

**Earning University of Minnesota credit for Project Lead the Way courses:**

Secondary school students successfully completing Project Lead the Way (PLTW) courses may apply for transcribed college credit from the University of Minnesota-Twin Cities (U of M). The student will receive 3 semester credits per course, subject to the following conditions:

- The school must be certified by PLTW
- All requirements for the PLTW course must be satisfied, and the student must achieve an average of 85% or better for the course
- The college credit exam must be taken and passed with a grade of at least 70%
- The required fee must be paid. Fee is currently \$75.00 for a 3-credit course.

The University of Minnesota will accept transcribed credit for PLTW courses from other Affiliate Universities. Up to 6 such credits may be used as general electives towards a degree at the University of Minnesota. Possible substitution of PLTW credits for meeting specific programmatic requirements at the University is at the discretion of the individual programs. Currently, at the University of Minnesota, PLTW courses do not have specific program equivalents.

The PLTW courses for which U of M credit may be received are the following:

- Introduction to Engineering Design (IofT 1511)
- Principles of Engineering (IofT 1512)
- Digital Electronics (IofT 1513)
- Computer Integrated Manufacturing (IofT 1514)
- Overview of Civil Engineering and Architecture (IofT 1515)

**How to register for U of M credit for PLTW courses:**

1. Download the **Registration Form** from <http://www.it.umn.edu/pltw/>
2. Have student complete the “**STUDENT INFORMATION**” section of the form and give to PLTW teacher along with payment \* of \$75.00 per course.
3. Have PLTW teacher complete the “**INSTRUCTOR/COURSE INFORMATION**” section of the form and mail it with payment check to:

Attn: PLTW  
Institute of Technology Student Services  
106 Lind Hall, 207 Church St SE  
University of Minnesota  
Minneapolis, MN 55455

\* Check or Money Orders should be made out to **University of Minnesota**.

