

Credit Equivalencies for Advanced Placement (AP) Exams

Minimum exam scores required for award of credit, the level of credit awarded, and course equivalencies are determined using the American Council on Education (ACE) recommendations as of the revision date of this document, and are subject to change without notice when ACE publishes updated exam reviews and/or recommendations.

Credit will be awarded only if it does not duplicate other earned academic credit. Credit awarded for each test will only fulfill requirements in the areas as indicated in the first column; otherwise credit will count towards general elective hours only.

General Education, Pre-professional, Program, or other Area	AP Exam	Min. Score	Athens Course Equivalent	Credit
Area I Written Composition	English Language and Composition	3	ENG 101 and ENG 102	6
Area I Written Composition	English Literature and Composition	3	ENG 101 and ENG 102	6
Area II Fine Arts and Humanities	Art History	3	ART 203 and ART 204	6
Area II Other Humanities	French Language and Culture	3	FRN 101 and FRN 102	6
		4	FRN 101, FRN 102, and FRN 201	9
		5	FRN 101, FRN 102, FRN 201, and FRN 202	12
Area II Other Humanities	German Language and Culture	3	GRN 101 and GRN 102	6
		4	GRN 101, GRN 102, and GRN 201	9
		5	GRN 101, GRN 102, GRN 201, and GRN 202	12
Area II Other Humanities	Japanese Language and Culture	3	JPN 101 and JPN 102	8
Area II Other Humanities	Spanish Language and Culture	3	SPA 101 and SPA 102	6
		4	SPA 101, SPA 102, and SPA 201	9
		5	SPA 101, SPA 102, SPA 201, and SPA 202	12
Area II Other Humanities	Spanish Literature and Culture	3	SPA 101, SPA 102 and SPA 201	9
		4-5	SPA 101, SPA 102, SPA 201, and SPA 202	12
Area III Natural Sciences	Biology	3	BIO 103 and BIO 104	8
Area III Natural Sciences	Chemistry	3	CHM 111 and CHM 112	8
Area III Natural Sciences	Environmental Science	3	PHS 120	4
Area III Natural Sciences	Physics 1	3	PHY 201	4
Area III Natural Sciences	Physics 2	3	PHY 202	4
Area III Natural Sciences	Physics B (discontinued Fall 2014)	3	PHY 201 and PHY 202	8



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Area III Natural Sciences	Physics C: Mechanics	3	PHY 213	4
Area III Natural Sciences	Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism	3	PHY 214	4
Area III Mathematics (Finite Math or higher)	Calculus AB	3	MTH 125	4
Area III Mathematics (Finite Math or higher)	Calculus BC	3	MTH 125 and MTH 126	8
Area IV History	European History	3	HIS 101 and HIS 102	6
Area IV History	United States History	3	HIS 201 and HIS 202	6
Area IV History	World History	3	HIS 121 and HIS 122	6
Area IV Other Social, Behavioral Science	Government & Politics: Comparative	3	POL 200	3
Area IV Other Social, Behavioral Science	Government & Politics: United States	3	POL 211	3
Area IV Other Social, Behavioral Science	Human Geography	3	GEO 201	3
Area IV Other Social, Behavioral Science	Macroeconomics	3	ECO 231	3
Area IV Other Social, Behavioral Science	Microeconomics	3	ECO 232	3
Area IV Other Social, Behavioral Science	Psychology	3	PSY 200	3
Area V Statistics (Biology majors), Area V Business Statistics I (College of Business majors), Area V Upper Level Math (College of Education majors)	Statistics	3	MTH 265	3
Area V Computer Programming (Biology: Bioinformatics Option, Computer Science, and Information Technology majors)	Computer Science A	3	CIS 251	3
Music Theory I/Music Theory I Lab [Music (vocal) minors only]	Music Theory	3	MUS 111 and MUS 113	4