credit has been paid by a grant from the "Tech Ed Works" initiative. Southeast Tech receives additional reimbursement from the state of South Dakota at a reduced rate.

Only a handful of students took Dual Credit classes prior to 2014 since most students paid full-price. During the 2014 school year 223 students (446 duplicated head count) from 45 different school district's took courses in the last school year. These students contributed 1366 credits to our overall credit count.

There was no statistical difference between the academic performance of our Dual Credit students vs. our regular degree seeking students.

### **Administrative Recommendation to School Board:**

Acknowledge the Dual Credit program and accept the status update.

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# Dual Credit Program Update



## Number of Students

- Prior to 2014 a handful each year
- 2014 223 students (446 duplicated head count)
  - 1366 credits
- Fall 2015 100 students have applied thus far
  - 93 students took classes in Fall 2014
  - Each high school has a different enrollment process



## School District's (45 total)

Aberdeen Central

Alcester-Hudson

Arlington

Armour

Baltic

Belle Fourche

**Bon Homme** 

Bridgewater-Emery

**Brookings** 

Canton

Custer

**Dell Rapids** 

Deuel

Dupree

Elk Point-Jefferson

Faulkton Freeman

**Grant Deuel** 

Gregory

Hanson

Harrisburg

**Home School** 

Huron

Irene-Wakonda

Kimball

Lennox

Marion

McCook Central

Menno

Milbank

Mitchell

Parker

Platte-Geddes

Redfield

SFSD (RHS, WHS, LHS,

New Tech)

Sioux Falls Christian

**South Central** 

Tea

Tripp-Delmont

Vermillion

Viborg

Waubay

**Wessington Springs** 

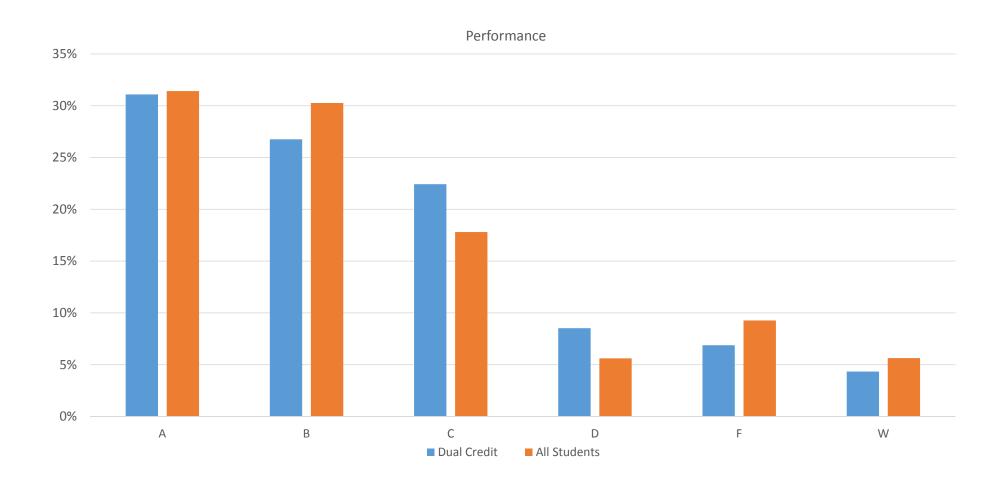
West Central

Wilmot

Winner



## Academic Performance



### Courses Taken

- Predominantly General Education
- A handful of students took program related courses
- Students seeking entrance into Southeast Tech health programs were more apt to take courses required for their specific major



Questions?

