

Advanced Placement Credit Equivalencies (Updated Summer 2024)

Advanced Placement (AP) Program credit is offered under the auspices of the College Entrance Examination Board to high-school students who have completed an official advanced-placement course. Arrangements for testing are made through the high school in which the student is enrolled.

Students, including transfer students, interested in receiving Advanced Placement credit from Cleveland State should have their official score report sent directly from the College Board to the Office of the University Registrar.

Cleveland State grants credit for each examination score of 3, 4, or 5 according to the table below.

AP Exam	AP Score	CSU Course	CSU Equivalent Course Title	Credits
African American Studies	3	AST 200 AST 201	Intro to Africana Studies to the 1880s Intro to Africana Studies since 1880s	6
	4	AST 200 AST 201	Intro to Africana Studies to the 1880s Intro to Africana Studies since 1880s	6
	5	AST 200 AST 201	Intro to Africana Studies to the 1880s Intro to Africana Studies since 1880s	6
Art History	3	ART 252	Intro to Early Western Art	3
	4	ART 252	Intro to Early Western Art	3
	5	ART 252 ART 253	Intro to Early Western Art Intro to Western Art Since 1400	6
Biology	3	BIO 200 BIO 201	Introductory Biology I Introductory Biology Lab I	4
	4	BIO 200 BIO 201 BIO 202 BIO 203	Introductory Biology I Introductory Biology Lab I Introductory Biology II Introductory Biology Lab II	8
	5	BIO 200 BIO 201 BIO 202 BIO 203	Introductory Biology I Introductory Biology Lab I Introductory Biology II Introductory Biology Lab II	8
Calculus AB	3	MTH 181	Calculus I	4
	4	MTH 181	Calculus I	4
	5	MTH 181	Calculus I	4
Calculus BC	3	MTH 181 MTH 182	Calculus I Calculus II	8
	4	MTH 181 MTH 182	Calculus I Calculus II	8
	5	MTH 181 MTH 182	Calculus I Calculus II	8
Chemistry	3	CHM 261 CHM 266	General Chemistry I General Chemistry Lab I	4
	4	CHM 261 CHM 266	General Chemistry I General Chemistry Lab I	4
	5	CHM 261 CHM 266 CHM 262 CHM 267	General Chemistry I General Chemistry Lab I General Chemistry II General Chemistry Lab II	8

Chinese Language and Culture	3	CHN 101 CHN 102	Chinese I Chinese II	8
	4	CHN 101 CHN 102 CHN 201	Chinese I Chinese II Intermediate Chinese I	12
	5	CHN 101 CHN 102 CHN 201 CHN 202	Chinese I Chinese II Intermediate Chinese I Intermediate Chinese II	16
Comparative Government and Politics	3	PSC 221	Comparative Politics	3
	4	PSC 221	Comparative Politics	3
	5	PSC 221	Comparative Politics	3
Computer Science A	3	CIS 260	Introduction to Programming	4
	4	CIS 260	Introduction to Programming	4
	5	CIS 260	Introduction to Programming	4
Computer Science AB	3	CIS 260	Introduction to Programming	4
	4	CIS 260 CIS 265	Introduction to Programming Data Structures and Algorithms	8
	5	CIS 260 CIS 265	Introduction to Programming Data Structures and Algorithms	8
Computer Science Principles	3	CIS 151	Invitation to Computing	3
	4	CIS 151	Invitation to Computing	3
	5	CIS 151	Invitation to Computing	3
English Language	3	ENG 101	College Writing I	3
	4	ENG 101 ENG 102	College Writing I College Writing II	6
	5	ENG 101 ENG 102	College Writing I College Writing II	6
English Literature	3	ENG 101	College Writing I	3
	4	ENG 101 ENG 102	College Writing I College Writing II	6
	5	ENG 101 ENG 102	College Writing I College Writing II	6
Environmental Science	3	EVS 206	Introduction to Environmental Science	3
	4	EVS 206	Introduction to Environmental Science	3
	5	EVS 206	Introduction to Environmental Science	3
European History	3	HIS 102	Western Civilization II	3
	4	HIS 102	Western Civilization II	3
	5	HIS 102	Western Civilization II	3
French Language	3	FRN 101 FRN 102	French Language Skills I French Language Skills II	8
	4	FRN 101 FRN 102 FRN 201	French Language Skills I French Language Skills II Culture and Civilization	12
	5	FRN 101 FRN 102 FRN 201 FRN 2XX	French Language Skills I French Language Skills II Culture and Civilization FRN 200–Level Elective	16
German Language	3	GER 101 GER 102	German I German II	8
	4	GER 101 GER 102 GER 201	German I German II Culture and Civilization	12
	5	GER 101 GER 102 GER 201 GER 2XX	German I German II Culture and Civilization GER 200–Level Elective	16

Human Geography	3	SS 100	Social Science Elective	3
	4	SS 100	Social Science Elective	3
	5	SS 100	Social Science Elective	3
Italian Language and Culture	3	ITN 101 ITN 102	Italian I Italian I	8
	4	ITN 101 ITN 102 ITN 201	Italian I Italian II Culture and Civilization	12
	5	ITN 101 ITN 102 ITN 201 ITN 210	Italian I Italian II Culture and Civilization Intermediate Italian	16
Japanese Language and Culture	3	JPN 101 JPN 102	Beginning Japanese I Beginning Japanese II	8
	4	JPN 101 JPN 102 JPN 201	Beginning Japanese I Beginning Japanese II Intermediate Japanese Conversation	12
	5	JPN 101 JPN 102 JPN 201 JPN 202	Beginning Japanese I Beginning Japanese II Intermediate Japanese Conversation Intermediate Japanese Lang & Culture	16
Latin	3	LAT 101 LAT 102	Latin I Latin II	8
	4	LAT 101 LAT 102 LAT 201	Latin I Latin II Culture and Civilization	12
	5	LAT 101 LAT 102 LAT 201 LAT 202	Latin I Latin II Culture and Civilization Vergil	16
Latin Literature	3	LAT 101 LAT 102	Latin I Latin II	8
	4	LAT 101 LAT 102 LAT 201	Latin I Latin II Culture and Civilization	12
	5	LAT 101 LAT 102 LAT 201 LAT 202	Latin I Latin II Culture and Civilization Vergil	16
Latin: Vergil	3	LAT 101 LAT 102	Latin I Latin II	8
	4	LAT 101 LAT 102 LAT 201	Latin I Latin II Culture and Civilization	12
	5	LAT 101 LAT 102 LAT 201 LAT 202	Latin I Latin II Culture and Civilization Vergil	16
Macroeconomics	3	ECN 201	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
	4	ECN 201	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
	5	ECN 201	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
Microeconomics	3	ECN 202	Principles of Microeconomics	3
	4	ECN 202	Principles of Microeconomics	3
	5	ECN 202	Principles of Microeconomics	3
Music Theory	3	MUS 231	Harmony and Form I	3
	4	MUS 231 MUS 241	Harmony and Form I Musicianship I	4
	5	MUS 231 MUS 241	Harmony and Form I Musicianship I	4
Physics 1	3	PHY 221	College Physics I	5
	4	PHY 221	College Physics I	5
	5	PHY 221	College Physics I	5

Physics 2	3	PHY 222	College Physics II	5
	4	PHY 222	College Physics II	5
	5	PHY 222	College Physics II	5
Physics B	3	PHY 221 PHY 222	College Physics I College Physics II	10
	4	PHY 221 PHY 222	College Physics I College Physics II	10
	5	PHY 221 PHY 222	College Physics I College Physics II	10
Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism	3	PHY 242	University Physics II	5
	4	PHY 242	University Physics II	5
	5	PHY 242	University Physics II	5
Physics C: Mechanics	3	PHY 241	University Physics I	5
	4	PHY 241	University Physics I	5
	5	PHY 241	University Physics I	5
Precalculus	3	MTH 167 MTH 168	Precalculus Mathematics I Precalculus Mathematics II	6
	4	MTH 167 MTH 168	Precalculus Mathematics I Precalculus Mathematics II	6
	5	MTH 167 MTH 168	Precalculus Mathematics I Precalculus Mathematics II	6
Psychology	3	PSY 101	Introduction to Psychology	3
	4	PSY 101	Introduction to Psychology	3
	5	PSY 101	Introduction to Psychology	3
Research	3	General Elective	Lower Division General Elective	3
	4	General Elective	Lower Division General Elective	3
	5	General Elective	Lower Division General Elective	3
Seminar	3	General Elective	Lower Division General Elective	3
	4	General Elective	Lower Division General Elective	3
	5	General Elective	Lower Division General Elective	3
Spanish Language	3	SPN 101 SPN 102	Spanish Language Skills I Spanish Language Skills II	8
	4	SPN 101 SPN 102 SPN 201	Spanish Language Skills I Spanish Language Skills II Intermediate Spanish	12
	5	SPN 101 SPN 102 SPN 201 SPN 202	Spanish Language Skills I Spanish Language Skills II Intermediate Spanish Literature Survey	16
Spanish Literature	3	SPN 101 SPN 102 SPN 201	Spanish Language Skills I Spanish Language Skills II Intermediate Spanish	12
	4	SPN 101 SPN 102 SPN 201 SPN 202	Spanish Language Skills I Spanish Language Skills II Intermediate Spanish Literature Survey	16
	5	SPN 101 SPN 102 SPN 201 SPN 202	Spanish Language Skills I Spanish Language Skills II Intermediate Spanish Literature Survey	16
Statistics	3	MTH 147	Statistical Concepts with Applications	3
	4	MTH 147	Statistical Concepts with Applications	3
	5	MTH 147	Statistical Concepts with Applications	3
Studio Art: 2-D Design	3	General Elective	Lower Division General Elective	3
	4	General Elective	Lower Division General Elective	3
	5	General Elective	Lower Division General Elective	3

Studio Art: 3-D Design	3	General Elective	Lower Division General Elective	3
	4	General Elective	Lower Division General Elective	3
	5	General Elective	Lower Division General Elective	3
Studio Art: Drawing	3	ART 211	Drawing I	3
	4	ART 211	Drawing I	3
	5	ART 211	Drawing I	3
U.S. Government and Politics	3	PSC 111	American Government	3
	4	PSC 111	American Government	3
	5	PSC 111	American Government	3
U.S. History	3	HIS 111 HIS 112	United States History to 1877 United States History Since 1877	6
	4	HIS 111 HIS 112	United States History to 1877 United States History Since 1877	6
	5	HIS 111 HIS 112	United States History to 1877 United States History Since 1877	6
World History	3	HIS 104 SSNW 100	Modern World History Social Science Non-Western	6
	4	HIS 104 SSNW 100	Modern World History Social Science Non-Western	6
	5	HIS 104 SSNW 100	Modern World History Social Science Non-Western	6

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