

DUAL ENROLLMENT ALTERNATIVE ED. PROGRAMS

EXPANDED OPTIONS:

MHS offers opportunities for students to earn college credits while in high school:

- **Expanded Options-** Juniors and Seniors who have signed up by May 1st of the previous year are able to take classes at COCC while still in high school. Classes offered at MHS are not approved to be taken at COCC (because we already offer them!), but students may take any in-person class that COCC offers that we do not have.

Forms:

Expanded Options Brochure

Expanded Options Guide

Expanded Options Intent Form

Expanded Options Authorization Form

ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION PROGRAMS:

Students enrolling with Jefferson County School District have a couple of options for alternative education. All placement decisions are made by meeting with your student's school counselor or an administrator at MHS. Please contact the counseling secretary/registrar to get the ball rolling.

Below, are a couple of placement options we offer:

Bridges High School (Alternative High School)

[APPLICATION](#)

1- **Bridges:** hybrid program with a combination of direct instruction and online credit recovery (Westside campus)

2- **Roots:** Online learning/credit recovery (Warm Springs location)

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OTHER ALTERNATIVE PROGRAMS THAT THE DISTRICT PARTNERS WITH:

[1 - GED LINK](#)

Who: Anyone who has attained 18 years of age, is not a high school graduate, and who has not already passed the GED may register to take the GED. You cannot be enrolled in the regular high school program and take the GED test. If you are under 18 years you are required to present a Release from Compulsory School Attendance Form or be enrolled in an approved GED Options Program. The release form must be on official school letterhead, signed by parents(s) or guardian and the appropriate school officials. High School officials must approve enrollment in an approved GED options program. No one under the age of 16 is allowed to take the test.

[2 - HEART OF OREGON YOUTH BUILD LINK](#)

[APPLICATION LINK](#)

GED or High School completion program alternating classroom and field experience work. Students must commit to 12 months, Monday through Friday. Transportation is provided and students are compensated while attending the program.

PROGRAMS OUTSIDE OF JCSD

[5 - OREGON YOUTH CHALLENGE LINK](#)

The Oregon Youth Challenge Program (OYCP) is Oregon's only accredited statewide alternative high school. **The program is tuition free.** Eligible individuals are accepted from all 36 counties in Oregon. The program is guided by military principles, structure and self-discipline. Our staff utilize a "hands off" and disciplined approach to instill values in the cadets. Cadets are eligible to earn a high school diploma, GED or credit recovery of 8-10 certified credits from required class work completion. The school is accredited by the Northwest Accreditation Commission (NWAC) and approved by the Oregon Department of Education (ODE).

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The target population of cadets is generally those considered “academically at risk.” Those who are failing in school, not attending, or those who have dropped out. Cadets must be able and willing to participate in all activities to be successful in this program. Cadets who enroll in OYCP must complete the entire 5 month residential phase in order to receive any credit or educational credential.

[6-JOB CORP LINK](#)

Job Corp is a FREE educational program for students 16-24. The program focuses on developing skills so students can enter the workforce with training needed to be successful.