UC-Approved Online Schools

There are a couple of different ways to take a-g courses outside your high school. One way is by taking community college courses. Another is by taking courses from UC-approved online schools; these courses tend to be pricey, but it’s an available alternative to you:

- **Brigham Young University Independent Study** offers both regular and AP courses. Prices range from $132 to $232 per semester depending on course delivery format ($264 to $464 per year-long course) plus materials.

- **National University Virtual High School** offers both regular and AP courses. Prices range from $295 to $375 per semester ($590 to $750 per year-long course) and there are some scholarships available.

- **Apex Learning** offers both regular and AP courses. Courses are $350 to $400 per semester ($700 to $800 per year-long course) plus materials.

- **Florida Virtual School** offers both regular and AP courses. Courses are $400 per semester ($800 per year-long course).

- **K12** offers both regular and AP courses. Prices range from $425 to $475 per semester ($850 to $950 per year-long course) plus materials.

- **Virtual High School** offers both regular and AP courses. Courses are $450 per semester ($900 per year-long course) plus materials.

- **Laurel Springs Online** offers both regular and AP courses. Prices range from $650 to $950 per semester ($950 to $1,500 per year-long course) plus additional fees.

- **Education Program for Gifted Youth Online High School at Stanford University** offers both regular and AP courses. The price for the single course option is $3,500 per academic year.

Remember that NOT all courses offered through the online schools are UC-approved. You may verify whether the courses you plan to take will meet the a-g requirements by entering the online school's name at [UC Doorways](http://ucdoorways.com) to search for the UC-approved a-g course list. **A special note about Laboratory Science and Visual and Performing Arts requirements: the UCs will NOT accept online courses for these two subjects.**