# **EARLY GRADUATION**

Early Graduation Scholarships are available to students who graduate from high school at least one year early. This scholarship is roughly **\$1,500** for every year skipped and can be used at any Idaho public post-secondary institution.



\$1,500 PER SKIPPED YEAR



# HOW DO I SIGN UP?

Create a Fast Forward account at advancedops.sde.idaho.gov to track account balance and request funding.

Contact your school's

Advanced Opportunities
designee to learn about local
guidelines for funding requests.

**Note:** Account verification and funding approvals are done by your local school district.

# ADVANCED \ OPPORTUNITIES

# **CHALLENGING COURSES**

School districts have options for students to recieve high school credit by **testing out** of a course. These tests represent mastery of a course subject. Contact your local school district for a list of available challenge exams.



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# **FAST FORWARD**

Students in grades 7-12 attending public school in Idaho have an allocation of **\$4,125.00** to use towards the cost of:

- Overload Courses
- Dual Credits
- **Exams**

\$4,125 ALLOCATION



Fast Forward dollars can be used to pay for overload courses. These are high school classes that are in excess of the student's full credit load. Students can utilize up to \$225.00 per course toward such classes. These are classes that are taken above and beyond the regular school day.



UP \$225 PER COURSE

# DUAL CREDITS

Dual credit courses are courses that are transcribed on both a student's high school and college transcript. Through the Fast Forward program, students can request up to \$75.00 per credit for such courses, although in most cases the cost of these credits is \$65.00.



PER CREDIT

## ► EXAMS

Students can use Fast Forward funds to **cover the full cost** of the following exams:

- Advanced Placement (AP)
- International Baccalaureate (IB)
- College Level Examination Program (CLEP)
- Professional Certification





