

RESOLUTION ON OHIO HB 474 AS RELATED TO REMEDIAL OR DEVELOPMENTAL  
EDUCATION IN COLLEGE CREDIT PLUS

Whereas, Ohio HB 474, Sec. 733.10 – College Credit Plus Remediation Pilot Program, would allow high school students to enroll in a remedial or developmental course and an introductory college course in the same subject area;

Whereas, College readiness should, when possible, precede enrollment in college courses;

Whereas, High school curricula are designed to incubate knowledge and skills appropriate to the developmental needs of most high school age students;

Whereas, High school students should be encouraged to work at their grade level rather than enrolling early in college courses that are not at their educational level;

Whereas, Encouraging students who are not college-ready to take fewer high school courses before entering college deprives them of their state-guaranteed educational benefits;

Whereas, Shortening the educational path for students who are not advanced beyond grade level in their academic qualifications may produce citizens of Ohio who are credentialed rather than educated; now, therefore, be it

*Resolved*, The Ohio Faculty Council finds that it is inappropriate and counterproductive to use co-remediation to grant college credit to high school students, as stated in HB 474, sec. 733.10.