

CREDIT BY EXAMINATION OPPORTUNITIES

UW-Whitewater



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CREDIT BY EXAMINATION POLICY

Credits by examination may be obtained at UW-Whitewater through Departmental Examination, the College Level Examination Program (CLEP), the International Baccalaureate (IB) Program, and the College Entrance Examination Board (CEEB) Advanced Placement (AP) examinations. A student may receive a maximum of 60 credits on the basis of examinations.

I. DEFINITIONS:

- A. CLEP is a national program of credit-by-examination that offers the opportunity to be recognized for college-level accomplishments. Examinations for which credits are granted are indicated in this bulletin.
- B. DEPARTMENTAL EXAMS are tests developed by the particular departments and usually are not transferable to any other university. Such tests may already be prepared and kept at the Testing Office or may have to be developed by the individual department, as necessary. Contact the Testing Office to see what the situation involves.
- C. CEEB ADVANCED PLACEMENT EXAMS as well as the INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE (IB) PROGRAM EXAMS serve students who wish to pursue college-level studies while still in secondary school. Contact your high school counselor to determine if your high school participates in these programs. The CEEB and IB examinations for which UW-Whitewater grants credits are indicated in this bulletin.

II. GRADING:

- A. CLEP Examinations are computer administered and scored at the Testing Office; the results are usually available immediately.
- B. DEPARTMENTAL TESTS are usually graded by the department and the results are available shortly after the testing session.
- C. Students who complete the full IB diploma program with a score of 28 or above will be awarded 3 additional elective credits.

In all cases, it is the particular department that decides what score is necessary for credits, and for which course the credits are granted. The department or individual faculty member **MUST** forward a signed memo to the Testing Office stating: name of examinee, date of test, student ID number, pass or fail, name and course number, and number of credits to be granted. The Testing Office will process the test results. If a student passes an exam, the proper credits will be so noted on the student's transcript.

CLEP and Departmental examinations are offered through the Testing Office. After contacting the particular department chairperson concerning the test you want to take, simply contact the Testing Office at 472-5613 to set up an appointment. The testing time per departmental test ranges from one to three hours. Extended time may be needed for some examinations. Check with the Testing Office for specific testing times.

If you are enrolled in a course for which you desire to take a test for credit, the test must be taken no later than one month after the beginning of classes. Credit by examination appearing on transcripts from other accredited institutions of higher education will be accepted directly as transfer credits, provided that the student has earned at least 12 transferable credits at the same institution, in addition to credits gained through examination.

Students can request to have waivers or exam credits removed from their academic record. This request must happen in the academic department of the course affected, and should be addressed prior to the tenth day of classes. Students that remain in courses-- which they have recieved exam credit or a waiver for-- after the tenth day of classes cannot recieve credit for the course because it will count as a "repeat for no credit" course. The Testing Office cannot remove waivers or exam credit without written notification from the chair of the department in question. If waivers or exam credits are removed from a student's academic record (at their request and with approval from the chair of the academic department), they will not be applied at a later date.

COLLEGE ENTRANCE EXAMINATION BOARD: ADVANCED PLACEMENT

EXAMINATIONS	MIN. SCORE	UW-W COURSE EQUIVALENCY	UNITS
Biology	3	BIOLOGY 120EX Biological Foundations (GL)	4
Calculus AB	3	MATH 243EX Short Calculus for Business and Social Sciences (GM)	3
	4	MATH 253EX Calculus & Analytic Geometry I (GM)	5
Calculus BC	3	MATH 253EX Calculus & Analytic Geometry I (GM) and MATH 254EX Calculus & Analytic Geometry II	10
Calculus BC: AB sub-score	3	MATH 253EX Calculus & Analytic Geometry I (GM)	5
Chemistry	3	CHEM 999EX Miscellaneous Chemistry Course* (GL)	5
	4	CHEM 102EX Introductory Chemistry (GL)	5
	5	CHEM 102EX Introductory Chemistry (GL) and CHEM 104EX Introductory Chemistry (GL)	10
Chinese Language and Culture	3	CHINESE 999EX Miscellaneous Foreign Language Course* (GH)	3
Comparative Government and Politics	3	POLISCI 999EX Miscellaneous Political Science Course* (GS)	3
Computer Science A or AB**	3	COMPSCI 172EX Introduction to Object-Oriented Programming in Java (GM)	3
English Language and Composition	3	ENGLISH 999EX Miscellaneous English Course*	3
	4	ENGLISH 999EX and ENGLISH 999AEX Miscellaneous English Courses*	
English Literature and Composition	3	ENGLISH 101EX Freshman English	3
	4	ENGLISH 101EX Freshman English and ENGLISH 102EX Freshman English	6
Environmental Sciences	3	BIOLOGY 214EX Ecology and Society (GM) or BIOLOGY 999 Miscellaneous Biology Course* (if student is a Biology major)	3
European History	3	HISTORY 155EX History of Modern Europe (GH)	3
French Language and Literature	3	FRENCH 252EX Intermediate French (GH) (Retro credits for FRENCH 141, 142, and 251 may be earned if FRENCH 321 is completed with a grade of B or better)	4
	4	FRENCH 321EX Advanced French Language Study (GH) (Retro credits for FRENCH 141, 142, 251, and 252 may be earned if FRENCH 322 is completed with a grade of B or better)	3
French Literature**	3	FRENCH 331EX Readings in Modern French	3
German Language	3	GERMAN 252EX Intermediate German (GH) (Retro credits for GERMAN 141, 142, and 251 may be earned in GERMAN 321 if completed with a grade of B or better)	4
	4	GERMAN 321EX Advanced German Language Study (GH) (Retro credits for GERMAN 141, 142, 251, and 252 may be earned if GERMAN 322 is completed with a grade of B or better)	3
History of Art	3	ARTHIST 999EX Miscellaneous Art History Course*	3
Human Geography	3	GEOGRPY 230EX Human Geography (GS)	3
Introductory Psychology	3	PSYCH 211EX Introductory Psychology (GS)	3
Italian Language and Culture	3	FORNLANG 999EX Miscellaneous Foreign Language Course* (GH)	3
Japanese Language and Culture	3	JAPANESE 999EX Miscellaneous Foreign Language Course* (GH)	3
Latin: Literature**	3	FORNLANG 999EX Miscellaneous Foreign Language Course* (GH)	3
Latin	3	FORNLANG 999EX Miscellaneous Foreign Language Course* (GH)	3
Macroeconomics	3	ECON 202EX Principles of Macroeconomics (GH)	3
Microeconomics	3	ECON 201EX Principles of Microeconomics (GH)	3
Music Theory	3	MUSC 151EX Theory	2
	4	MUSC 151EX Theory and MUSC 153EX Aural Skills I	4
	5	MUSC 151EX Theory I, MUSC 152EX Theory II, and MUSC 153EX Aural Skills I	6
Physics B**	3	PHYSICS 140EX Principles of Physics I (GL) and PHYSICS 141EX Principles of Physics II (GL)	10
Physics 1	3	PHYSICS 140EX Principles of Physics I (GL)	5
Physics 2	3	PHYSICS 141EX Principles of Physics II (GL)	5
Physics C (Elec & Magnetism)	3	PHYSICS 999EX Miscellaneous Physics Course* (GM)	4
	4	PHYSICS 181EX Physics for Scientists & Engineers II (GL)	5
Physics C (Mechanics)	3	PHYSICS 999EX Miscellaneous Physics Course* (GM)	5
	5	PHYSICS 180EX Physics of Scientists & Engineers I (GL)	5
Research	3	MISC 999EX	3
Seminar	3	MISC 999EX	3
Spanish Language	3	SPANISH 252EX Intermediate Spanish (GH) (Retro credits for SPANISH 141, 142, and 251 may be earned if SPANISH 321 is completed with a grade of B or better)	4
	4	SPANISH 321EX Advanced Spanish Language Study (GH) (Retro credits for SPANISH 141, 142, 251, and 252 may be earned if SPANISH 322 is completed with a grade of B or better)	3
Spanish Literature	3	SPANISH 331EX Peninsular-Spanish Readings I	3
Statistics	3	MATH 230 Introductory Statistics (GM)	3
Studio Art: Drawing	3	ARTSTDIO 121EX Basic Art (GA)	3
Studio Art: 2D Design	3	ARTSTDIO 121EX Basic Art (GA)	3
Studio Art: 3D Design	3	ARTSTDIO 121EX Basic Art (GA)	3
US Government and Politics	3	POLISCI 999EX Miscellaneous Political Science Course (GS)	3
	4	POLISCI 141EX American Government and Politics (GS)	3
United States History	3	HISTORY 125EX History of Modern America (GH) (exam credit cannot meet Diversity requirement)	3
World History	3	GENED 120EX US Experience in a World Context (GH--if not counted as core course requirement)	3

* Courses designated as 999 count as miscellaneous credit in the department listed, and the credits count toward the 120 units needed for graduation

** Test no longer offered

COLLEGE LEVEL EXAMINATION PROGRAM (CLEP)

EXAMINATIONS	MIN. SCORE	UW-W COURSE EQUIVALENCY	UNITS
American Government	65	POLISCI 141EX American Government and Politics (GS)	3
American Literature	60	ENGLISH 348EX American Modernism	3
Biology	50	BIOLOGY 120EX Biological Foundations (GL)	4
Chemistry	50	CHEM 102EX Introductory Chemistry (GL)	5
Chemistry	65	CHEM 102EX Introductory Chemistry (GL) and CHEM 104EX Introductory Chemistry (GL)	10
Humanities	50/500	MISC 999EX or 999EXH Miscellaneous College Course* (GH)	3
Information Systems and Computer Applications	50	ITSCM 280EX Introduction to Information Systems	3
Introductory Psychology	50/500	PSYCH 211EX Introductory Psychology (GS)	3
Natural Sciences	50	MISC 999EXL Miscellaneous College Course* (GL)	5
Principles of Macroeconomics	52	ECON 202EX Principles of Macroeconomics (GS)	3
Principles of Marketing	55	MARKETNG 311EX Principles of Marketing	3
Principles of Microeconomics	52	ECON 201EX Principles of Microeconomics (GS)	3
Principles of Management	52	MANGEMNT 310 Organization and Management	3
Social Science-History	50/500	MISC 999EX OR 999EXS Miscellaneous College Course* (GS)	3
Sociology	60	SOCIOLGY 250 Social Problems (GS)	3

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EXAMINATIONS	MIN. SCORE	UW-W COURSE EQUIVALENCY	UNITS
Art of the Western World	48	ARTHIST 999EX Miscellaneous Art History Course* (GA)	3
Business Mathematics	48 / 400	MATH 999EX Miscellaneous Math Course* (GM)	3
Fundamentals of College Algebra	47 / 400	MATH 141EX Intermediate Algebra	4
Human Resource Management	46	MANGEMNT 320 Human Resource Management	3
Introduction to Computing	45 / 400	COMPSCI 9999M Miscellaneous Computer Science Course* (GM)	3
Introduction to World Religions	48 / 400	RELIGST 999 Miscellaneous Religious Studies Course*	3
Organizational Behavior	48	MANGEMNT 301EX Organizational Behavior	3
Personal Finance	46 / 400	FNBSLW 301 Personal Finance	3
Fundamentals of Counseling	45	COUNSED 450 Introduction to Counseling	3
Principles of Statistics	48 / 400	MATH 230 Introductory Statistics (GM)	3

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DEPARTMENTAL EXAMS

UW-W COURSE EQUIVALENCY	MIN. SCORE	UNITS
COMM110W Introduction to Human Communication (available only during the first two weeks of classes)	Department Decision	0 units, 110 waived
ACCOUNT 244EX Introduction to Financial Accounting	Department Decision	3
ACCOUNT 249EX Introduction to Managerial Accounting	Department Decision	3
ACCOUNT 261EX Intermediate Accounting I	Department Decision	3
BIOLOGY 141EX Introductory Biology I (GL)	Department Decision	5
BIOLOGY 142EX Introductory Biology II (GL)	Department Decision	5
Chem 102EX Introductory Chemistry (GL)	Department Decision	5
Chem 104EX Introductory Chemistry (GL)	Department Decision	5
COMPSCI 171EX Introduction to Programming (GM)	75%	3
ECON 245EX Business Statistics I	Department Decision	3
LDRSHP 110EX, 111EX, 120EX, 210EX, 211EX, 220EX, 221EX	Department Decision	max. 12 units
MANGEMNT 301EX Organizational Behavior	75%	3
MATH 40W Pre-Algebra	75%	0 units, 040 waived
MATH 41W Beginning Algebra	75%	0 units, 041 waived
MATH 141W Intermediate Algebra (May not be taken by anyone who has previously attempted MATH 141)	75%	0 units, 141 waived
MATH 143EX Finite Math for Business and Social Sciences (May not be taken by anyone who has previously attempted MATH 143)	75%	0 units, 143 waived
MATH 253EX Calculus & Analytic Geometry I (GM)	72%	5
MATH 253EX Calculus & Analytic Geometry I (GM) (UW-Madison Exam/Certification)	Department Decision	5
PHYSCS 180EX Physics of Scientists & Engineers I (GL)	Department Decision	5
PHYSCS 181EX Physics for Scientists & Engineers II (GL)	Department Decision	5

INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE

EXAMINATIONS	SCORE	UW-W COURSE EQUIVALENCY	UNITS
Art/Design - Higher Level	4	ARTSTDIO 999EX Miscellaneous Art Studio Course* and ARTSTDIO 999AEX Miscellaneous Art Studio Course*	6
Art/Design - Standard Level	4	ARTSTDIO 999EX Miscellaneous Art Studio Course*	3
Biology - Higher Level	4	BIOLOGY 141EX Biology I (GL) and BIOLOGY 142EX Biology II (GL)	10
Biology - Standard Level	4	BIOLOGY 120EX Biological Foundations (GL)	4
Business Management - Higher Level	4	ITBE 141 Business Concepts	3
Business Management - Standard Level	4	ITBE 141 Business Concepts	3
Chemistry - Higher Level	4	CHEM 102EX Introductory Chemistry (GL) and CHEM 104EX Introductory Chemistry (GL)	10
Chemistry - Standard Level	4	CHEM 100EX Chemistry for the Consumer (GL)	4
Economics - Higher Level	4	ECON 201EX Principles of Microeconomics (GS) and ECON 202EX Principles of Macroeconomics (GS)	6
English A1 - Higher Level	4	ENGLISH 101EX Freshman English and ENGLISH 102EX Freshman English	6
English A1 - Standard Level	4	ENGLISH 101EX Freshman English	3
Environmental Systems & Societies - Higher Level	4	Biology 214EX Ecology and Society (GM)	3
Environmental Systems & Societies - Standard Level	4	Biology 214EX Ecology and Society (GM)	3
French B - Higher Level	4	FRENCH 141EX Beginning French (GH) and FRENCH 142EX Beginning French (GH)	8
French B - Standard Level	4	FRENCH 141EX Beginning French (GH)	4
Geography - Higher Level	4	GEOGRPY 999EX and 999AEX Miscellaneous Geography Course*	6
Geography - Standard Level	4	GEOGRPY 999EX Miscellaneous Geography Course*	3
German B - Higher Level	4	GERMAN 141EX Beginning German (GH) and GERMAN 142EX Beginning German (GH)	8
German B - Standard Level	4	GERMAN 141EX Beginning German (GH)	4
Greek - Higher Level	4	FORLANG 999EX Miscellaneous Foreign Language* (GH)	6
Greek - Standard Level	4	FORLANG 999EX Miscellaneous Foreign Language* (GH)	3
History - Standard Level	4	HISTORY 155EX History of Modern Europe (GH)	3
History of Europe - Higher Level	4	HISTORY 155EX History of Modern Europe (GH) and HISTORY 999EX Miscellaneous History Course*	6
History of the Americas - Higher Level	4	HISTORY 125EX History of Modern America (GH) (exam credit cannot meet Diversity requirement) and HISTORY 999EX Miscellaneous History Course*	6
Information Technology in a Global Society	4	COMPSCI 162EX Computer Applications (GM) and COMPSCI 9999IS Miscellaneous Computer Science Course*	6
Latin - Higher Level	4	FORLANG 999EX Miscellaneous Foreign Language* (GH)	6
Latin - Standard Level	4	FORLANG 999EX Miscellaneous Foreign Language* (GH)	3
Mathematics - Higher Level	4	MATH 152W Elementary Functions and MATH 253EX Calculus & Analytic Geometry I (GM)	5
Mathematics - Standard Level	4	MATH 141W Intermediate Algebra and MATH 152W Elementary Functions	0
Mathematical Studies - Standard Level	4	MATH 141W Intermediate Algebra	0
Music - Higher Level	4	MUSC 999 and 999EX Miscellaneous Music Course*	6
Music - Standard Level	4	MUSC 999 Miscellaneous Music Course*	3
Philosophy - Higher Level	4	PHILSPHY 241EX Introduction to Philosophy (GH)	3
Physics - Standard Level	4	PHYSCS 130EX Physics Foundations (GL)	5
Physics Higher Level	4	PHYSCS 140EX Principles of Physics I (GL) and PHYSCS 141EX Principles of Physics II (GL)	10
Psychology - Higher Level	4	PSYCH 211EX Introductory Psychology (GS)	3
Psychology - Standard Level	4	PSYCH 211EX Introductory Psychology (GS)	3
Social Anthropology - Higher Level	4	ANTHROPL 218EX Cultural Anthropology (GS) and ANTHROPL 999EX Miscellaneous Anthropology Course*	6
Social Anthropology - Standard Level	4	ANTHROPL 218EX Cultural Anthropology (GS)	3
Spanish B - Higher Level	4	SPANISH 141EX Beginning Spanish (GH) and SPANISH 142EX Beginning Spanish (GH)	8
Spanish B - Standard Level	4	SPANISH 141EX Beginning Spanish (GH)	4
Theatre Arts - Higher Level	4	THEATRE 110EX Introduction to the Theatre (GA) and THEATRE 200EX Practicum-Theatre Activities (GA)	6
Theatre Arts - Standard Level	4	THEATRE 100EX Theatre Appreciation (GA) and THEATRE 200EX Practicum-Theatre Activities (GA)	3
Visual Arts - Higher Level	4	ARTSTDIO 121EX Basic Art (GA) and ARTSTDIO 999EX Miscellaneous Art Studio Course*	6
Visual Arts - Standard Level	4	ARTSTDIO 121EX Basic Art (GA)	3
Completion of Full IB Diploma	28	MISC 999EX Miscellaneous College Credit*	3

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