## Parent FAQ

# Out of Box Learning + ASU Accelerate Partnership

#### What is Accelerate ASU?

**Accelerate ASU** is a program that gives high school students the opportunity to take **college-level courses from Arizona State University**—ranked #1 in innovation by *U.S. News & World Report*—while still in high school.

#### How does Out of Box Learning fit in?

Out of Box Learning has partnered with ASU to make these courses accessible, flexible, and affordable to students participating in our customized education programs, helping them earn up to 60 college credits in a supportive environment.

#### What are the benefits for my student?

- **Earn College Credit**: Courses count toward degrees and are widely transferable.
- Affordable: No upfront tuition; students only pay if they choose to transcript a passed course.
- Rigorous Learning: Courses are developed by ASU's expert faculty and facilitated by Out of Box's experts.
- Dual Credit- get high school and college credit
- **No Transcript Risk**: opt in for the college course to appear on the college transcript.
- High Success Rates: The cohort-based model helps students thrive—even if they've never taken a college course before.

### What subjects or credits are available?

Students can work toward credits in core areas such as:

- English (e.g., English 101)
- Math
- Science
- Social Studies
- Electives

#### What is the enrollment process like?

- No college application is required.
- Students sign up through a simple online form.
- Support is provided by both Out of Box Learning and the ASU Learning Enterprise.

# Will the credits transfer to other colleges or universities?

Yes! ASU credits are **widely accepted** at colleges and universities across the country.

#### What's the cost?

- The cost is \$525 for a 3 credit college course.
- There are **no penalties** or transcript entries if the student does not pass or opts not to transcript.

### Who is this program best for?

- Motivated middle and high school students
- Homeschool students looking to accelerate
- Teens preparing for college or concurrent enrollment

#### How can I learn more or get started?

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