

CAREER & WORKFORCE DUAL ENROLLMENT

Launching in fall 2020, UF's **NEW** online Career and Workforce Development Dual Enrollment program helps meet the state's growing need for skilled employees by offering high school students opportunities that may lead to certification or licensure in the Water and Wastewater industries.

PROGRAM BENEFITS

- > Participate in post-secondary **online education** while still enrolled in high school.
- > High school students with a cumulative unweighted **2.0 GPA** will earn **high school credit** and may receive a recognized **industry certification** after successfully passing a state examination.
- > In partnership with **Florida Gateway College**, industry certifications may subsequently articulate into **for-credit** degree programs.
- > Career dual enrollment courses have been approved as an **acceleration mechanism** for school grades. The link to the legislation regarding **Acceleration Points** is available on our website.

- > UF currently offers two programs with more on the way:

| WATER TREATMENT PLANT OPERATOR, LEVEL 'C' OCP A (150 HRS) | | |
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| EVS 133 | 1 CREDIT | \$495 |
| WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT OPERATOR, LEVEL 'C' OCP A (155 HRS) | | |
| EVS 333 | 1 CREDIT | \$425 |

- > **A career** that provides a competitive living wage in a **growing industry**, employment benefits, **promotion opportunities** and retirement.
- > The ability to make a **positive** and **lasting** impact on the **health, welfare and safety** of both the **environment** and the **community**.
- > The ability to make a **meaningful contribution** in **solving** global issues such as **unsafe drinking water, climate change and environmental sustainability**.

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| LOCATION | 2017 - 2019 % CHANGE | AVG. HOURLY EARNINGS | MED ANNUAL EARNINGS |
|------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| STATE OF FLORIDA | 7% | \$23.42 | \$46,841.60 |
| SOUTHEAST REGION | 6% | \$21.09 | |
| NATIONALLY | 7% | \$23.42 | |

! COMING SOON: Google IT Certification Courses!

For more information, articulation agreements and frequently asked questions, please visit our website:

<https://cwde.aa.ufl.edu>

QUESTIONS?

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