

**ADVANCED PLACEMENT EXAMINATIONS OF THE COLLEGE ENTRANCE
EXAMINATION BOARD (AP)
(applied to students admitted in 2025-26 and earlier)**

Advanced placement in courses may be obtained either through approved departmental examinations or by the Advanced Placement Examinations of the College Entrance Examination Board, (CEEB). Credit for AP, IB, CLEP, and/or A-level may not exceed 45 total credits.

Advanced Placement Examinations of the College Entrance Examination Board

Students seeking credit by taking the AP examination through CEEB request that official examination results be sent to the Office of Undergraduate Admissions.

Seattle University credit awarded for AP examinations are not considered to be transfer credits and, therefore, the University Core Curriculum policy 2012-01 regarding transfer credits does not apply. AP credits do fall within the maximum lower division transfer credit restrictions.

AP examination results will be evaluated according to the criteria outlined below. Once an evaluation is completed, the student's record is updated to reflect the credits accepted and may be viewed on MySeattleU, Student Planning area, in the section titled *Program Evaluation*.

The following departments grant credit for AP exams. Examination results relating to other departments will be sent to the appropriate chairperson and action will be determined on an individual basis.

<u>AFRICAN AMERICAN STUDIES</u>	Score 3 or higher	5 credits for general elective; see Department if student is an AAAS minor.
<u>ART HISTORY</u>	Score 3 or higher	5 credits for art elective; Art majors should see department chair to determine course equivalency.
<u>ART GENERAL</u>	Score 3 or higher	5 credits for art elective; Art majors should see department chair to determine course equivalency.
<u>ART DRAWING</u>	Score 3 or higher	5 credits satisfies UCOR 1300 requirement, or fulfills Art major elective if UCOR 1300 has already been satisfied.
<u>ART 3D DESIGN</u>	Score 3 or higher	5 credits for Art major elective; Art majors should see department chair to determine course equivalency.
<u>ART 2D DESIGN</u>	Score 3 or higher	5 credits satisfies UCOR 1300 requirement, or fulfills Art major elective if UCOR 1300 has already been satisfied.

<u>BIOLOGY</u>	Score 4 or higher	5 credits for BIOL 1010. A student who earns a 5 on the exam may choose to contact the Biology Department to take a Placement Exam to try to earn credit in the year-long Introductory Biology series (instead of BIOL 1010).
<u>CHEMISTRY</u>	Score 4 or higher	5 credits for CHEM 1500/1501. Score 5, see department to take a challenge exam for CHEM 1510 credit.
<u>COMPUTER SCIENCE</u> A or AB Exam	Score 4 or higher	5 credits for CPSC 1420.
<u>COMPUTER SCIENCE PRINCIPLES</u>	Score 4 or higher	5 credits for CPSC 1100.
<u>ECONOMICS</u> Macro	Score 4 or higher	5 credits for ECON 2130.
Micro	Score 4 or higher	5 credits for ECON 2110.
<u>ENGLISH</u>	A maximum of 10 credits will be granted for English even if two exams are completed.	
Lit & Comp	Score 4 or higher	5 credits for UCOR 1100.
Lang & Comp	Score 4 or higher	5 credits for UCOR 1100, or general elective.
<u>ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE</u>	Score 3 Score 4 or higher	5 general elective credits. 5 credits for EVST 1600 or 5 credits ENSC major elective credit.
<u>HISTORY</u> U.S.	Score 4 or higher	5 credits for HIST 1200, 1210, or 2310;
European	Score 4 or higher	5 credits for HIST 1200.
<u>WORLD HISTORY</u> Modern	Score 4 or higher	5 credits for HIST 1210.
<u>HUMAN GEOGRAPHY</u>	Score 3 or higher Score 4 or higher	5 credits for a Sociology elective. May count towards INST 2100.

LANGUAGE AND CULTURES

Chinese	Score 3 or higher	Score 3, 5 credits for language at the 1150 level. Score 4-5, an additional 5 credits for the 1250 level.*
French	Score 3 or higher	Score 3, 5 credits for language at the 1150 level. Score 4-5, an additional 5 credits for the 1250 level. *
German	Score 3 or higher	Score 3, 5 elective credits. Score 4-5, an additional 5 elective credits. Must complete through 1350 level to fulfill A/S language requirement.
Italian	Score 3 or higher	Score 3, 5 elective credits. Score 4-5, an additional 5 elective credits. Must complete through 1350 level to fulfill A/S language requirement.
Japanese	Score 3 or higher	Score 3, 5 credits for language at the 1150 level. Score 4-5, an additional 5 credits for the 1250 level.*
Latin	Score 3 or higher	Score 3, 5 elective credits. Score 4-5, an additional 5 elective credits.
Spanish	Score 3 or higher	Score 3, 5 credits for language at the 1150 level. Score 4-5, an additional 5 credits for the 1250 level.*
Modern Language (Literature)	Score 3 or higher	5 general elective credits.*

*Does not satisfy upper division literature requirement for modern language majors or minors.

MATHEMATICS

Precalculus	Score 3 Score 4 Score 5	5 credits for MATH 1010 or MATH 1023. 5 credits for MATH 1021 or MATH 1026. 5 credits for MATH 1021/1022 or MATH 1026/1028.
Calculus AB Exam	Score 3 Score 4 Score 5	5 credits for MATH 1130 or 1230. 5 credits for MATH 1334. 10 credits for MATH 1334 and 1335.*
Calculus BC Exam	Score 3 Score 4 Score 5	5 credits for MATH 1334. 10 credits for MATH 1334 and 1335.* 10 credits for MATH 1334 and 1335.*

*If requested, Mathematics department can test to determine if MATH 1336 credit can also be allowed.

MUSIC THEORY

Score 3 or higher	5 credits for MUSC 1000
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PHYSICS

Physics 1 Exam	Score 4 or higher	5 credits for PHYS 1050 & 1051.
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Physics 2 Exam	Score 4 or higher	10 credits for PHYS 1060 & 1061 and 1070 & 1071. Not applicable for BS in Biochemistry, BS in Chemistry, or BS in Computer Science/general option or math specialization, or for engineering or physics majors.
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C Exam: Students may take either one or both parts of the “C” exam. Physics and Engineering majors and those seeking a BS in Biochemistry, BS in Chemistry, or a BS in Computer Science/general option or math specialization, should take the C exam rather than the Physics 1 and 2 exams.

Physics C: Mechanics	Score 4 or higher	5 credits for PHYS 1210 & 1211.
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Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism	Score 4 or higher	5 credits for PHYS 1220 & 1221.
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POLITICAL SCIENCE

Comparative	Score 3 or higher	5 credits for PLSC 2300. May count towards INST 2300.
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Government U.S.	Score 3 or higher	5 credits for PLSC 2000.
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PSYCHOLOGY

Score 4 or higher	5 credits for PSYC 1200.
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STATISTICS

Score 3 or higher	5 credits for MATH 1210.
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Score 4 or higher	5 credits for ECON 2100.
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