

**RESOLUTION NO. 2024-33180**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 2019-30958, RESOLUTION NO. 2021-31572, AND RESOLUTION NO. 2022-32099, WHICH APPROVED AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY AND MIAMI-DADE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD FOR THE CITY TO FUND DUAL ENROLLMENT COURSES, THROUGH MIAMI DADE COLLEGE, FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY, AND UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA, AT MIAMI BEACH NAUTILUS MIDDLE SCHOOL AND MIAMI BEACH SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL; SAID AMENDMENT ALLOWING FOR FUNDS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$41,432 TO BE USED AS NEEDED TO MEET THE NEEDS OF THE COMMUNITY THROUGH ALL APPROVED PROVIDERS OF DUAL ENROLLMENT COURSES FOR THE 2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR AND EACH SUBSEQUENT YEAR THEREAFTER, SUBJECT TO FUNDING APPROVAL DURING THE CITY'S BUDGETARY PROCESS; AND FURTHER AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE ANY AND ALL DOCUMENTS OR AGREEMENTS IN CONNECTION WITH THE PROGRAM.**

**WHEREAS**, the Education Compact with Miami-Dade County Public Schools ("M-DCPS"), established on January 16, 2008 ("Education Compact"), seeks to increase academic support and achievement and reflects the desire of the Miami Beach community to support excellence in the City's public schools to improve educational opportunities for youth; and

**WHEREAS**, in order to increase academic support and achievement, the Education Compact seeks to identify and pursue the implementation of best practices strategies to increase the graduation rate at Miami Beach Sr. High School ("MBSHS"); and

**WHEREAS**, dual enrollment is a program that allows eligible high school and middle school students currently attending accredited Miami Dade County public schools, private high schools, or home schools, to enroll in a college course while attending high school or middle school; and

**WHEREAS**, the credits that students earn in the dual enrollment program must be applicable toward a high school diploma and postsecondary educational title, such as a college associate, a baccalaureate degree, or a technical certificate; and

**WHEREAS**, due to state funding changes for dual enrollment courses in July 2013, M-DCPS is responsible for reimbursing colleges for instructor and administrative fees, which has limited the number of courses offered due to available funding and credentialing limitations of instructional school staff; and

**WHEREAS**, on May 21, 2014, the Mayor and City Commission adopted Resolution No. 2014-28601 to support dual enrollment at Miami Beach Senior High School beginning in Spring 2015 through Florida International University at an amount not to exceed \$20,000; and

**WHEREAS**, prior to the City providing this enhancement, dual enrollment was not offered by the high school or offered sporadically; and

**WHEREAS**, dual enrollment courses save students and parents money, as dual enrollment students are exempt from paying application, registration, tuition, laboratory, and special fees if the classes taken are being used toward high school graduation; and

**WHEREAS**, at the July 6, 2016, Finance and Citywide Projects Committee ("FCWPC") meeting, the committee recommended accepting the enhancement request of \$13,000 to expand dual enrollment options at Miami Beach Nautilus Middle School and Miami Beach Senior High School, through a partnership between the City, Miami Dade College, and Miami-Dade County Public Schools; and

**WHEREAS**, at the July 13, 2016, City Commission meeting, a discussion relating to the expansion of dual enrollment options at Miami Beach Nautilus Middle School and Miami Beach Senior High School, was referred to the Neighborhoods/Community Affairs Committee ("NCAC"). The NCAC unanimously recommended the enhancement in the City's FY 17 budget and the FCWPC unanimously recommended expanding the dual enrollment program; and

**WHEREAS**, on August 26, 2016, the Mayor and City Commission adopted Resolution No. 2016-29537, accepting the recommendations of the FCWPC and the NCAC, and authorizing the City to execute an agreement with Miami Dade College and M-DCPS, to provide dual enrollment courses taught at Miami Beach Senior High School, Miami Beach Nautilus Middle School, for 8th grade students attending the Middle School and Miami Beach Fienberg Fisher K-8 Center during the 2016-2017 school year; and

**WHEREAS**, on September 11, 2019, the Mayor and City Commission adopted Resolution No. 2019-30958, approving an agreement between the City of Miami Beach and the Miami-Dade County School Board to provide dual enrollment courses for students attending Miami Beach Senior High School, in an amount not to exceed \$28,000; and

**WHEREAS**, on November 8, 2019, the City and M-DCPS executed Amendment No. 1 to the agreement extending the program for the 2020-2021 school year; and

**WHEREAS**, on May 8, 2022, Amendment No. 2 to the Agreement was executed to include Florida International University (FIU) as an additional provider of dual enrollment courses, so that the City, through its partnership with M-DCPS, may maximize the amount of dual enrollment courses that may be offered at the High School and the Middle School, based upon the approved City Contribution; and

**WHEREAS**, on February 10, 2020, the Mayor and City Commission adopted Resolution No. 2021-31572, amending Resolution No. 2019-30958, which approved an agreement between the City and Miami-Dade County School Board for the City to fund dual enrollment courses, through Miami Dade College, at Miami Beach Nautilus Middle School and Miami Beach Senior High School; said amendment adding Florida International University as an additional provider of dual enrollment courses; and

**WHEREAS**, on April 6, 2022, the Mayor and City Commission adopted Resolution No. 2022-32099, which approved an agreement with the University of Florida and Miami-Dade County Public Schools to provide dual enrollment courses, for college credit, for students at Miami Beach Senior High School. The City's partnership with UF provides funding in the amount of \$13,432 to cover the cost for instructors, approximately \$6,716 per course per semester, for eligible and credentialed teachers, City Staff, and Miami Beach residents, in an amount not to exceed \$13,432; and



**WHEREAS**, the City's partnership with UF continues to expand with two new Artificial Intelligence (AI) dual enrollment courses available in the 2024-25 school year; and

**WHEREAS**, MBSH will be the only high school in the state to offer AI classes with a UF professor; and

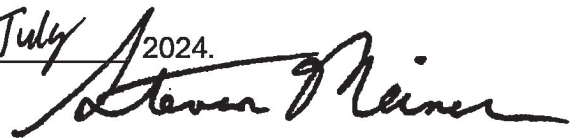
**WHEREAS**, as such, this amendment will allow for the utilization of the allocated funds of \$41,432 to be used for dual enrollment courses offered through FIU, MDC, and UF based on student interest on a school-year basis; and

**WHEREAS**, the flexibility to utilize the funds allocated, in an amount of \$41,432, for dual enrollment at both MBSH and MBNMS through partnerships with FIU, MDC, and UF will allow the City and M-DCPS to meet the needs of the Miami Beach community within the public schools; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Manager recommends authorizing the City to execute Amendment No. 3 to the Agreement, to maximize the number of dual enrollment courses that may be offered at Miami Beach Senior High School and Miami Beach Nautilus Middle School through any combination of the approved providers including Florida International University, Miami Dade College, and University of Florida.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT DULY RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA**, that the Mayor and City Commission hereby authorize the City Manager to negotiate and execute an amendment to Resolution No. 2019-30958, Resolution No. 2021-31572, and Resolution No. 2022-32099, which approved an agreement between the City and Miami-Dade County School Board for the City to fund dual enrollment courses, through Miami Dade College, Florida International University, and University of Florida, at Miami Beach Nautilus Middle School and Miami Beach Senior High School; said amendment allowing for funds in the amount of \$41,432 to be used as needed to meet the needs of the community through all approved providers of dual enrollment courses for the 2024-2025 school year and each subsequent year thereafter, subject to funding approval during the City's budgetary process; and further authorize the City Manager to execute any and all documents or agreements in connection with the program.

**PASSED and ADOPTED** this 24 day of July 2024.



Steven Weiner, Mayor

**ATTEST:**





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Rafael E. Granado, City Clerk

Sponsored by Commissioner Tanya K. Bhatt



APPROVED AS TO  
FORM & LANGUAGE  
& FOR EXECUTION

 7/14/2024  
City Attorney  Date

# MIAMI BEACH

## COMMISSION MEMORANDUM

TO:	Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Commission
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FROM: Rickelle Williams, Interim City Manager

DATE: July 24, 2024

TITLE: A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 2019-30958, RESOLUTION NO. 2021-31572, AND RESOLUTION NO. 2022-32099, WHICH APPROVED AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY AND MIAMI-DADE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD FOR THE CITY TO FUND DUAL ENROLLMENT COURSES, THROUGH MIAMI DADE COLLEGE, FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY, AND UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA, AT MIAMI BEACH NAUTILUS MIDDLE SCHOOL AND MIAMI BEACH SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL; SAID AMENDMENT ALLOWING FOR FUNDS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$41,432 TO BE USED AS NEEDED TO MEET THE NEEDS OF THE COMMUNITY THROUGH ALL APPROVED PROVIDERS OF DUAL ENROLLMENT COURSES FOR THE 2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR AND EACH SUBSEQUENT YEAR THEREAFTER, SUBJECT TO FUNDING APPROVAL DURING THE CITY'S BUDGETARY PROCESS; AND FURTHER AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE ANY AND ALL DOCUMENTS OR AGREEMENTS IN CONNECTION WITH THE PROGRAM.

### **RECOMMENDATION**

The Administration recommends authorizing the City Manager to execute Amendment No. 3 to the Agreement, to maximize the number of dual enrollment courses that may be offered at Miami Beach Senior High School and Miami Beach Nautilus Middle School through any combination of the approved providers including Florida International University (FIU), Miami Dade College (MDC) and University of Florida (UF).

### **BACKGROUND/HISTORY**

The Education Compact with Miami-Dade County Public Schools (M-DCPS), established on January 16, 2008 ("Education Compact"), includes the outcome to increase academic support and achievement. The Education Compact reflects the desire of the Miami Beach community to support excellence in the City's public schools to improve educational opportunities for youth.

To increase academic support and achievement, the Education Compact seeks to identify and pursue the implementation of best practices strategies to increase the graduation rate at Miami Beach Senior High School (MBSHS). Dual enrollment is a program that allows eligible high school and middle school students currently attending accredited Miami-Dade County public schools, private high schools, or home schools, to enroll in a college course while attending high school or middle school. The credits that students earn in the dual enrollment program must be applicable toward a high school diploma and postsecondary educational title, such as a college associate, a baccalaureate degree, or a technical certificate.

Due to state funding changes for dual enrollment courses in July 2013, M-DCPS is responsible for reimbursing colleges for instructor and administrative fees; therefore, limiting the number of courses offered due to available funding and credentialing limitations of instructional school staff.



On May 21, 2014, the Mayor and City Commission adopted Resolution No. 2014-28601 to support dual enrollment at Miami Beach Senior High School beginning in Spring 2015 through Florida International University at an amount not to exceed \$20,000. Prior to the City providing this enhancement, dual enrollment was not offered by the high school or offered sporadically. Dual enrollment courses save students and parents money, as dual enrollment students are exempt from paying application, registration, tuition, laboratory, and special fees if the classes taken are being used toward high school graduation. At the July 6, 2016, Finance and Citywide Projects Committee (FCWPC) meeting, the committee recommended accepting the enhancement request of \$13,000 to expand dual enrollment options at Miami Beach Nautilus Middle School and Miami Beach Senior High School, through a partnership between the City, Miami Dade College, and Miami-Dade County Public Schools. At the July 13, 2016, City Commission meeting, a discussion relating to the expansion of dual enrollment options at Miami Beach Nautilus Middle School and Miami Beach Senior High School, was referred to the Neighborhoods/Community Affairs Committee (NCAC). The NCAC unanimously recommended the enhancement in the City's FY 2017 budget and the FCWPC unanimously recommended expanding the dual enrollment program.

On August 26, 2016, the Mayor and City Commission adopted Resolution No. 2016-29537(Attachment A), accepting the recommendations of the FCWPC and the NCAC, and authorizing the City to execute an agreement with Miami Dade College and M-DCPS, to provide dual enrollment courses taught at Miami Beach Senior High School, Miami Beach Nautilus Middle School, for 8th grade students attending the Middle School and Miami Beach Fienberg Fisher K-8 Center during the 2016-2017 school year.

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On February 10, 2020, the Mayor and City Commission adopted Resolution No. 2021-31572 (Attachment C), amending Resolution No. 2019-30958, which approved an agreement between the City and Miami-Dade County School Board for the City to fund dual enrollment courses, through Miami Dade College, at Miami Beach Nautilus Middle School and Miami Beach Senior High School; said amendment adding Florida International University as an additional provider of dual enrollment courses.

On April 6, 2022, the Mayor and City Commission adopted Resolution No. 2022-32099 (Attachment D), which approved an agreement with the University of Florida and Miami-Dade County Public Schools to provide dual enrollment courses, for college credit, for students at Miami Beach Senior High School. The City's partnership with UF provides funding in the amount of \$13,432 to cover the cost for instructors, approximately \$6,716 per course per semester, for eligible and credentialed teachers, City Staff and Miami Beach residents, in an amount not to exceed \$13,432.

## **ANALYSIS**

The City of Miami Beach in partnership with Miami-Dade County Public Schools (M-DCPS), Florida International University, Miami-Dade College, and the University of Florida (UF) offers dual enrollment courses at Miami Beach Senior High School (MBSH) and Miami Beach Nautilus Middle School (MBNM).

The chart below provides information on the number of course and class sections available, as well as the financial savings to Miami Beach families since program inception of \$3,536,972 (Attachment E) for those children choosing to enroll in dual enrollment classes funded by the City offered at Miami Beach public schools.

School Year	# of Dual Enrollment Courses	# of Class Sections Available	# of Students Participating	Per Credit Cost (based on FIU credit per cost)	Savings to City of Miami Beach Families
Fall 2014	0	0	0		\$0
Spring 2015	3	4	104	\$203.59	\$76,000
Fall 2015	2	4	123	\$203.59	\$89,884
Spring 2016	4	6	138	\$203.59	\$100,846
Fall 2016	4	6	125	\$203.59	\$91,346
Spring 2017	7	9	181	\$205.57	\$133,344
Fall 2017	7	12	217	\$205.57	\$159,866
Spring 2018	9	15	257	\$205.57	\$189,334
Fall 2018	9	16	413	\$205.57	\$304,261
Spring 2019	13	19	412	\$205.57	\$303,524
Fall 2019	10	18	364	\$205.57	\$268,162
Spring 2020	8	20	408	\$205.57	\$300,577
Fall 2020	7	22	552	\$205.57	\$406,663
Spring 2021	7	19	472	\$205.57	\$347,727
Fall 2021	6	14	295	\$205.57	\$217,329
Spring 2022	5	7	150	\$205.57	\$110,506
Fall 2022	7	10	201	\$205.57	\$148,078
Spring 2023	7	10	145	\$205.57	\$106,822
Fall 2023	7	9	145	\$205.57	\$106,822
Spring 2024	6	9	103	\$205.57	\$75,881
<b>Total</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>229</b>	<b>4,805</b>		<b>\$3,536,972</b>

Funding to support and expand the partnership in the 2023-2024 school year included an estimated City contribution of \$104,000 for instructor salaries and MDCPS estimated contribution of \$28,560 for textbooks. This partnership also supports class size reduction.

The dual enrollment program at MBSH and MBNM School allows eligible students to enroll in a college course and high school class simultaneously. The credits the students earn are used towards both a high school diploma and are acceptable towards a college associate's degree, bachelor's degree, or technical certificate. The benefits of offering dual enrollment courses to high school and middle school students include:

- Saves students and parents money, as dual enrollment students are exempt from paying application, registration, tuition, laboratory, and special fees if the classes taken are being used toward high school graduation
- Enriches the course opportunities for outstanding high school / middle school students
- Shortens the time to attain a college degree
- Provides students with college credit that is transferable to a college or university



- Allows grades earned to become part of the student's permanent transcripts

Dual enrollment course offerings include, but are not limited to, the following for the 2024-2025 school year:

- Architecture and Humanity
- Ballet Techniques I
- Business & Professional Communication
- Criminology
- English Comp I and II
- Fundamentals of Argumentation and Debate
- Individual in Society
- Introduction to Business
- Introduction to Criminal Justice
- Introduction to Entrepreneurship
- Introduction of Sociology
- Modern Dance Techniques
- Psychology of Personal Effectiveness
- Public Speaking
- Social Problems
- Strategies for Success
- Survey of Architectural History
- Writing and Rhetoric I and II
- Design Graphics 1
- Design Studio 1
- Introduction to Architecture
- Survey of Architectural History
- Artificial Intelligence Fundamentals
- Frontiers of Artificial Intelligence (AI)

The City's partnership with UF continues to expand with two new Artificial Intelligence (AI) dual enrollment courses available in the 2024-25 school year. MBSH will be the only high school in the state to offer AI classes with a UF professor.

### **FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

This amendment will allow for the utilization of the allocated funds of \$41,432 to be used for dual enrollment courses offered through FIU, MDC, and UF based on student interest on a school year basis.

### **Does this Ordinance require a Business Impact Estimate?** (FOR ORDINANCES ONLY)

The Business Impact Estimate (BIE) was published on . See BIE at:  
<https://www.miamibeachfl.gov/city-hall/city-clerk/meeting-notice/>

### **FINANCIAL INFORMATION**

### **CONCLUSION**

The flexibility to utilize the funds allocated, in an amount of \$41,432, for dual enrollment at both MBSH and MBNMS through partnerships with FIU, MDC, and UF will allow the City and M-DCPS to meet the needs of the Miami Beach community within the public schools.

**Applicable Area**

Citywide

**Is this a "Residents Right to Know" item, pursuant to City Code Section 2-17?**

No

**Is this item related to a G.O. Bond Project?**

No

**Was this Agenda Item initially requested by a lobbyist which, as defined in Code Sec. 2-481, includes a principal engaged in lobbying?** No

If so, specify the name of lobbyist(s) and principal(s):

**Department**

Education and Performance Initiatives

**Sponsor(s)**

**Co-sponsor(s)**



**RESOLUTION NO. 2016-29537**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, ACCEPTING THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE FINANCE AND CITYWIDE PROJECTS COMMITTEE AND THE NEIGHBORHOOD/COMMUNITY AFFAIRS COMMITTEE, AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT WITH MIAMI-DADE COLLEGE AND MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS, ACCEPTABLE TO THE CITY MANAGER AND CITY ATTORNEY, TO PROVIDE DUAL ENROLLMENT COURSES FOR COLLEGE CREDIT FOR STUDENTS ATTENDING MIAMI BEACH SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL, NAUTILUS MIDDLE SCHOOL, AND FIENBERG FISHER K-8 CENTER DURING THE 2016-2017 SCHOOL YEAR.**

**WHEREAS**, the Education Compact with Miami-Dade County Public Schools (M-DCPS), established on January 16, 2008 ("Education Compact"), includes the outcome to increase academic support and achievement; and

**WHEREAS**, the Education Compact reflects the desire of the Miami Beach community to support excellence in the City's public schools to improve educational opportunities for youth; and

**WHEREAS**, at the January 31, 2014 Miami Beach City Commission Retreat, the Key Intended Outcomes (KIO) in the City's Strategic Plan were discussed and amendments to the priority outcomes of the Mayor and City Commission were formally adopted on March 5, 2014 pursuant to Resolution No. 2014-28525; and

**WHEREAS**, Resolution No. 2014-28525 established the KIO to Induce Public School Accountability Mainly at Middle School and Achieve K-12 Educational Excellence; and

**WHEREAS**, at the July 6, 2016 Finance and Citywide Projects Committee meeting, the Committee recommended accepting the enhancement request of \$13,000 to expand dual enrollment options at Nautilus Middle School and Miami Beach Senior High School, through a partnership with the City, Miami-Dade College, and Miami-Dade County Public Schools via the Education Compact Fund, and further approved a unanimous favorable recommendation at its July 22, 2016 meeting; and

**WHEREAS**, discussion item C4A on the July 13, 2016 City Commission agenda, regarding a partnership with Miami-Dade College and Miami-Dade County Public Schools for the expansion of Dual Enrollment options with Nautilus Middle School and Miami Beach Senior High School, was referred to and received a unanimous favorable recommendation from the Neighborhoods/Community Affairs Committee at its July 15, 2016 meeting as a recommended enhancement in the City's 2016/17 fiscal budget; and

**WHEREAS**, the graduation rate at Miami Beach Senior High School (MBSH) was 79.4% in 2015, a 16.7% increase from 2010; and

**WHEREAS**, M-DCPS climate survey data for the 2014-15 School Year reflected that 75% and 87% of parents, and 91% and 93% of school staff, agree or strongly agree that children are receiving a good education at Miami Beach Senior High School and Nautilus Middle School, respectively, and that 55% and 67% of students at those schools agree or strongly agree that they are receiving a good education; and

**WHEREAS**, an activity included in the Education Compact to increase academic support and achievement is to identify and pursue the implementation of best practices strategies to increase the graduation rate at MBSHS; and, Dual Enrollment programs are best practice programs that enrich the course opportunities for outstanding high school students and saves students and parents money; and

**WHEREAS**, Dual Enrollment is a program that allows eligible high school and middle school students currently attending accredited Miami-Dade County public or private high schools, or home schools, to enroll in a college course while attending high school or middle school. The credits that students earn must be used toward both a high school diploma and are acceptable towards a college Associate or Baccalaureate degree, or a Technical Certificate; and

**WHEREAS**, students in the 6<sup>TH</sup>, 7<sup>TH</sup>, 8<sup>TH</sup>, 9<sup>TH</sup>, 10<sup>TH</sup>, 11<sup>TH</sup>, and 12<sup>TH</sup> grades that are enrolled in M-DCPS are eligible to participate in Dual Enrollment programs and must meet specific criteria; and

**WHEREAS**, Miami-Dade College (MDC) currently offers dual enrollment courses in approximately 34 out of 53 high schools and two (2) middle schools across Miami-Dade County; and

**WHEREAS**, due to state funding changes for Dual Enrollment courses in July 2013, individual high schools are responsible for reimbursing colleges for instructor and administrative fees. As such, the number of courses offered is limited due to available funding, along with credentialing limitations of instructional school staff; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Administration recommends, and it would be in the best interest of high school and middle school students attending public school in the City, that the City of Miami Beach enter into an agreement with MDC to allow for the credentialing of eligible City staff, as well as qualified residents, to increase the number of Dual Enrollment courses available at Miami Beach Senior High School and Nautilus Middle School for upcoming School Years; and

**WHEREAS**, a City of Miami Beach partnership with MDC would provide funding for instructors at a cost of approximately \$4,330 per course per semester for eligible and credentialed City staff and Miami Beach residents, not to exceed two (2) Dual Enrollment courses during the 2016-17 School Year at Miami Beach Senior High School and one (1) Dual Enrollment courses during the 2016-17 School Year at Nautilus Middle School, with the expectation that the number of Dual Enrollment courses offered each subsequent School Year would increase; and

**WHEREAS**, students attending Fienberg Fisher K-8 Center will also be able to enroll in the Dual Enrollment courses offered at Nautilus Middle School.



NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT DULY RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA that the Mayor and City Commission hereby accept the recommendations of the Finance and Citywide Projects Committee, the Neighborhood/Community Affairs Committee, and the City Administration and hereby authorize the City Manager to execute an agreement with Miami-Dade College and Miami-Dade County Public Schools, acceptable to the City Manager and City Attorney, to provide Dual Enrollment courses for college credit for students attending Miami Beach Senior High School, Nautilus Middle School, and Fienberg Fisher K-8 Center during the 2016-2017 School Year.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 14 day of September, 2016.

ATTEST:

YH 9/22/16  
Rafael E. Granado, City Clerk



[Signature]  
Philip Levine, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO  
FORM & LANGUAGE  
& FOR EXECUTION

[Signature] 9/30/16  
City Attorney Date

# MIAMI BEACH

## COMMISSION MEMORANDUM

TO: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Commission  
FROM: Jimmy L. Morales, City Manager  
DATE: September 14, 2016

SUBJECT: A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, ACCEPTING THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE FINANCE AND CITYWIDE PROJECTS COMMITTEE AND THE NEIGHBORHOOD/COMMUNITY AFFAIRS COMMITTEE, AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT WITH MIAMI-DADE COLLEGE AND MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS, ACCEPTABLE TO THE CITY MANAGER AND CITY ATTORNEY, TO PROVIDE DUAL ENROLLMENT COURSES FOR COLLEGE CREDIT FOR STUDENTS ATTENDING MIAMI BEACH SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL, NAUTILUS MIDDLE SCHOOL, AND FIENBERG FISHER K-8 CENTER DURING THE 2016-2017 SCHOOL YEAR

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### RECOMMENDATION

The Administration recommends the approval of this Resolution. This approval will assist the Department in accomplishing its measurable objectives linked to the City's Key Intended Outcomes to Induce Public School Accountability Mainly at Middle School and Achieve K-12 Educational Excellence.

### ANALYSIS

The Education Compact with Miami-Dade County Public Schools (M-DCPS), established on January 16, 2008, includes the outcome to increase academic support and achievement. Since the Education Compact implementation, the City of Miami Beach has collaborated with M-DCPS to improve educational opportunities for youth. At the January 31, 2014 Commission Retreat, the City's Key Intended Outcomes (KIO) in the Strategic Plan was updated to reflect the priority outcomes of the Mayor and Commission, and was formally adopted on March 5, 2014 per Resolution No. 2014-28525. This Resolution supports the KIO to Induce Public School Accountability. Mainly at Middle School and Achieve K-12 Educational Excellence.

The graduation rate at Miami Beach Senior High School at 79.4 percent in 2015, is a 16.7 percent increase from 2010. M-DCPS climate survey data for the 2014-15 School Year reflected that 75% of parents and 91% of school staff agree or strongly agree that children are receiving a good education at Miami Beach Senior High School, and 55% of students agree or strongly agree that they are receiving a good education.

Further, the M-DCPS climate survey data for the 2014-15 School Year reflected that 87% of parents and 93% of school staff agree or strongly agree that children are receiving a good education at

Nautilus Middle School, and 67% of students agree or strongly agree that they are receiving a good education.

An activity included in the Education Compact to increase academic support and achievement is to identify and pursue the implementation of best practice strategies to increase the graduation rate at Miami Beach Senior High School (MBSH). Dual Enrollment programs enrich course opportunities for outstanding high school students and saves students and parents money.

Dual Enrollment is a program that allows eligible high school and middle school students currently attending accredited Miami-Dade County public or private high schools, or home schools to enroll in a college course and high school course simultaneously. The credits that students earn must be used toward both a high school diploma and are acceptable towards a college Associate or Baccalaureate degree, or Technical Certificate. The benefits of offering dual enrollment classes to high school students include:

- Enriches the course opportunities for outstanding high school students
- Shortens the time to attain a college degree
- Saves students and parents money, as dual enrollment students are exempt from paying application, registration, tuition, laboratory, and special fees if the class(es) taken are being used toward high school graduation
- Provides students with college credit that is transferable to a college or university
- Grades earned through dual enrollment will become part of the students' permanent high school and college transcripts

Students in the 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, and 12<sup>th</sup> grades that are enrolled in M-DCPS are eligible to participate in the Dual Enrollment programs and must meet the following criteria:

- A minimum 3.0 high school unweighted grade point average (GPA)
- Passed the appropriate sections of the College's Basic Skills Assessment Tests (PERT or CPT), or submitted adequate SAT/ACT scores, or submitted adequate FCAT scores.
- Permission from the parent/guardian, high school principal and counselor
- Met with the College Dual Enrollment Coordinator at the Campus he/she plans to attend
- An understanding that the amount of work necessary to succeed in dual enrollment courses will be greater than in high school courses and must earn a grade of "C" or higher in their college-level courses to continue participation. Students whose College GPA falls below 2.0 are ineligible to continue dual enrollment.

Due to legislative changes (Senate Bill 1514), funding for the dual enrollment program changed, effective July 1, 2013. Previously, community colleges and universities assumed the cost of dual enrollment. Students are exempt from paying for tuition, however, schools must reimburse the college/university for college credit courses (dual enrollment) taken by eligible high school and middle school students, who must have a 3.0 unweighted GPA and be college-ready in Reading and Writing per state-approved tests (PERT, SAT/ACT, FCAT).

As such, the number of courses offered is limited due to available funding, along with credentialing limitations of instructional school staff. Miami-Dade College (MDC) currently offers dual enrollment courses in approximately 34 out of 53 high schools and two (2) middle schools across Miami-Dade County.



The City administration recommends, and it would be in the best interest of high school and middle school students attending public school in the City, that the City of Miami Beach to enter into an Agreement with MDC to allow for the credentialing of eligible City staff, as well as qualified residents, to increase the number of Dual Enrollment courses available at Miami Beach Senior High School and Nautilus Middle School for upcoming school years.

A City of Miami Beach partnership with MDC would provide funding for instructors at a cost of approximately \$4,330 per course per semester only for eligible MDC adjunct instructors and credentialed City staff and Miami Beach residents not to exceed two (2) Dual Enrollment courses during the 2016-17 School Year at Miami Beach Senior High School and one (1) Dual Enrollment courses during the 2016-17 School Year at Nautilus Middle School, with the expectation that the number of Dual Enrollment courses offered each subsequent School Year would increase.

### **CONCLUSION**

The Administration recommends the approval of this Resolution.

### **KEY INTENDED OUTCOMES SUPPORTED**

Achieve Educational (K-12) Excellence

### **FINANCIAL INFORMATION**

A City of Miami Beach partnership with MDC would provide funding for instructors at a cost of approximately \$4,330 per course per semester only for eligible MDC adjunct instructors and credentialed City staff and Miami Beach residents not to exceed two (2) Dual Enrollment courses during the 2016-17 School Year at Miami Beach Senior High School and one (1) Dual Enrollment courses during the 2016-17 School Year at Nautilus Middle School, with the expectation that the number of Dual Enrollment courses offered each subsequent School Year would increase for an initial term of two years, with possible one year extensions subject to funding approval.

<b>Amount 1</b>	\$13,000	<b>Account 1</b>	177-6881-000343
	(Subject to FY		
	2016/17		
	Budget		
	Approval)		

### **Legislative Tracking**

Organization Development Performance Initiatives

### **ATTACHMENTS:**

	<b>Description</b>
□	Resolution Dual Enrollment MDC

**RESOLUTION NO.      2019-30958**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, APPROVING, IN THE FORM ATTACHED TO THIS RESOLUTION, AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY AND MIAMI-DADE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD TO PROVIDE DUAL ENROLLMENT COURSES FOR THE 2019-2020 SCHOOL YEAR, THROUGH MIAMI-DADE COLLEGE, FOR COLLEGE CREDIT FOR EIGHTH GRADE STUDENTS ATTENDING MIAMI BEACH NAUTILUS MIDDLE SCHOOL F/K/A NAUTILUS MIDDLE SCHOOL, MIAMI BEACH FIENBERG-FISHER K-8 CENTER F/K/A AS FIENBERG FISHER K-8 CENTER, AND FOR 9TH, 10TH, 11TH AND 12TH GRADE STUDENTS ATTENDING MIAMI BEACH SENIOR HIGH, IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$28,000 ("CITY'S CONTRIBUTION"); AND APPROVING THE FUNDING OF THE CITY'S CONTRIBUTION FOR THE 2019-2020 SCHOOL YEAR FROM THE CITY'S 2018-2019 FY BUDGET; AND APPROVING THE CITY'S CONTRIBUTION TO THE PROGRAM FOR EACH SUBSEQUENT SCHOOL YEAR, SUBJECT TO FUNDING APPROVAL DURING THE CITY'S BUDGETARY PROCESS AND PROVIDED THAT THE CITY'S CONTRIBUTION AMOUNT DOES NOT EXCEED \$28,000; AND FURTHER AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER AND CITY CLERK TO EXECUTE ANY AND ALL REQUIRED AGREEMENTS AND DOCUMENTS TO IMPLEMENT THE PROGRAM.**

**WHEREAS**, the Education Compact with Miami-Dade County Public Schools ("M-DCPS"), established on January 16, 2008 ("Education Compact"), includes the outcome to increase academic support and achievement; and

**WHEREAS**, the Education Compact reflects the desire of the Miami Beach community to support excellence in the City's public schools to improve educational opportunities for youth; and

**WHEREAS**, the graduation rate at Miami Beach Senior High School (MBSH) in 2016 was 82.5%, a 16.2% increase from 2011; and

**WHEREAS**, in order to increase academic support and achievement, the Education Compact seeks to identify and pursues the implementation of best practices strategies to increase the graduation rate at MBSHS; and

**WHEREAS**, dual enrollment is a program that allows eligible high school and middle school students currently attending accredited Miami-Dade County public schools, private high schools, or home schools, to enroll in a college course while attending high school or middle school; and

**WHEREAS**, the credits that students earn in the dual enrollment program must be applicable toward a high school diploma and postsecondary educational title, such



as the college associate, a baccalaureate degree, or a technical certificate; and

**WHEREAS**, students in 8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, and 10<sup>th</sup> grades that are enrolled in M-DCPS are eligible to participate in dual enrollment programs and must meet specific criteria; and

**WHEREAS**, due to state funding changes for dual enrollment courses in July 2013, M-DCPS is responsible for reimbursing colleges for instructor and administrative fees; therefore, limiting the number of courses offered due to available funding and credentialing limitations of instructional school staff; and

**WHEREAS**, Miami Dade College ("MDC") currently offers a dual enrollment courses in approximately 34 out of 53 high schools and two (2) middle schools across Miami -Dade County; and

**WHEREAS**, at the January 31, 2014 Miami Beach City Commission Retreat, the Key Intended Outcomes ("KIO") in the City's Strategic Plan were discussed and amendments to the priority outcomes of the Mayor and City Commission were formally adopted on March 5, 2014 pursuant to Resolution No.2014-28525; and

**WHEREAS**, Resolution No. 2014-28525 established the KIO to "Induce Public School Accountability Mainly at Middle School" and to "Achieve Educational K-12 Excellence"; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Miami Beach has supported dual enrollment at Miami Beach Senior High School since Spring, 2015 for 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> graders through Florida International University; and

**WHEREAS**, prior to the City providing this enhancement, dual enrollment was not offered by the high school or offered sporadically; and

**WHEREAS**, since the implementation of the program, in Spring 2015, there was a financial savings, in the amount of \$440,907.39 (based on 2016-2017 Florida State tuition rates), to Miami Beach families for those children choosing to enroll in dual enrollment courses; and

**WHEREAS**, dual enrollment courses save students and parents money, as dual enrollment students are exempt from paying application, registration, tuition, laboratory, and special fees if the classes taken are being used toward high school graduation; and

**WHEREAS**, at the July 6, 2016 Finance and Citywide Projects Committee ("FCWPC") meeting, the committee recommended accepting the enhancement request of \$13,000 to expand dual enrollment options at Nautilus Middle School and Miami Beach Senior High School, through a partnership between the City, Miami Dade College, and Miami-Dade County Public Schools via the Education Compact Fund; and

**WHEREAS**, at the July 13, 2016 City Commission meeting, a discussion relating to the expansion of dual enrollment options at Nautilus Middle School and Miami Beach Senior High School, was referred to the Neighborhoods/Community Affairs Committee ("NCAC");

**WHEREAS**, at its July 15, 2016 meeting, the NCAC unanimously recommended the enhancement in the City's 2016-2017 fiscal budget; and

**WHEREAS**, at its July 22, 2016 meeting, the FCWPC unanimously recommended expanding the dual enrollment program; and

**WHEREAS**, on August 26, 2016, the Mayor and City Commission adopted Resolution Number No. 2016-29537, accepting the recommendations of the FCWPC and the NCAC, and authorizing the City to execute an agreement with Miami Dade College and M-DCPS, to provide dual enrollment courses taught at Miami Beach Senior High School (the "High School"), for 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> grade students attending the High School, and at Nautilus Middle School (the "Middle School"), for 8<sup>th</sup> grade students attending the Middle School and Fienberg Fisher K-8 Center during the 2016-2017 school year; and

**WHEREAS**, on January 4, 2017, the City, M-DCPS, and Miami Dade College executed an agreement to provide these dual enrollment courses, providing for a total City contribution of \$13,000 in fiscal year 2016-2017; and

**WHEREAS**, on December 10, 2018, the City and M-DCPS executed another Agreement to provide these dual enrollment courses, providing for a total City contribution of \$28,000 in fiscal year 2018-2019; and

**WHEREAS**, on June 5, 2019, the Miami Dade County Public School Board adopted a resolution relating to Item D-67, renaming Biscayne Elementary School to Biscayne Beach Elementary School; South Pointe Elementary to Miami Beach South Pointe Elementary; Nautilus Middle School to Miami Beach Nautilus Middle School; and Fienberg Fisher K-8 Center to Miami Beach Fienberg Fisher K-8; and

**WHEREAS**, the Administration recommends the City continue the program and contribute a total amount of \$28,000 for instructor salaries ("City's Contribution"), with M-DCPS contributing approximately \$18,000 for textbooks, based on six (6) classes for the 2019-2020 School Year and subsequent school years, subject to funding approval during the City's annual budgeting process; and

**WHEREAS**, the Administration recommends that the Mayor and City Commission approve, in substantial form, the agreement, incorporated herein by reference and attached hereto as Exhibit "1."



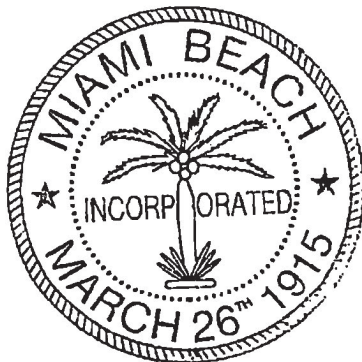
**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT DULY RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA** that the Mayor and City Commission hereby approve, in the form attached to this Resolution, an agreement between the City of Miami Beach and Miami-Dade County School Board to provide dual enrollment courses for the 2019-2020 School Year, through Miami Dade College, for college credit for eighth grade students attending Miami Beach Nautilus Middle School f/k/a Nautilus Middle School, Miami Beach Fienberg Fisher K-8 center f/k/a Fienberg Fisher K-8 Center, and for 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th grade students attending Miami Beach Senior High School, in an amount not to exceed \$28,000 ("City's Contribution"); and approving the funding of the City's Contribution for the 2019-2020 School Year from the City's 2018-2019 FY budget; and approving the City's Contribution to the program for each subsequent school year, subject to funding approval during the City's budgetary process and provided that the City's contribution amount does not exceed \$28,000; and further authorizing the City Manager and City Clerk to execute any and all required agreements and documents to implement the program.

**PASSED and ADOPTED** this 11th day of September 2019.

**ATTEST:**

*R* 9/16/19  
Rafael E. Granado, City Clerk

*[Signature]*  
Dan Gelber, Mayor



**APPROVED AS TO  
FORM & LANGUAGE  
& FOR EXECUTION**

*[Signature]* 9-10-19  
City Attorney Date

*[Signature]*

# MIAMI BEACH

## COMMISSION MEMORANDUM

TO: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Commission  
FROM: Jimmy L. Morales, City Manager  
DATE: September 11, 2019

**SUBJECT: A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, APPROVING, IN THE FORM ATTACHED TO THIS RESOLUTION, AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY AND MIAMI-DADE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD TO PROVIDE DUAL ENROLLMENT COURSES, THROUGH MIAMI-DADE COLLEGE, FOR COLLEGE CREDIT FOR EIGHTH GRADE STUDENTS ATTENDING NAUTILUS MIDDLE SCHOOL AND FIENBERG-FISHER K-8 CENTER, AND FOR 9TH, 10TH, 11TH AND 12TH GRADE STUDENTS ATTENDING MIAMI BEACH SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL FOR THE 2019-2020 SCHOOL YEAR, IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$28,000 ("CITY'S CONTRIBUTION"); AND APPROVING THE FUNDING OF THE CITY'S CONTRIBUTION FOR THE 2019-2020 SCHOOL YEAR FROM THE CITY'S 2018-2019 FY BUDGET; AND APPROVING THE CITY'S CONTRIBUTION TO THE PROGRAM FOR EACH SUBSEQUENT SCHOOL YEAR, SUBJECT TO FUNDING APPROVAL DURING THE CITY'S BUDGETARY PROCESS AND PROVIDED THAT THE CITY'S CONTRIBUTION AMOUNT DOES NOT EXCEED \$28,000; AND FURTHER AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER AND CITY CLERK TO EXECUTE ANY AND ALL REQUIRED AGREEMENTS AND DOCUMENTS TO IMPLEMENT THE PROGRAM.**

### **RECOMMENDATION**

Support the partnership for the 2019-20 school year with MDCPS to provide dual enrollment courses through Miami Dade College and subsequent school years subject to approval of the budget each fiscal year during the City's budgetary process.

### **ANALYSIS**

The City of Miami Beach has maintained a partnership with Miami-Dade County Public Schools (MDCPS) to provide dual enrollment classes through Florida International University and Miami Dade College to students at Miami Beach Senior High School, Nautilus Middle School, and Fienberg Fisher K-8 Center.

The interest and success of students at our high school and middle school in dual enrollment classes has resulted in a 250 percent increase in the number of classes from the 2015-16 to 2018-19 school years. The chart below provides information on the number of course and class sections available to



students following the implementation of the partnership in Fall 2014, as well as the financial savings to Miami Beach families for those children choosing to enroll in dual enrollment classes offered at Miami Beach public schools funded by the city. Additionally, these classes support class size reduction efforts.

School Year	# of Dual Enrollment Courses	# of Class Sections Available	# of Students Participating	Per Credit Cost	Savings to City of Miami Beach Families
Fall 2014	0	0	0		\$ -
Spring 2015	3	4	104	\$ 216.55	\$ 80,043.60
Fall 2015	2	4	123	\$ 216.55	\$ 94,666.95
Spring 2016	4	6	138	\$ 216.55	\$ 106,211.70
Fall 2016	4	6	125	\$ 218.53	\$ 96,948.75
Spring 2017	7	9	181	\$ 218.53	\$ 140,381.79
Fall 2017	7	12	217	\$ 218.53	\$ 168,303.03
Spring 2018	9	15	257	\$ 218.53	\$ 199,326.63
Fall 2018	9	16	413	\$ 257.87	\$ 369,060.93
Spring 2019	13	19	412	\$ 257.87	\$ 368,167.32
<b>Total</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>1,970</b>		<b>\$ 1,623,110.70</b>

Funding to support and expand the partnership in the 2018-19 school years includes an estimated City contribution of \$70,000 for instructor salaries and M-DCPS estimated contribution of \$99,000 for textbooks.

The dual enrollment program at Miami Beach Senior High School and Nautilus Middle School allows eligible students to enroll in a college course and high school class simultaneously. The credits the students earn are used towards both a high school diploma and are acceptable towards a college Associate or Bachelor degree, or technical certificate. The benefits of offering dual enrollment courses to high school and middle school students include:

- Saves students and parents money, as dual enrollment students are exempt from paying application, registration, tuition, laboratory, and special fees if the classes taken are being used toward high school graduation
  - Enriches the course opportunities for outstanding high school / middle school students
  - Shortens the time to attain a college degree
  - Provides students with college credit that is transferable to a college or university
  - Allows grades earned to become part of the students' permanent transcripts
- Dual enrollment course offerings include, but are not limited to, the following for the 2018-19 school years:
- Introduction to Sociology

- Social Problems
- Introduction to Entrepreneurship
- Teaching Diverse Populations
- Criminal Justice
- Music Appreciation and Literature
- Introduction to Hospitality
- Writing in Rhetoric I & II
- Student Life Skills
- French I & II
- Criminology
- Introduction to Business
- Approaches to Literature
- Strategies for Success
- Public Speaking
- Individuals and Society

We will continue to support our strategic outcome to achieve K-12 public school excellence through our Education Compact.

#### **KEY INTENDED OUTCOMES SUPPORTED**

Achieve Educational (K-12) Excellence

#### **Legislative Tracking**

Organizational Development and Performance Initiatives

#### **ATTACHMENTS:**

##### **Description**

- ▯ MDC Agreement Dual Enrollment
- ▯ Form Approved Resolution

## **AGREEMENT**

**THIS AGREEMENT** is made and entered into as of this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2019  
(the "Effective Date,"), by and between

**THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI DADE-COUNTY, FLORIDA**

(hereafter referred to as "M-DCPS")

a body corporate and political subdivision of the State of Florida,

whose principal place of business is

Office of Academics and Transformation

Division of Academics

1450 N.E. 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue

Miami, Florida 33132

and

**THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA**

(hereinafter referred to as "CMB")

a body corporate and political subdivision of the State of Florida,

whose principal place of business is

1700 Convention Center Drive, Miami Beach, FL 33139

**WHEREAS**, to promote educational opportunities through the dual enrollment program in Miami-Dade County, MDC and M-DCPS entered into the 2019-2020 Dual Enrollment Articulation Agreement (the "Articulation Agreement") in July 2019, which is attached as Exhibit A and incorporated herein by reference into this Agreement; and

**WHEREAS**, through this Agreement, in partnership with M-DCPS, CMB seeks to combine its resources with M-DCPS and MDC in order to increase the competitiveness of the students attending Miami Beach Senior High School by nurturing and supporting the dual enrollment programs at Miami Beach Senior High School (the "High School") and Nautilus Middle School (the "Middle School"); and

**WHEREAS**, this Agreement provides the guidelines for CMB to financially support the dual enrollment courses at the High School and the Middle School.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in consideration of the promises and of the mutual covenants contained herein, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Parties agree as follows:



## **ARTICLE 1 – RECITALS AND DEFINITIONS**

- 1.01 Recitals.** The Parties agree that the foregoing recitals are true and correct and that such recitals are incorporated herein by reference. The provisions of this Agreement are subject to the provisions of the Articulation Agreement.
- 1.02 K-8 Center.** Fienberg Fisher K-8 Center (the “K-8 Center”), a public school which matriculates students from kindergarten to 8<sup>th</sup> grade, located at 1420 Washington Avenue, Miami Beach, Florida 33139.
- 1.03 MDC Faculty.** A full-time or part-time member of the teaching faculty of MDC.
- 1.04 High School.** Miami Beach Senior High School (the “High School”), a secondary school located at 2231 Prairie Avenue, Miami Beach, Florida 33139.
- 1.05 Middle School.** Nautilus Middle School (the “Middle School”), a middle school located at 4301 North Michigan Avenue, Miami Beach, Florida 33140.
- 1.06 High School Teacher(s) and Middle School Teacher(s).** A Miami-Dade classroom teacher, as defined in Section 1012.01(2)(a), Florida Statutes, as may be amended, who is employed on a full-time basis at Miami Beach Senior High School or Nautilus Middle School.

## **ARTICLE 2 – SPECIAL CONDITIONS**

- 2.01 Term of Agreement.** The term of this Agreement shall begin on the Effective Date and end on June 30, 2020, unless this Agreement is terminated or the Articulation Agreement is terminated, whichever may occur first. This Agreement may be renewed for additional periods of time upon the mutual written consent of each Party to this Agreement and subject to such terms and conditions as the Parties shall determine in writing.

In support of the objectives of this Agreement to expand the opportunities of the students of the High School, Middle School, and K-8 Center by enhancing and expanding the existing dual enrollment program at the High School and the Middle School, as a condition to renewing this Agreement for an additional period, CMB may request that M-DCPS consider: 1) increasing the number of credentialed High School Teachers and Middle School Teachers; 2) increasing the number of dual enrollment courses offered at the High School and the Middle School; and/or 3) increasing the scope of course subjects being offered at the High School and the Middle School.

**2.02 Joint Responsibilities.** M-DCPS and CMB shall maintain responsibility for implementing the various components of this Agreement as delineated in this Agreement and the Articulation Agreement.

**2.03 MDC Courses offered on the High School and the Middle School Campuses.**

CMB will provide financial support to M-DCPS, as set forth below, for eligible students to engage in a rigorous curriculum at the High School and Middle School that integrates the core academics necessary to a four (4) year degree and also count toward a high school diploma. Priority registration will provided to 8<sup>th</sup> grade students attending the Middle School and K-8 Center for classes taught at the Middle School, and to 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> students attending the High School for classes taught at the High School. M-DCPS agrees to permit students enrolled at the High School, Middle School, and K-8 Center (or who otherwise qualify pursuant to Section 1007.271, Florida Statutes) who meet the eligibility requirements outlined in the Articulation Agreement, to dually enroll in MDC courses offered at the High School or Middle School, as applicable. The dual enrollment course offerings at the High School and Middle School shall be set forth in a Memorandum of Understanding ("School MOU") signed by their respective school principals and the MDC Campus President, as stipulated in the Articulation Agreement. An exception to the School MOU and this Agreement is that the Student Life Skills (SLS) course may not be offered on-site at the High School or Middle School due to the lower entry requirements. Additionally, only courses providing a minimum of three (3) credits per course will be funded by CMB. Additionally, no courses that require a pre-requisite class may be offered, only general Dual Enrollment classes with no pre-requisite class may be funded by the City.

M-DCPS agrees to permit eligible 8<sup>th</sup> grade students attending the Middle School and K-8 Center to attend dual enrollment courses at the Middle School.

A. **Marketing.** M-DCPS, and the CMB will work collaboratively to market the programs, provide staff development, transition students, evaluate courses, and assess overall results.

B. **Payment.** The fees for the dual enrollment classes will be allocated as follows:

1. M-DCPS shall reimburse MDC for the provision of dual enrollment courses at the High School and Middle School, at the rates and in the manner stipulated in the Articulation Agreement.
2. M-DCPS shall invoice CMB to reimburse it for the provision of dual enrollment courses at the High School and Middle School for students attending MDC's dual enrollment courses. The total amount of

reimbursements paid by CMB to M-DCPS under this Agreement ("CMB Contributions"), shall be paid within thirty (30) days from receipt of a detailed invoice from M-DCPS, setting forth the breakdown of the charges and the number of registered students for each course. CMB Contributions shall not exceed \$28,000.00, or the cost of six (6) three-credit courses, whichever is less, in each fiscal year (from October 1 – September 30). Funding for the CMB Contributions for the 2019-20 school year has been approved by CMB and incorporated into the CMB 2019-20 fiscal year budget. Thereafter, funding for the CMB Contributions shall be subject to budget appropriation and funding approval by the City Commission for each fiscal year.

3. M-DCPS shall provide a copy of the invoice for the courses taught at the High School and Middle School each semester/term to CMB, upon CMB's request.
4. Regardless of the amount of or the timing of payment of CMB Contributions, M-DCPS shall remain liable for reimbursing MDC for the provision of dual enrollment courses at the High School and Middle School, in accordance with the terms of this Agreement and in accordance with the Articulation Agreement in the event CMB funding is not sufficient or available.
5. CMB is not responsible for paying any costs or additional fees to MDC or M-DCPS for dual enrollment courses provided at the High School and Middle School by High School Teachers or Middle School Teachers, M-DCPS is responsible for material and supply costs in accordance with the Articulation Agreement.
6. It is anticipated that the cost for the student instructional material costs will be \$18,000 for Fall, 2019 and Spring, 2020, based upon 150 enrolled students in six (6) dual enrollment classes. Actual costs will be based on the actual cost for the classes and instructional materials.

**2.05 Policies and Procedures at the High School and Middle School.** Prior to commencing any class at the High School or Middle School, an adjunct instructor shall meet with the principal of the High School or Middle School, as applicable to discuss and acknowledge any site specific policies and procedures of the High School or Middle School, with which the adjunct instructor must comply including, without limitation, the Miami-Dade County public school attendance policies and procedures.

**2.06 Course Selection and Scheduling.** The High School or Middle School principal shall select the dual enrollment courses to be taught at the High School or Middle School, as



applicable, provided that the courses are selected from the dual enrollment courses identified in the Articulation Agreement, and the selected courses are do not require a prerequisite course. The High School is responsible for ensuring that the student placement variables are provided to Miami Dade College prior to scheduling the dual enrollment course. These variables include identifying qualified students and providing the adjunct instructor with the class schedule. The dual enrollment courses shall be accessible to all university/college eligible students and may not be restricted to students enrolled in a specific high school academy or program at the High School. The adjunct instructor shall strictly adhere to the 2019-2020 Miami-Dade County Public Schools calendar and schedule, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit B. The adjunct instructor shall provide instruction every available school day for the fall semester, from August 19, 2019 through January 16, 2020, and for the spring semester, from January 17, 2020 through June 3, 2020.

**2.07 Notice.** When any of the Parties desire to give notice to the other, such notice must be in writing, sent by U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, addressed to the representatives designated below by each Party (unless changed by written notice in compliance with the provisions of this paragraph):

**To M-DCPS:**

Alberto M. Carvalho  
Superintendent of Schools  
Miami-Dade County Public Schools  
1450 N.E. 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue, Suite 912  
Miami, Florida, 33131

**With a copy to:**

Ms. Lisette M. Alves  
Assistant Superintendent  
Office of Academics and Transformation  
Division of Academics  
Miami-Dade County Public Schools  
1501 N.E. 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue, Suite 327-K  
Miami, Florida, 33131

**And a copy to:**

Walter Harvey  
School Board Attorney  
Miami-Dade County Public Schools  
1450 N.E. 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue, Suite 430  
Miami, Florida, 33131

**To CMB:**

Jimmy Morales  
City Manager  
City of Miami Beach  
1700 Convention Center Drive  
Miami Beach, Florida 33139

**With a copy to:**

Dr. Leslie Rosenfeld  
Chief Learning Development Officer  
City of Miami Beach  
1700 Convention Center Drive  
Miami Beach, Florida 33139

**And a copy to:**

Raul Aguila  
City Attorney  
City of Miami Beach  
1700 Convention Center Drive-4<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Miami Beach, Florida 33139

### **ARTICLE 3 – GENERAL CONDITIONS**

**3.01 Independent Contractor.** The Parties to this Agreement shall at all times be acting in the capacity of independent contractors and not as an officer, employee or agent of one another. No Party, nor its respective agents, employees, subcontractors or assignees, shall represent to others that it has the authority to bind any other Party unless specifically authorized in writing to do so. No employee of one Party has the right to the retirement, leave benefits, or any other benefits that may exist for the employees of another Party as a result of the performance of any duties or responsibilities under this Agreement. No Party shall be responsible for social security, withholding taxes, contributions to unemployment compensation funds or insurance for any other Party or their respective officers, employees, agents, subcontractors or assignees.

**3.02 Default, Termination and Suspension.** If any Party defaults under the terms and conditions of this Agreement, and such default is not cured by such Party within thirty (30) days after receipt of written notice thereof, then the other Parties shall be entitled to pursue any and all remedies available at law or in equity. Any Party may terminate this Agreement upon thirty (30) days' prior written notice to the other Parties, for default.

Each Party reserves the right to terminate this Agreement at any time and for any reason, upon giving thirty (30) days' prior written notice to the other Parties.

1. If said Agreement should be terminated for convenience by M-DCPS as provide herein, M-DCPS shall only be required to pay MDC for the amount for services performed prior to termination of the Agreement and shall be relieved of all obligations under this Agreement. Accordingly, CMB shall only be required to pay M-DCPS for the amount of services performed, subject to the provisions of Section 2.03(B).
2. If said Agreement should be terminated for convenience by the CMB as provide herein, CMB shall be required to pay the M-DCPS for the dual enrollment three-credit courses taught through the end of the Spring 2019 semester, and CMB shall be relieved of all obligations under this Agreement once the semester courses have been completed and classes have concluded.

Upon receipt of a notice of termination, the nonterminating Parties shall cease incurring additional obligations under this Agreement. However, the terminating Party shall allow the nonterminating Parties to incur all necessary and proper costs which the nonterminating Party cannot reasonably avoid during the termination process.

**3.03 Annual Appropriation.** The performance and obligations of all Parties under this Agreement shall be contingent upon an annual budgetary appropriation by their respective governing bodies and, in the case of M-DCPS, the allocation of funds for schools and state colleges by the State of Florida. If any Party's annual budgetary appropriation or allocation of funds to fulfill its obligations pursuant to this Agreement is insufficient, this Agreement may be terminated by that Party at the end of the period for which funds have been appropriated or allocated. That Party shall notify the other Parties at the earliest possible time before such termination.

**3.04 Excess Funds.** If M-DCPS determines that pursuant to this Agreement it erroneously received or was overpaid funds from M-DCPS or CMB, respectively, then the recipient of such funds agrees to promptly notify M-DPCS or CMB, respectively, upon the discovery of such erroneous payment or overpayment. Any such excess funds shall be refunded to M-DCPS or CMB, as applicable.

**3.05 Public Records.** Pursuant to Section 119.0701, Florida Statutes, any Party contracting with M-DCPS, MDC, or CMB is required to: (a) keep and maintain available for public inspection any records that pertain to services rendered under this Agreement for a period of five (5) years; (b) provide such public records and at a cost in accordance with Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, or as otherwise provided by law; (c) ensure that public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements are not disclosed except as authorized by law; and (d) meet all requirements for retaining public records, transfer records, at no cost, to M-DCPS, or CMB, as applicable, and destroy any duplicate public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements in accordance with State of Florida records retention law and regulations. Each



Party shall be responsible for compliance with any public records request served upon it pursuant to Section 119.07, Florida Statutes, and any resultant award of attorney's fees for non-compliance with that law. Each Party acknowledges that this Agreement, and all attachments thereto, are public records and do not constitute trade secrets.

IF MDCP-S OR CMB HAVE QUESTIONS REGARDING THE APPLICATION OF CHAPTER 119, FLORIDA STATUTES, TO THE PROVIDER'S DUTY TO PROVIDE PUBLIC RECORDS RELATING TO THIS CONTRACT, CONTACT THE M-DCPS CUSTODIAN OF PUBLIC RECORDS AT: 305-995-1128, prr@dadeschools.net, and 1450 N.E. 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue, Miami, Florida 33132; OR THE CMB CUSTODIAN OF PUBLIC RECORDS AT:

CITY OF MIAMI BEACH  
ATTENTION: CITY CLERK  
1700 CONVENTION CENTER DRIVE  
MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, 33139  
E-MAIL: RAFAELGRANADO@MIAMIBEACHFL.GOV  
PHONE: 305-673-7411

**3.06 Student Records.** It is the Parties understanding that CMB shall not have access to student records. However, if CMB does have access to student records, it shall agree to comply with all applicable federal and state laws and regulations and M-DCPS policies and procedures regarding the confidentiality, maintenance and disclosure of such records.

M-DCPS agree to follow the terms and conditions for this provision already in place for the Articulation Agreement.

**3.07 Indemnification.** Each Party agrees to be fully responsible for its acts of negligence or its employees' acts of negligence when acting within the scope of their employment and agrees to be liable for any damages resulting from said negligence. This section shall survive the termination of all performance or obligations under this Agreement and shall be fully binding until such time as any proceeding brought on account of this Agreement is barred by any applicable statute of limitations. Notwithstanding the foregoing, each Parties' indemnification herein is subject to applicable laws, including, but not limited to, Section 768.28, Florida Statutes, as may be amended, and the limitations, restrictions, and defenses therein.

Nothing contained herein shall constitute a waiver of sovereign immunity by any of the Parties to this Agreement as it may be applicable or of any rights or limits to liability existing

under Section 768.28, Florida Statutes. This section shall survive the termination of all performance or obligations under this Agreement and shall be fully binding until such time as any proceeding brought on account of this Agreement is barred by any applicable statute of limitations.

**3.08 Place of Performance.** Students enrolled pursuant to this Agreement will attend classes at the High School or Middle School, as appropriate.

**3.09 Governing Law and Venue.** Each Party shall comply with all applicable federal and state laws, codes, rules and regulations in performing its duties, responsibilities and obligations pursuant to this Agreement. This Agreement shall be construed in accordance with the Laws of the State of Florida. The venue for any dispute with respect to this Agreement shall be in Miami-Dade County, Florida. M-DCPS, and CMB shall be responsible for their respective attorney's fees and costs incurred as a result of any action or proceeding under this Agreement.

**3.10 Entirety of Agreement.** This Agreement incorporates and includes all prior negotiations, correspondence, conversations, agreements and understandings applicable to the matters contained herein and the Parties agree that there are no commitments, agreements or understandings concerning the subject matter of this Agreement that are not contained in this Agreement. Accordingly, the Parties agree that no deviation from the terms hereof shall be predicated upon any prior representations or agreements, whether oral or written.

**3.11 Binding Effect.** The terms, conditions, and covenants of this Agreement shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon M-DCPS and CMB hereto and their successors and assigns.

**3.12 Assignment.** Neither M-DCPS nor CMB shall assign, sublet, pledge, surrender, transfer, or otherwise encumber or dispose of this Agreement, or any interest it may have hereunder, without prior written consent of the other parties to this Agreement, which consent may be withheld by M-DCPS or CMB, respectively, in their sole discretion.

**3.13 Incorporation by Reference.** Appendix A, attached hereto and referenced herein, shall be deemed to be incorporated into this Agreement by reference.

**3.14 Captions.** The titles or headings of sections in this Agreement are for convenience of reference only and shall not affect the construction of any provision of this Agreement.

**3.15 Severability.** Should any provision or part of any provision of this Agreement be found to be illegal, invalid, legally unenforceable, and/or against public policy, such that the material provisions of this Agreement (e.g. the provision of dual enrollment courses at the High School or Middle School or the payment for the dual enrollment courses), are not affected



thereby, such enforceability shall not prevent enforcement of the remaining provisions or parts of the Agreement. If any material provision of this Agreement is found to be illegal, invalid, legally unenforceable or against public policy, then the entire Agreement is voidable at the option of any Party.

**3.16 Preparation of Agreement.** The Parties acknowledge that they have sought and obtained whatever competent advice and counsel as was necessary for them to form a full and complete understanding of all rights and obligations herein and that the preparation of this Agreement has been their joint effort. The language agreed to herein expresses their mutual intent and this resulting Agreement shall not, solely as a matter of judicial construction, be construed more severely against one of the Parties than the other.

**3.17 Amendments.** No modification, amendment, or alteration in the terms or conditions contained herein shall be effective unless contained in a written document prepared with the same formality as this Agreement and executed by each Party hereto. The City Manager of the City of Miami Beach, Florida, on behalf of CMB, shall be authorized to execute any amendment or extension of this Agreement. The Superintendent of Schools or his Designee of the School Board of Miami-Dade County, on behalf of M-DCPS, shall be authorized to execute any amendment or extension of this Agreement.

**3.18 Waiver.** There shall be no waiver of the right of any Party to demand performance of any of the provisions, terms and covenants of this Agreement nor shall there be a waiver of any breach, default or nonperformance hereof by any Party, unless such waiver is explicitly made in writing by the such Party.

**3.19 Force Majeure.** No fault, delay, or failure to perform on the part of any Party to this Agreement shall be considered a default, delay or failure to perform, if such a default, delay or failure to perform is due to causes beyond the Party's reasonable control (e.g., hurricane and other acts of God, war, terrorist attacks). In the event of such default, delay, or failure to perform, the performance of the provisions contained herein will be extended upon mutual agreement of all Parties.

**3.20 Survival.** All representations and warranties made herein, regarding indemnification obligations, obligations to reimburse M-DCPS or CMB, obligations to maintain and allow inspection and audit of records and property, obligations to maintain the confidentiality of records, reporting requirements and obligations to return public funds shall survive the termination of this Agreement.

**3.21 Conflict.** If there is a conflict between the provisions of the Articulation Agreement and this Agreement, the provisions of the Articulation Agreement shall control. This



Agreement may be modified by the Parties to comply with any applicable statutory requirement of the State of Florida or the State of Florida Department of Education, as may be applicable.

**3.22 Authority.** Each person signing this Agreement on behalf of each Party individually warrants that he or she has full legal power to execute this Agreement on behalf of the Party for whom he or she is signing and to bind and obligate such Party with respect to all provisions contained in this Agreement.

The Parties hereto have made and executed this Agreement on the date last signed below.

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**FOR THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY:**

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE  
COUNTY, MIAMI, FLORIDA:

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Alberto M. Carvalho  
Superintendent of Schools or his Designee

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

ATTEST:

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Marie Izquierdo  
Chief Academic Officer  
Office of Academics and Transformation

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Iraida Mendez-Cartaya  
Associate Superintendent  
Office of Intergovernmental Affairs,  
Grants Administration, and  
Community Engagement

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Approved as to Form and Legal Sufficiency:

\_\_\_\_\_  
School Board Attorney

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**FOR THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH:**

THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH:

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Jimmy L. Morales, City Manager

ATTEST:

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Rafael E. Granado, City Clerk

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

APPROVED AS TO  
FORM & LANGUAGE  
& FOR EXECUTION

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
City Attorney

8/5/19  
Date



**Exhibit A**

**2019-2020 Dual Enrollment Articulation Agreement  
(the "Articulation Agreement")**

**RESOLUTION NO. 2021-31572**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 2019-30958, WHICH APPROVED AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY AND MIAMI-DADE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD FOR THE CITY TO FUND DUAL ENROLLMENT COURSES, THROUGH MIAMI DADE COLLEGE, AT MIAMI BEACH NAUTILUS MIDDLE SCHOOL AND MIAMI BEACH SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL; SAID AMENDMENT ADDING FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY AS AN ADDITIONAL PROVIDER OF DUAL ENROLLMENT COURSES.**

**WHEREAS**, the Education Compact with Miami-Dade County Public Schools ("M-DCPS"), established on January 16, 2008 ("Education Compact"), includes the outcome to increase academic support and achievement; and

**WHEREAS**, dual enrollment is a program that allows eligible high school and middle school students currently attending accredited Miami-Dade County public schools, private high schools, or home schools, to enroll in a college course while attending high school or middle school; and

**WHEREAS**, the credits that students earn in the dual enrollment program must be applicable toward a high school diploma and postsecondary educational title, such as the college associate, a baccalaureate degree, or a technical certificate; and

**WHEREAS**, students in 8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, and 10<sup>th</sup> grades that are enrolled in M-DCPS are eligible to participate in dual enrollment programs and must meet specific criteria; and

**WHEREAS**, due to state funding changes for dual enrollment courses, that occurred in July, 2013, M-DCPS is responsible for reimbursing colleges for instructor and administrative fees; therefore, limiting the number of courses offered due to available funding and credentialing limitations of instructional school staff; and

**WHEREAS**, Miami Dade College ("MDC") currently offers a dual enrollment courses in approximately 34 out of 53 high schools and two (2) middle schools across Miami -Dade County; and

**WHEREAS**, on March 5, 2014, the Mayor and City Commission adopted Resolution No. 2014-28525, establishing the Key Intended Outcome (KIO) in the City's Strategic Plan to "Induce Public School Accountability Mainly at Middle School" and to "Achieve Educational K-12 Excellence"; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Miami Beach has supported dual enrollment at Miami Beach Senior High School ("High School") since Spring, 2015 for 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> graders through Florida International University; and

**WHEREAS**, the graduation rate at the High School in 2016 was 82.5%, a 16.2% increase from 2011; and

**WHEREAS**, prior to the City providing this enhancement, dual enrollment was not offered by the High School or offered sporadically; and

**WHEREAS**, dual enrollment courses save students and parents money, as dual enrollment students are exempt from paying application, registration, tuition, laboratory, and special fees if the classes taken are being used toward high school graduation; and

**WHEREAS**, since the implementation of the program, in Spring 2015, there was a financial savings, in the amount of \$440,907.39 (based on 2016-2017 Florida State tuition rates), to Miami Beach families for those children choosing to enroll in dual enrollment courses; and

**WHEREAS**, on August 26, 2016, the Mayor and City Commission adopted Resolution No. 2016-29537, accepting the recommendations of the Finance and Citywide Projects Committee and the Neighborhoods/Community Affairs Committee, and authorizing the City to execute an agreement with Miami Dade College and M-DCPS, to provide dual enrollment courses taught at the High School, for 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> grade students attending the High School, and at the Middle School, for 8<sup>th</sup> grade students attending the Middle School and Fienberg Fisher K-8 Center during the 2016-2017 school year; and

**WHEREAS**, on January 4, 2017, the City, M-DCPS, and Miami Dade College executed an agreement to provide these dual enrollment courses, providing for a total City contribution of \$13,000 in fiscal year 2016-2017; and

**WHEREAS**, on December 10, 2018, the City and M-DCPS executed another Agreement to provide these dual enrollment courses, providing for a total City contribution of \$28,000 in fiscal year 2018-2019; and

**WHEREAS**, on June 5, 2019, the Miami Dade County Public School Board adopted a resolution relating to Item D-67, renaming Biscayne Elementary School to Biscayne Beach Elementary School; South Pointe Elementary to Miami Beach South Pointe Elementary; Nautilus Middle School to Miami Beach Nautilus Middle School; and Fienberg Fisher K-8 Center to Miami Beach Fienberg Fisher K-8; and

**WHEREAS**, on September 11, 2019, the Mayor and City Commission adopted Resolution No. 2019-30958, approving an agreement between the City of Miami Beach and Miami-Dade County School Board to provide dual enrollment courses for the 2019-2020 School Year, through MDC, for college credit for 8<sup>th</sup> grade students attending the Middle School, Miami Beach Fienberg Fisher K-8 center, and for 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> grade students attending the High School, in an amount not to exceed \$28,000 ("City's Contribution"); and approving the funding of the City's Contribution for the 2019-2020 School Year from the City's 2018-2019 FY budget; and approving the City's Contribution to the program for each subsequent school year, subject to funding approval during the City's budgetary process and provided that the City's contribution amount does not exceed \$28,000; and further authorizing the City Manager and City Clerk to execute any and all required agreements and documents to implement the program; and

**WHEREAS**, on November 8, 2019, the City and M-DCPS executed an agreement ("Agreement") setting forth the guidelines for the City to support the dual enrollment courses offered at the High School and the Middle School; and

**WHEREAS**, the City and M-DCPS executed Amendment No. 1 to the Agreement, extending the program for the Fall 2020 and Spring 2021 semesters; and



**WHEREAS**, Miami Dade College has not been able to accommodate the recent increased demand for dual enrollment classes; and

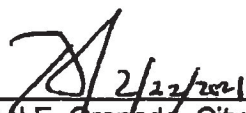
**WHEREAS**, the Administration recommends authorizing the City Manager to execute Amendment No. 2 to the Agreement, to include Florida International University (FIU) as an additional provider of dual enrollment courses, so that the City, through its partnership with M-DCPS, may maximize the amount of dual enrollment courses that may be offered at the High School and the Middle School, based upon the approved City Contribution.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT DULY RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA** that the Mayor and City Commission hereby amend Resolution No. 2019-30958, which approved an agreement between the City and Miami-Dade County School Board for the City to fund dual enrollment courses, through Miami Dade College, at Miami Beach Nautilus Middle School and Miami Beach Senior High School; said amendment adding Florida International University as an additional provider of dual enrollment courses.

**PASSED and ADOPTED** this 10 day of February, 2020.

**ATTEST:**

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Dan Gelber, Mayor

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Rafael E. Granado, City Clerk



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\_\_\_\_\_  
City Attorney

1-21-21  
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Date

# MIAMI BEACH

## **COMMISSION MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Commission  
**FROM:** Raul J. Aguila, Interim City Manager  
**DATE:** February 10, 2021

**SUBJECT:** A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 2019-30958, WHICH APPROVED AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY AND MIAMI-DADE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD FOR THE CITY TO FUND DUAL ENROLLMENT COURSES, THROUGH MIAMI-DADE COLLEGE, AT MIAMI BEACH NAUTILUS MIDDLE SCHOOL AND MIAMI BEACH SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL; SAID AMENDMENT ADDING FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY AS AN ADDITIONAL PROVIDER OF DUAL ENROLLMENT COURSES.

### **RECOMMENDATION**

The Administration recommends authorizing the City Manager to negotiate and execute Amendment No. 2 to the Agreement, including Florida International University (FIU) as an additional provider in the program so that the City, through its partnership with M-DCPS, may maximize the amount of dual enrollment courses that may be offered at the High School and the Middle School, based upon the approved City Contribution.

### **BACKGROUND/HISTORY**

The Education Compact with Miami-Dade County Public Schools ("M-DCPS"), established on January 16, 2008 ("Education Compact"), includes the outcome to increase academic support and achievement. The Education Compact reflects the desire of the Miami Beach community to support excellence in the City's public schools to improve educational opportunities for youth.

In order to increase academic support and achievement, the Education Compact seeks to identify and pursue the implementation of best practices strategies to increase the graduation rate at MBSHS. Dual enrollment is a program that allows eligible high school and middle school students currently attending accredited Miami-Dade County public schools, private high schools, or home schools, to enroll in a college course while attending high school or middle school. The credits that students earn in the dual enrollment program must be applicable toward a high school diploma and postsecondary educational title, such as the college associate, a baccalaureate degree, or a technical certificate. Students in 8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, and 10<sup>th</sup> grades that are enrolled in M-DCPS are eligible to participate in dual enrollment programs and must meet specific criteria.



Due to state funding changes for dual enrollment courses in July 2013, M-DCPS is responsible for reimbursing colleges for instructor and administrative fees; therefore, limiting the number of courses offered due to available funding and credentialing limitations of instructional school staff. Miami Dade College ("MDC") currently offers a dual enrollment courses in approximately 34 out of 53 high schools and three (3) middle schools across Miami -Dade County.

The City of Miami Beach has supported dual enrollment at Miami Beach Senior High School since Spring 2015 for 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> graders through Florida International University and prior to the City providing this enhancement, dual enrollment was not offered by the high school or offered sporadically. Dual enrollment courses save students and parents money, as dual enrollment students are exempt from paying application, registration, tuition, laboratory, and special fees if the classes taken are being used toward high school graduation. At the July 6, 2016 Finance and Citywide Projects Committee ("FCWPC") meeting, the committee recommended accepting the enhancement request of \$13,000 to expand dual enrollment options at Nautilus Middle School and Miami Beach Senior High School, through a partnership between the City, Miami Dade College, and Miami-Dade County Public Schools. At the July 13, 2016 City Commission meeting, a discussion relating to the expansion of dual enrollment options at Nautilus Middle School and Miami Beach Senior High School, was referred to the Neighborhoods/Community Affairs Committee ("NCAC"). The NCAC unanimously recommended the enhancement in the City's 2016-2017 fiscal budget and the FCWPC unanimously recommended expanding the dual enrollment program.

On August 26, 2016, the Mayor and City Commission adopted Resolution Number No. 2016-29537, accepting the recommendations of the FCWPC and the NCAC, and authorizing the City to execute an agreement with Miami Dade College and M-DCPS, to provide dual enrollment courses taught at Miami Beach Senior High School (the "High School"), for 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> grade students attending the High School, and at Nautilus Middle School (the "Middle School"), for 8<sup>th</sup> grade students attending the Middle School and Fienberg Fisher K-8 Center during the 2016-2017 school year. The City, M-DCPS, and Miami Dade College executed an agreement to provide these dual enrollment courses, providing for a total City contribution of \$13,000 in fiscal year 2016-2017. On December 10, 2018, the City and M-DCPS executed another Agreement to provide these dual enrollment courses, providing for a total City contribution of \$28,000 in fiscal year 2018-2019.

On September 11, 2019, the Mayor and City Commission adopted Resolution No. 2019-30958, approving an agreement between the City of Miami Beach and Miami-Dade County School Board to provide dual enrollment courses for the 2019-2020 School Year, through MDC, for college credit for eighth grade students attending Miami Beach Nautilus Middle School, Miami Beach Fienberg Fisher K-8 center, and for 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> grade students attending Miami Beach Senior High School, in an amount not to exceed \$28,000 ("City's Contribution"); and approving the funding of the City's Contribution for the 2019-2020 School Year from the City's 2018-2019 FY budget; and approving the City's Contribution to the program for each subsequent school year, subject to funding approval during the City's budgetary process and provided that the City's contribution amount does not exceed \$28,000. On November 8, 2019, the City and M-DCPS executed an agreement setting forth the guidelines for the City to support the dual enrollment courses at the High School and the Middle School. The City and M-DCPS executed Amendment No. 1 to the Agreement,



extending the program for the Fall 2020 and Spring 2021 semesters.

Miami-Dade College has not been able to accommodate the recent increased demand for dual enrollment classes.

The Administration recommends authorizing the City Manager to negotiate and execute Amendment No. 2 to the Agreement, including Florida International University (FIU) as an additional provider in the program so that the City, through its partnership with M-DCPS, may maximize the amount of dual enrollment courses that may be offered at the High School and the Middle School, based upon the approved City Contribution.

#### **SUPPORTING SURVEY DATA**

Community survey data reflects the interest of the community in achieving educational excellence and expanding opportunities for our Miami Beach youth.

#### **Applicable Area**

Not Applicable

**Is this a "Residents Right to Know" item, pursuant to City Code Section 2-14?**

No

**Does this item utilize G.O. Bond Funds?**

No

#### **Strategic Connection**

Prosperity - Be known for (K-12) educational excellence.

#### **Legislative Tracking**

Organizational Development Performance Initiatives

#### **ATTACHMENTS:**

##### **Description**

- Resolution

**RESOLUTION NO. 2022-32099**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA AND MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS, TO PROVIDE DUAL ENROLLMENT COURSES FOR COLLEGE CREDIT FOR STUDENTS AT MIAMI BEACH SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL, FOR THE 2022-2023 SCHOOL YEAR, IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$13,432; AND FURTHER AUTHORIZING THE CITY TO EXECUTE AGREEMENTS FOR FUTURE SCHOOL YEARS WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA AND MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS, SUBJECT TO ANNUAL BUDGET APPROVAL BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY'S CONTRIBUTION FOR EACH SUBSEQUENT SCHOOL YEAR.**

**WHEREAS**, the Education Compact ("Education Compact") with Miami-Dade County Public Schools (M-DCPS), established on January 16, 2008, includes the outcome to increase academic support and achievement; and

**WHEREAS**, the Education Compact reflects the desire of the Miami Beach community to support excellence in the City's public schools to improve educational opportunities for youth; and

**WHEREAS**, the graduation rate at Miami Beach Senior High School was 94% in 2021, which is a 16.9% increase from 2015, and 3.9% above the overall M-DCPS graduation rate of 90.1% in 2021; and

**WHEREAS**, M-DCPS climate survey data for the 2018-19 school year reflects 78% of parents agree or strongly agree that children are receiving a good education at Miami Beach Senior High School, a 3.7% decrease when compared to the 2010-11 school year; and 56% of students agree or strongly agree that they are receiving a good education, a 21.7% increase from the 2010-11 school year; and

**WHEREAS**, an activity included in the Education Compact to increase academic support and achievement is to identify and pursue the implementation of best practices strategies to increase the graduation rate at Miami Beach Senior High School (MBSH); and

**WHEREAS**, dual enrollment programs enrich the course opportunities for outstanding high school students and save students and parents money; and

**WHEREAS**, Dual Enrollment is a program that allows eligible high school students currently attending accredited Miami-Dade County public or private high schools, or home schools, to enroll in a college course and high school course simultaneously; and

**WHEREAS**, the credits that students earn may be used toward a high school diploma and are also acceptable toward a college Associate or Baccalaureate degree, or Technical Certificate; and

**WHEREAS**, students in the 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, or 12<sup>th</sup> grades that are enrolled in M-DCPS are eligible to participate in the Dual Enrollment programs and must meet specific criteria; and

**WHEREAS**, the University of Florida (UF), a public university of the State of Florida, currently offers dual enrollment courses across the State of Florida and zero courses in any of the 65 Miami-Dade County Public High Schools in Miami-Dade County; and

**WHEREAS**, due to state funding changes for dual enrollment courses in July 2013, individual high schools are responsible for reimbursing colleges for instructor and administrative fees; as such, the number of courses offered is limited due to available funding, along with credentialing limitations of instructional school staff; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Miami Beach proposes to enter into an agreement with UF to allow for the credentialing of eligible teachers, City staff, as well as qualified residents, to increase the number of dual enrollment courses available at Miami Beach Senior High School for upcoming school years; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Miami Beach partnership with UF would provide for the City to fund the instructor cost of approximately \$6,716. per course per semester only for eligible and credentialed teachers, City Staff and Miami Beach residents not to exceed two (2) Dual Enrollment courses in the 2022-23 school year, with the expectation of increasing the number of Dual Enrollment courses offered each subsequent school year; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Manager recommends authorizing the City to enter into an agreement with the University of Florida and Miami-Dade County Public Schools, for the 2022-2023 school year to provide Dual Enrollment courses for college credit for students at Miami Beach Senior High School; and further authorizing the City to execute agreements for future school years with the University of Florida and/or Miami-Dade County Public Schools, subject to budget approval by the City Commission, during the City's annual budgetary process, of the City's contribution for each subsequent school year.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT DULY RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA** that the Mayor and City Commission hereby authorize the City Manager to execute an Agreement with the University of Florida and Miami-Dade County Public Schools to provide Dual Enrollment courses for college credit for students at Miami Beach Senior High School; and further authorize the City to execute agreements for future school years with the University of Florida and Miami-Dade County Public Schools, subject to annual budget approval by the City Commission of the City's contribution for each subsequent school year.

**PASSED and ADOPTED** this 6 day of April, 2022.

ATTEST:



Dan Gelber, Mayor



Rafael Granado, City Clerk

APR 12 2022



APPROVED AS TO  
FORM & LANGUAGE  
& FOR EXECUTION



City Attorney

3-21-22  
Date



# MIAMI BEACH

## **COMMISSION MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Commission  
**FROM:** Alina T. Hudak, City Manager  
**DATE:** April 6, 2022

**SUBJECT: A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA AND MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS, TO PROVIDE DUAL ENROLLMENT COURSES FOR COLLEGE CREDIT FOR STUDENTS AT MIAMI BEACH SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL, FOR THE 2022-2023 SCHOOL YEAR, IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$13,432; AND FURTHER AUTHORIZING THE CITY TO EXECUTE AGREEMENTS FOR FUTURE SCHOOL YEARS WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA AND MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS, SUBJECT TO ANNUAL BUDGET APPROVAL BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY'S CONTRIBUTION FOR EACH SUBSEQUENT SCHOOL YEAR.**

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### **RECOMMENDATION**

Administration recommends accepting this resolution and expanding dual enrollment offerings at Miami Beach Senior High School to include University of Florida as a partner provider.

### **BACKGROUND/HISTORY**

The Education Compact ("Education Compact") with Miami-Dade County Public Schools (M-DCPS), was established on January 16, 2008, and includes the outcome to increase academic support and achievement. At the January 31, 2014 Commission Retreat, the City's Key Intended Outcomes to Achieve PreK-12 Educational Excellence was prioritized in the Strategic Plan and continues to be a priority as reflected in the current Strategic Plan.

The graduation rate at Miami Beach Senior High School was 94% in 2021, a 16.9% increase from 2015, is 3.9% above the overall M-DCPS graduation rate of 90.1% in 2021. M-DCPS climate survey data for the 2018-19 school year reflects 78% of parents agree or strongly agree that children are receiving a good education at Miami Beach Senior High School, a 3.7% decrease when compared to the 2010-11 school year, and 56% of students agree or strongly agree that they are receiving a good education, a 21.7% increase from the 2010-11 school year.

An activity included in the Education Compact to increase academic support and achievement is to identify and pursue the implementation of best practice strategies to increase the graduation rate at Miami Beach Senior High School (MBSH). Dual Enrollment programs enrich the course

opportunities for outstanding high school students and saves students and parents money. Dual Enrollment is a program that allows eligible high school students currently attending accredited Miami-Dade County public or private high schools, or home schools, to enroll in a college course and high school course simultaneously. The credits that students earn must be used toward both a high school diploma and are acceptable towards a college Associate or Baccalaureate degree, or Technical Certificate. Students in the 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, or 12<sup>th</sup> grades that are enrolled in M-DCPS are eligible to participate in the Dual Enrollment programs and must meet specific criteria.

The city has partnered with Florida International University and Miami-Dade College since 2004 to increase the number of dual enrollment courses at Miami Beach Senior High School and Miami Beach Nautilus Middle School. As of 2020-21 school year, the number of classes offered at Miami Beach public schools was 170 impacting 3,766 Miami Beach youth, for an estimated savings to families of \$2,771,539.26 since program inception and an estimated cost to the City of \$90,000 annually.

## **ANALYSIS**

The University of Florida (UF) currently offers dual enrollment courses across the State of Florida and no courses in any of the 65 Miami-Dade County Public High Schools in Miami-Dade County. Due to state funding changes for dual enrollment courses in July 2013, individual high schools are responsible for reimbursing colleges for instructor and administrative fees. As such, the number of courses offered is limited due to available funding, along with credentialing limitations of instructional school staff.

To support our efforts to increase educational opportunities for Miami Beach youth and to increase our city's attraction to families as a place to live and raise a family, we propose a Memoranda of Understanding with UF to increase dual enrollment options for Miami Beach youth which will make the City of Miami Beach the only City offering dual enrollment through University of Florida at a Miami-Dade County public high school in Miami-Dade County Public Schools. The partnership with UF would provide for the City to fund the instructor cost of approximately \$6,716. per course per semester not to exceed two (2) Dual Enrollment courses in the 2022-23 school year, with the expectation to increase the number of Dual Enrollment courses offered each subsequent school year.

Below is a listing of the dual enrollment courses the City anticipates to offer and fund for the 2022-2023 school year at both Miami Beach Senior High School and Miami Beach Nautilus Middle School at an estimated cost of \$68,506. The City's budget for dual enrollment is currently \$90,000 per school year, which will allow for additional courses to be added beyond those listed below:

<b>Course</b>	<b>Subject</b>	<b>Institution/Professor</b>	<b>Cost</b>
SLS 1510	Strategies for Success	FIU (M-DCPS credentialed teacher)	\$1,700.00
GEB 2011	Introduction to Business	FIU (M-DCPS)	\$1,700.00
ENT 1000	Entrepreneurship	FIU (M-DCPS)	\$1,700.00
ENC1101	Writing and Rhetoric 1	FIU (Facilitated Online)	\$4,000.00

ENC1102	Writing and Rhetoric 2	FIU (Facilitated Online)	\$4,000.00
CCJ 2010	Criminology	FIU (Facilitated Online)	\$4,000.00
CCJ 2020	Criminal Justice	FIU (Facilitated Online)	\$4,000.00
SYG 2000	Sociology	FIU (Facilitated Online)	\$4,000.00
SYG 2010	Social Problems	FIU (Facilitated Online)	\$4,000.00
MAC 1105	College Algebra	MDC Instructor	\$4,334.00
CTE 1050	Fashion Design	MDC Instructor	\$4,334.00
ENC 1101	English Composition 1	MDC Online	\$4,319.00
ENC 1102	English Composition 2	MDC Online	\$4,319.00
CLP 1006	Psychology of Pers Eff	MDC Professor (Nautilus MS)	\$4,334.00
ISS 1161	Individual in Society	MDC Instructor (Nautilus MS)	\$4,334.00
ARC 1720	Architectural History	UF Blended	\$6,716.00
ARC 1000	Architecture & Humanity	UF Blended	\$6,716.00

#### **SUPPORTING SURVEY DATA**

54% of Miami Beach residents with children in public schools satisfied or very satisfied with public schools in Miami Beach

#### **FINANCIAL INFORMATION**

FY23 Funding available of \$13,432 within existing dual enrollment funds of \$90,000 per anticipated class offerings through Florida International University and Miami-Dade College

#### **Applicable Area**

Not Applicable

**Is this a "Residents Right to Know" item, pursuant to City Code Section 2-14?**

Yes, No

**Does this item utilize G.O. Bond Funds?**

No

#### **Strategic Connection**

Prosperity - Be known for (K-12) educational excellence.

#### **Legislative Tracking**

Organizational Development Performance Initiatives

#### **ATTACHMENTS:**

##### **Description**

- ☐ LTC 2021-22 DE Offerings
- ☐ Resolution



## MIAMI BEACH

OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER

NO. LTC # 011-2021

## LETTER TO COMMISSION

To: Mayor Dan Gelber and Members of the City Commission

From: Raul J. Aguila, Interim City Manager

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Raul J. Aguila

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Date: January 11, 2021

Subject: City of Miami Beach Dual Enrollment Program Status Miami Beach Senior High School and Miami Beach Nautilus Middle School

The purpose of this Letter to Commission is to provide information on the status of our partnership with Miami-Dade County Public Schools (MDCPS), Florida International University, and Miami-Dade College to increase dual enrollment courses at Miami Beach Senior High School and Miami Beach Nautilus Middle School.

The interest and success of students at our Miami Beach high school and middle school in dual enrollment classes has resulted in a **310 percent increase** in the number of classes from the 2015-16 to 2020-21 school years. The chart below provides information on the number of course and class sections available to students following the implementation of the partnership in Fall 2014, as well as the financial **savings to Miami Beach families** for those children choosing to enroll in dual enrollment classes offered at Miami Beach public schools funded by the city in a total amount since program inception of **\$2,771,539.00**. Additionally, these classes support class size reduction efforts.

School Year	# of Dual Enrollment Courses	# of Class Sections Available	# of Students Participating	Per Credit Cost (based on FIU credit per cost)	Savings to City of Miami Beach Families
Fall 2014	0	0	0		\$0
Spring 2015	3	4	104	\$203.59	\$76,000.08
Fall 2015	2	4	123	\$203.59	\$89,884.71
Spring 2016	4	6	138	\$203.59	\$100,846.26
Fall 2016	4	8	125	\$203.59	\$91,346.25
Spring 2017	7	9	181	\$205.57	\$133,344.51
Fall 2017	7	12	217	\$205.57	\$159,866.07
Spring 2018	9	15	257	\$205.57	\$189,334.47
Fall 2018	9	16	413	\$205.57	\$304,261.23
Spring 2019	13	19	412	\$205.57	\$303,524.52
Fall 2019	10	18	364	\$205.57	\$268,162.44
Spring 2020	8	20	408	\$205.57	\$300,577.68
Fall 2020	7	22	552	\$205.57	\$406,663.92
Spring 2021	7	19	472	\$205.57	\$347,727.12
Total	90	170	3,766		\$2,771,539.26

Funding to support and expand the partnership in the 2020-21 school years includes an estimated City contribution of \$90,000 for instructor salaries and M-DCPS estimated contribution of \$122,880 for textbooks.


The dual enrollment program at Miami Beach Senior High School and Miami Beach Nautilus Middle School allows eligible students to enroll in a college course and high school class simultaneously. The credits the students earn are used towards both a high school diploma and are acceptable towards a college Associate or Bachelor degree, or technical certificate. The benefits of offering dual enrollment courses to high school and middle school students include:

- Saves students and parents money, as dual enrollment students are exempt from paying application, registration, tuition, laboratory, and special fees if the classes taken are being used toward high school graduation
- Enriches the course opportunities for outstanding high school / middle school students
- Shortens the time to attain a college degree
- Provides students with college credit that is transferable to a college or university
- Allows grades earned to become part of the students' permanent transcripts

Dual enrollment course offerings include, but are not limited to, the following for the 2020-21 school years:

- Criminology
- French I
- French II
- Fundamentals of Argumentation and Debate
- Individual in Society
- Introduction to Education
- Introduction to Entrepreneurship
- Introduction to Business
- Introduction of Sociology
- Public Speaking
- Psychology of Personal Effectiveness
- Social Problems
- Strategies for Success
- Writing in Rhetoric I
- Writing in Rhetoric II
- Teaching Diverse Population

We will continue to support our vision of being a prosperous city with a special flavor of arts, culture, education, and business with management objectives of being known for (K-12) educational excellence. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Dr. Leslie Rosenfeld.

  
MT/LDR





Funding to support and expand the partnership in the 2023-2024 school year includes an estimated City contribution of \$104,000 for instructor salaries and MDCPS estimated contribution of \$28,560 for textbooks. This partnership also supports class size reduction.

The dual enrollment program at MBSH and MBNM allows eligible students to enroll in a college course and high school class simultaneously. The credits students earn are used towards both a high school diploma and are acceptable towards a college Associate degree, Bachelor degree, or technical certificate. The benefits of offering dual enrollment courses to high school and middle school students include:

- Saves students and parents money, as dual enrollment students are exempt from paying application, registration, tuition, laboratory, and special fees if the classes taken are being used toward high school graduation
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- Allows grades earned to become part of the student's permanent transcripts

Dual enrollment course offerings include, but are not limited to, the following for the 2024-2025 school year:

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| • Architecture and Humanity                | • Psychology of Personal Effectiveness      |
| • Ballet Techniques I                      | • Public Speaking                           |
| • Business & Professional Communication    | • Social Problems                           |
| • Criminology                              | • Strategies for Success                    |
| • English Comp I and II                    | • Survey of Architectural History           |
| • Fundamentals of Argumentation and Debate | • Writing and Rhetoric I and II             |
| • Individual in Society                    | • Design Graphics 1                         |
| • Introduction to Business                 | • Design Studio 1                           |
| • Introduction to Criminal Justice         | • Introduction to Architecture              |
| • Introduction to Entrepreneurship         | • Survey of Architectural History           |
| • Introduction of Sociology                | • Artificial Intelligence Fundamentals      |
| • Modern Dance Techniques                  | • Frontiers of Artificial Intelligence (AI) |

Our partnership with UF continues to expand with two new Artificial Intelligence (AI) dual enrollment courses available in the 2024-25 school year. MBSH will be the only high school in the state to offer AI classes with a UF professor.

We will continue to support our vision of being a prosperous city with a special emphasis on arts, culture, education, and business with the management objectives of being known for (PreK-12) educational excellence. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Dr. Leslie Rosenfeld.

   
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