

UPSKILL AT A-STATE

Equipping students with the skills needed in a dynamic, digital environment.

2026-2027

Give your students a head start in today's fastest-growing industries with the **A-State UpSkill Program**—a fully online, grant-funded opportunity designed to prepare high schoolers for real-world success.

Offered in partnership with the Arkansas Public School Resource Center (APSRC), the A-State UpSkill Program is open to Arkansas high school students at no cost, **pending continued funding** from the Arkansas Department of Education.

Your Pathways to Success!

With two dynamic pathways to choose from—**Swift Coding** and **Game Development**—students can explore in-demand skills in software development, mobile app creation, and digital game design.

Each pathway is a nine-month program consisting of three asynchronous online courses in a seven-week format. Students take two courses in the fall and one in the spring, completing weekly modules along the way. At the end of the final course, they create a culminating project, such as an application.

Program Details

➤➤ 9 College Credit Hours

➤➤ No Cost for the first 100 students

➤➤ Start Fall 2026



How to Get Started

Schools interested must complete a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) and submit student applications by **August 19, 2026**.

To request an MOU, call APSRC at (501) 492-4300 or email jketcham@apsrc.net.



Contact Early College Programs for admission and registration details at (870)680-8365 or CEP@AState.edu.

