

CENTRE COLLEGE  
CREDIT BY EXAMINATION POLICIES

ADVANCED PLACEMENT

Grades of 4 and 5 are awarded credit accordingly (and grades of 3 in foreign languages\*):

<u>TEST</u>	<u>CREDIT</u>	<u>EQUIVALENCY</u>
American History	3	elective
Art History	3	ART 260 or 261
Art: Studio, drawing	3	elective; review of portfolio for ARS 110
Biology	4	elective
Chemistry	4	CHE 131
Computer Science	3	elective; may bypass CSC 117 with department approval
Economics: micro/macro	3	elective; ECO 110 if 4 or 5 in both
English Literature and Composition	3	elective
Environmental Science	3	elective for 4; ENS 210 for 5
European History***	3	elective
French Language/Literature	6*	FRE 210, 220
German Language/Literature	6*	GER 210, 220
Government/Politics: American	3	elective
Government/Politics: Comparative	3	elective
Latin: Vergil/Cat.-Horace	6*	CLA 210, 220
Music Theory	3	MUS 110
Calculus AB	3	MAT 170
Calculus BC	6	MAT 170, 171 **
Physics B	4	PHY 110
Physics C	4	elective (PHY 110 if 4 or 5 in both)
Psychology	4	PSY 110
Spanish Language/Literature	6*	SPA 210, 220
Statistics	3	MAT 130
World History***	3	elective

\* Pending validation by placement test.

\*\*If BC grade is <4 but AB subscore is 4 or 5, student will receive 3 hours credit equivalent to MAT 170.

\*\*\* Credit not given for both world history and European history.

NOTES:

1. The student loses AP credit if he or she chooses to take the equivalent course here. For example, AP credit in chemistry is lost if the student takes CHE 131.
2. AP credit in English does not automatically meet the expository writing basic skills requirement; nor does it fulfill any other general education requirement. It serves as elective credit only.
3. Despite the equivalencies noted above, only two general education requirements may be fulfilled through Advanced Placement credit: one social studies division requirement and one science division requirement (provided the course equivalency matches a course that fulfills a general education requirement).
4. **A maximum of 24 hours of pre-matriculation credits may be awarded to first-year students from all sources (e.g., Advanced Placement, International Baccalaureate, dual-credit, all other college credit).**
5. Credit will not be awarded for any course or examination completed prior to the start of the junior year in high school.
6. Students who legitimately exceed the 24-hour limit may choose which credits will be awarded, and may adjust his or her choices later subject to the constraints of any other College policies.

INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE

Generally, credit is awarded for grades of 6 or 7 on higher level exams (and for a grade of 5 in foreign languages, subject to validation by placement test).