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Policy on Credit for Advanced Placement Examination

Students who have taken the Advance Placement Examination in high school may qualify for college credit.

1. A score of 1, 2, or 3 does not earn credit or exemption.
2. A score of 4 or 5 earns credit for the equivalent course. In Computer Science A and Physics, a score of 5 is required to earn credit.

Test	Course Equivalent	Towards SCW Requirement	Cr.
Art History	ARTS 1051 (Art Elective YC)	Interpreting Literature and the Arts	3
	ARTS 1052 (Art Elective YC)	Interpreting Literature and the Arts	3
Biology (1)	BIOL 1011R (Lecture only)	Science and Technology	3
	BIOL 1012R (Lecture only)	Science and Technology	3
Calculus AB	MATH 1412	Quantitative skills	3
Calculus BC (5)	MATH 1412	Quantitative skills	3
	MATH 1413	Elective	3
Chemistry (6)	CHEM 1045R (Lecture only)	Science and Technology	3
	CHEM 1046R (Lecture only)	Science and Technology	3
Computer Science A (4)	GENERAL ELECTIVE (Towards overall 128 credits - no specific category)	Quantitative skills (not toward major or minor)	4
Computer Science Principles	GENERAL ELECTIVE (Towards overall 128 credits - no specific category)	Elective (not toward major or minor)	3
Economics: Micro	ECON 1010	Foundations and Contemporary	3
Economics: Macro	ECON ELECTIVE	Foundations and Contemporary	3
English Lang & Comp (3)	GENERAL ELECTIVE (Towards overall 128 credits - no specific category)	Towards overall 128 credits	3
English Lit & Comp (3)	GENERAL ELECTIVE (Towards overall 128 credits - no specific category)	Toward overall 128 credits	3
Environmental Science	SCIE ELEC	Science and Technology: Non-Science Majors	3
European History	HIST 1102	Foundations and Contemporary	3
French Language (2)	FREN 1201	Interpreting Literature and the Arts	3
	FREN 1202	Interpreting Literature and the Arts	3
French Literature	FREN 2101	Interpreting Literature and the Arts	3
	FREN 2102	Interpreting Literature and the Arts	3
Gov't and Politics Comparative	POLI 1501	Foundations and Contemporary	3
Gov't and Politics: US	POLI 1101	Foundations and Contemporary	3
Human Geography	GENERAL ELECTIVE (Towards overall 128 credits - no specific category)	Elective	3
Music Theory	MUSI ELEC	Elective (Or as Music Elect towards Music Major/Minor only)	3
Physics 1	PHYS 1031R (Lecture only)	Science and Technology	3
Physics 2	No credit	No credit	0
Physics C (Mechanics)	PHYS 1051R (Lecture only)	Science and Technology	3
Physics C (Elec and Magnetism)	No credit	No credit	0
Precalculus	MATH 1160	Quantitative skills	3
Psychology	PSYC 1010	Foundations and Contemporary	3

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Spanish Language (2)	SPAN 1201	Interpreting Literature and the Arts	3
	SPAN 1202	Interpreting Literature and the Arts	3
Spanish Literature	SPAN 2101	Interpreting Literature and the Arts	3
	SPAN 2102	Interpreting Literature and the Arts	3
Statistics	STAT 1021	Quantitative skills	3
Studio Art	ARTS 2001	Elective	3
US History	HIST 1201	Foundations and Contemporary	3
	HIST 1202	Elective	3
World History	HIST ELEC	Foundations and Contemporary	3
	GENERAL ELECTIVE (Towards overall 128 credits - no specific category)	Elective	3

Notes

- (1) One additional credit may be granted for laboratory experience. Submit a detailed syllabus to the Department Chair. Biology majors who receive 7 will need to take Biology 1012 lab. Biology majors who receive 6 credits will need to take Biology 1011 and 1012 labs. Non-biology majors may still need to take labs if the graduate program they will be applying to requires 8 credits of Biology Principles.
- (2) Students may not take a foreign language AP examination in their native language.
- (3) Not toward major, minor or Interpreting Literature and the Arts of General Education Requirements.
- (4) For Stern College Students Only: students who want to take more advanced Computer Science courses must pass a Python 3 exam (at the 80% level) administered by the Computer Science department. Upon doing so, the 4 credits for General Elective will be changed to 4 credits for COMP 1300C.
- (5) Credits granted for MATH 1412 with AB sub score of 4 or 5.
- (6) Biology and Chemistry majors need to take lab CHEM 1047L which may also be required for certain graduate programs.
- (7) THE JERUSALEM EXAMINATION: Credit is awarded depending upon the score earned. A combined score on Parts I and II of 150 earns 3 credits of a Hebrew elective. A combined score on Parts I and II of 160 or above earns 6 credits of Hebrew electives. Regardless of the credits earned, the number of Hebrew courses to be taken at SCW is determined by the SCW Hebrew Placement Exam. Further information about the Jerusalem examination is available from The Jewish Agency, Department for Jewish Zionist Education, 633 3rd Avenue, New York, NY 10017 (212) 339-6000.

***This form is effective beginning with tests taken in Fall 2023 and after.**

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