DUAL CREDIT in NEW YORK!

High school students earn 3 hours of college credit in New York City!

COURSES

ECON 150: Introduction to Economics
THEA 151: Theatre Appreciation

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The glitz and glamour of Broadway meets the hustle and bustle of Wall St.

This program is a unique opportunity for high school students to receive college credit while gaining hands on experience. Exclusively offered to pre-college students, the Dual Credit New York program is specifically designed to allow students a once in a lifetime experience in a safe environment. Student earn econ credit while visiting places like the New York Stock Exchange and the Federal Reserve, and seeing Broadway plays at night, all in the company of WKU faculty.

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LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- Students will learn how to identify general concepts, ideas, institutions, and methods of economics.
- Economics process and the functioning of institutions in a market economy.
- How to apply economic concepts to contemporary issues and real world situations.
- Deeper understanding of how economics impact the world.
- Students will study the literary, historic, and creative aspects of theatre.
- Develop an understanding and appreciation of the art of theatre.

ELIGIBILITY

- Current student eligible to register for WKU dual credit courses
- Good academic standing (Undergraduate Catalog p.27)
- 18 years of age or younger at time of departure (parent/guardian permission for anyone under 18 at time of departure).
- No current disciplinary sanctions as verified by Judicial Affairs.
- Full payment prior to departure.
- Completion of all pre-departure orientations.
- Permission of instructor(s).
- Complete Study Away application
PROGRAM DETAILS

LOCATION:  New York City, NY.

ACADEMIC TERM:  Summer 2016: June 11-17, 2016

ITINERARY (subject to change)

June 11 – Travel to New York City from Nashville
June 12 – Morning: Class
          Afternoon: Central Park
          Evening: Broadway show
June 13 – Morning: Class
          Afternoon: New York Tour
          Evening: TBD
June 14 – Morning: Class
          Afternoon: Yankees Game
          Evening: Broadway show
June 15 – Morning: Class
          Afternoon: Federal Reserve
          Evening: Broadway show
June 16 – Morning: Class
          Afternoon: New York Ferry to Ellis Island/Statue of Liberty
          Evening: Broadway show
June 17 – Return to Nashville

The schedule is tentative and subject to change. Educational opportunities may arise unexpectedly, vagaries of weather, and other factors may drastically alter itinerary. Additionally, itinerary covers only travel component. Online or in class dates may vary.

BASE PACKAGE

Cost:  $2350 - $2450

Included in Base Package
➢ Undergraduate tuition for 3 credit hours.
➢ Round-trip flight between Nashville and New York City.
➢ 7 nights of accommodations in New York.
➢ Airport transportation from Airport to hotel in New York.
➢ Course-related ground transportation in NYC (Metro Pass).
➢ Admission fees for group excursions

Excluded from Base Package
➢ Transportation between your departure airport and your home.
➢ Meals are not included.
➢ Independent travel (non-program travel).
➢ Meals, services, and beverages not included during course-related field programs.
➢ Personal expenses such as laundry, phone service, and Internet access.
➢ Tips for guides and drivers not included in program-related activity.
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- Travel cancellation/interruption insurance. *Recommended.*
- Baggage fees and additional costs associated with flight / program changes.
- Any other expenses not explicitly listed above.

**Study Away courses are not eligible for employee tuition waivers or discounts. Final program fee subject to change due to travel arrangements.**

**Green Sheet subject to change due to adjustment in program or pricing.**

**DUAL CREDIT STUDENT REGISTRATION PROCESS**

Students must complete the following steps:


2. **Apply to WKU:**
   - Students who have never participated in the WKU Dual Credit Program MUST apply to the university as a dual credit student at [www.wku.edu/dualcredit/apply](http://www.wku.edu/dualcredit/apply).
   - Students who have already been admitted to WKU as a dual credit student can skip to Step 3.

3. **Log on to TopNet:**
   - Look up NetID and set your password at... [www.wku.edu/it/accounts/netid/lookup.php](http://www.wku.edu/it/accounts/netid/lookup.php)
   - Log into TopNet (using your NetID and Password) here - [topnet.wku.edu](http://topnet.wku.edu)

4. **Register for Study Away course:**
   - To complete the Study Away WKU Dual Credit in NYC registration application form [go to: www.wku.edu/studyaway/programs/nycdualcreditsum2016.php](http://www.wku.edu/studyaway/programs/nycdualcreditsum2016.php)
   - Click on the APPLY NOW button on the right side of the screen.
   - You will need the following items to complete this form:
     - A credit card ($250 deposit to complete registration)
     - **Medical insurance card** or policy information with name of insured; policy number; group number; and expiration date.

5. **After your application is complete:**
   - Dual Credit will enroll you in the course and you will receive an email notification.
   - You will need to provide proof of insurance and a government issued ID when requested.
   - You can pay the balance of the program fee on Topnet.
   - You will receive a balance reminder through email and to your home. Please pay the balance of your account on TopNet.
   - Attend the pre-trip orientation. This will be an informational session for both you and your parents. We will send more information regarding the orientation closer to time.
TERMS & CONDITIONS

Your TopNet Account will be billed according to the following Payment Schedule:

March 1, 2016 - Priority deadline for application. Nonrefundable $250 deposit* required with application submission.

March 15, 2016 – Application deadline. Program fee balance must be paid prior to program departure. Student applying after this date will be billed on a rolling basis.

* This is paid by student directly with a credit card. Not billed to student account.

Penalty for Withdrawal or Non-payment:

Before March 15: 25% of program cost  
After March 15: 50% of program cost  
After April 1: 75% of program cost  
After May 1: 100% of program cost (No refund)

If a balance remains after the payment due date, the participant may be dropped from the program. A student may remain in the program by providing an award notification from WKU’s Student Financial Assistance that verifies ability to pay the program fee immediately after aid is received.

LOGISTICAL CONSIDERATIONS

- Students should be prepared to conduct themselves in a mature and respectful manner at all times.
- This program will also include a fair amount of walking. Proper shoes and attire are required.

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