

Advanced Technical Credit (ATC) Advantages & Limitations

Advantages	Possible Limitations
Exposure to college-level coursework	Applies primarily to the associate of applied science (AAS) degree
Recognized at many public, two-year colleges across the state	Credit applies only if a student can use the course in a related degree plan
Large selection of career and technology courses	Some colleges will not grant ATC credit until the student completes six semester hours of additional, non-developmental, college-level coursework, which may include AP, CLEP, or dual credit
Students begin a college technical major in high school	Transfer of credit to universities may be limited