**Shelby County Schools**

**Dual Enrollment Grant Parent / Guardian Consent Form**

I have received information regarding the Tennessee Dual Enrollment Grant program and understand the

following:

To participate in the Tennessee Dual Enrollment Grant program, a student must be enrolled for college courses for which they also earn high school credit. A student must be a Tennessee resident, as defined by Chapter 0240-2-2, Classifying Students In-State and Out-of-State, as promulgated by the Tennessee Board of Regents, for one year as of the application deadline of the semester of enrollment in an eligible postsecondary institution.

Participants are completing college level coursework for which they are receiving dual credit towards a post-secondary program and high school graduation.

Students applying for the Tennessee Dual Enrollment Grant program must be certified as eligible by the high school, have selected post-secondary courses approved by the high school as meeting high school graduation requirements, gain admission to the post-secondary institution as a dual enrollment student and be enrolled in a high school approved course of study. The grant shall be utilized for courses that count toward high school graduation requirements and hours of post-secondary credit.

An online application must be completed and processed by the deadline date each semester in order for a student to participate and have coursework funded by this grant.

Grant funds assist with tuition cost for participants*. See fee requirements, Dual Enrollment Agreement form.*

Participants must maintain a minimum cumulative college grade point average of 2.75 for continued participation.

Participants may take up to two courses per academic semester granted they meet the Hope Scholarship requirements. Students taking more than one course per semester must submit the Additional Course Agreement. Transfers of post-secondary credits completed as part of this program are subject to review by the post- secondary institution to which the student is applying.

Failure to apply and enroll at an eligible post-secondary institution will void the processing of this application to participate in the Dual Enrollment Grant program.

The college grade will appear on the official high school and college transcripts. I authorize the post-secondary school to release my grade report to appropriate secondary officials. I acknowledge that I may revoke this consent in writing at any time by sending such authorization to the college/ university.

***Students may not withdraw from any college course without written permission from an administrator or counselor. Should students withdraw without consent, the student may be responsible for any costs associated with the withdrawal including the cost of tuition before TSAC funds are secured.***

**I agree to abide by the guidelines stated above.**

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Student Signature Date

**I have read the guidelines stated above and give consent for my child to participate as a dual**

**enrollment student.**

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