

# Bard Sequence

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Building on the success of Bard Early College, the Bard Sequence dual enrollment program offers a meaningful bridge between high school and college in which a young person's first exposure to higher education is rigorous and intellectually inspiring while also providing them with the support they need to become confident, self-motivated college students.



## Sequence Seminar

The core of Bard Sequence is Bard Seminar Sequence, **a four semester**, interdisciplinary humanities course **totaling 12 Bard College credits**. In each semester of Seminar, students **foster core college skills** including critical discussion, close reading, and academic writing, while, exploring themes of identity, civilization, disruption, and resistance through challenging and culturally responsive works of literature, philosophy, art, and beyond, spanning across the range of human history.



## Free, Transferable College Credits

Bard Sequence credits are widely accepted at major state/public universities, Ivy League universities, public and private colleges and universities in nearly every state, from coast to coast. Seminar often transfers as English, literature, or composition credits that save students thousands of dollars in college tuition and helps them to graduate from college on time.



4,000+

college credits  
earned since 2019

84%

Of students agree that  
Bard Seminar challenges  
them to grow as a student

91%

course passage  
rate Fall 2022

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## The Bard Advantage

### 1 Tuition Free



Through Bard Sequence, students save an average of \$20,000 and 12 college credits, earning a semester's worth of college credits — absolutely free!

### 2 Student-Centered Classes



Small, seminar-style classes gives students the opportunity to voice their opinions through writing and discussion and gain important college skills through a culturally-engaging curriculum across the liberal arts and sciences.

### 3 Trained College Faculty



Sequence faculty typically have a terminal degree in their field and are trained in Bard's signature early college pedagogy, developed over two decades across Bard's network of early colleges.

### 4 Transferability



Sequence students receive a transcript from Bard College and can transfer their Bard credits widely and easily, thanks to Bard's growing number of articulation agreements and partnerships with institutions of higher education across the country.

### 5 The Bard Network



Students enrolled in Bard Sequence courses are part of the Bard College Network, an international, multi-campus network of Bard College, a top-tier, independent, non-profit liberal arts college with a strong public interest mission and a commitment to equity and innovation.