

 KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Legislative Bill	Blue Bill # SB 18						
	Referred to Committee: Senate 4						
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School: Greenup County High School							
City: Greenup							

1 An act to enable eleventh and twelfth grade high school students who have met college and career readiness
2 standards to earn their remaining high school credits
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4 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
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6 Section 1: Currently, opportunities for advancement for students achieving college and career readiness
7 (CCR) early in their high school years are limited. Essentially students may choose to take dual credit and
8 advanced placement courses if their high schools offer them, creating great disparity. By opening the doors
9 of our universities to CCR students, we are affording them equal opportunity to succeed. Furthermore, we
10 are better serving our institutions of higher learning and our great Commonwealth.
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12 Section 2: The following components are integral to the success of this program, as it is enacted by the
13 annual youth legislature of the Commonwealth of Kentucky.
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15 I. Funding:
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17 A. SEEK Funds: Because the high school will be ultimately responsible for ensuring that all graduation
18 requirements are met, Support Education Excellence in Kentucky (SEEK) funding will continue to be allocated
19 to the high school for students participating in the program. Continuing SEEK funding will also serve as an
20 incentive to high schools in promoting excellence in education.

21 B. KEES: Kentucky Education Excellence Scholarship (KEES) money will remain available to CCR students
22 based up their high school GPA at the time of college enrollment. Monies will continue to accrue at the
23 aforesaid rate until high school graduation.
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25 II. Student Accountability:
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27 A. Credits: CCR students, in conjunction with their guidance counselors, must confirm that all high school
28 requirements are met via college courses. Only a grade of C or above can translate into high school credit.
29 Students must provide an unofficial transcript to their high school following each semester.

30 B. Enrollment: The process of college enrollment must be the responsibility of the student.

31 C. Finances: All financial obligations belong to the student, including but not limited to, associated costs such
32 as deposits and transportation as well as the acquisition of financial aid and scholarships.
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34 III. School Accountability:
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36 A. Credits: The school must maintain a current graduation check sheet and unofficial transcript on file for
37 each CCR student enrolled in college courses. At the start of each semester the check sheet and unofficial
38 transcript must be endorsed by the college advisor, high school principal, parent/guardian, and student.

39 B. GPA: The school must communicate in writing to all stakeholders the process of converting college grades
40 to high schools grades for the purpose of determining GPA.