

HIGH SCHOOL DIVERSIFIED OCCUPATIONS COURSE CODES GRADES 9-12

*High school (grades 9-12) courses in Diversified Occupations **require 150 contact hours** per Career and Technical Education (CTE) credit.*

Course Code	Course Name	Recommended Grade Levels	Description	High School Credit Options*	License/credential Required**
25010	Diversified Occupations I	9-12	To provide students with pre-employment skills and labor market information. This course covers the following: career development, basic employment skills, job attainment, job survival, leadership and self-development, and personal employment skills.	½ or 1 <i>Max credit = 1</i>	License Code: 25000-Diversified Occupations ◆ 9-12
25020	Diversified Occupations II	10-12	To provide students with pre-employment skill and labor market information. This course covers the following: advanced employment skills, personal finance, preparing for advanced education, communication skills, and electronic employment programs.	½ or 1 <i>Max credit = 1</i>	
25999	Cooperative Work Experience	11-12 (see note)	Provides students with a regularly scheduled, supervised employment opportunity related to Diversified Occupations in order to develop and improve work skills. The employment must be preceded by, or concurrent with, classroom instruction related to the work experience, consistent with the student's occupational goals, and related to the Diversified Occupations program area. There shall be a training agreement among all partners to the work experience (school, employer, student, and parents/guardians) outlining the expectations of each party. The instructor shall also develop a specific training plan with the employer for each student placed. The training plan shall include provisions for assessment of student progress and for on-site visits by the instructor during the student's placement. Note: Students must be a minimum of 16 years old and may be paid a wage by the employer.	Minimum of ½ credit per semester, not to exceed 2 credits while in high school <i>Max credit = 2</i>	

* *High school curricular requirements are spelled out in NDCC 15.1-21-02 and High school unit - instructional time is NDCC 15.1-21-03. Maximum credit refers to the maximum units of credit a student may earn for a course over four years of high school. (Example: Band - a student may be enrolled in band all four years of high school -- earning a possible total of four units of credit.)*

** *Please refer to the second page of the teacher's North Dakota Educator's Professional license to verify which subject areas a teacher is qualified to teach. Licenses and endorsements are obtained on a teaching license from the Education Standards and Practices Board (ESPB).*

Credentials are obtained from the Department of Public Instruction (DPI) and are issued to individuals holding a current teaching license.