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Charlotte High School and Olivet College Announce Insurance Partnership



On Monday, December 12th, Dr. Maria Davis, provost and dean at Olivet College, presented a new partnership to the Charlotte Public Schools Board of Education. As part of this new collaboration, students enrolled in Charlotte High School's Insurance and Risk Management II class will have the opportunity to earn three college credits from Olivet College, a national leader in insurance education. Students will also have the opportunity to participate in insurance industry and career-building activities hosted at Olivet College.

Mr. Chad Little, the CHS business teacher who helped bring this opportunity to Charlotte, will be the dual credit course instructor. Olivet College joins Ferris State University, Lansing Community College, Davenport University, and Michigan State University in providing CHS students with post-secondary credits at no cost to parents and families while also helping them reach the ultimate goal of college and career readiness. This new partnership creates yet another pathway for CHS students, leading to success in high school and beyond. Go Orioles! Oriole Pride!