

Advanced Placement & International Baccalaureate – Credit for Minimum Scores

AP, IB, CLEP, and Dantes Test Credit

¹Test discontinued in 2014

²If the student did not earn an IB diploma, then the English chair will evaluate a writing portfolio and award credit on a case-by-case basis.

³Tests discontinued in 2020

AP Exam	Min Score	Durham Tech Course credits
Art History	3	3 credits for ART 114
Art History	5	6 credits for ART 114 and ART 115
Art - Studio Drawing	3	3 credits for ART 111
Art - Studio Drawing	4	3 credits for ART 131
Art - Studio 2D	3	3 credits for ART 111
Art - Studio 2D	4	3 credits for ART 121
Art - Student 3D	3	3 credits for ART 111
Art - Student 3D	4	3 credits for ART 122
Biology	3	4 credits for BIO 110
Biology	4	4 credits for BIO 111
Biology	5	8 credits for BIO 111 and BIO 112
Calculus AB	3	4 credits for MAT 271
Calculus BC	3	8 credits for MAT 271 and MAT 272
Chemistry	3	4 credits for CHM 151
Chemistry	5	8 credits for CHM 151 and CHM 152
Chinese Language and Culture	3	3 credits for CHI 211
Chinese Language and Culture	4	6 credits for CHI 211 and CHI 212
Computer Science A	3	3 credits for CSC 151
Computer Science Principles	3	3 credits for CTI 110
Economics - Micro	3	3 credits for ECO 251
Economics - Macro	3	3 credits for ECO 252
English Language and Composition	3	3 credits for ENG 111
English Language and Composition	5	6 credits for ENG 111 and ENG 112
English Literature and Composition	3	3 credits for ENG 111
English Literature and Composition	5	6 credits for ENG 111 and ENG 113
Environmental Science	3	4 credits for BIO 140/140A
European History	3	3 credits for HIS 121
European History	5	6 credits for HIS 121 and HIS 122
French Language and Culture	3	4 credits for FRE 112/182
French Language and Culture	4	7 credits for FRE 112/182 and FRE 211
French Language and Culture	5	6 credits for FRE 211 and FRE 212

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German Language	3	4 credits for GER 112/182
German Language	4	7 credits for GER 112/182 and GER 211
German Language	5	6 credits for GER 211 and 212
Government/Politics - Comparative	3	3 credits for POL 220
Government/Politics - US	3	3 credits for POL 120
Human Geography	3	3 credits for GEO 111
Italian Language and Culture	3	4 credits for ITA 112/182
Italian Language and Culture	4	7 credits for ITA 112/182 and ITA 211
Italian Language and Culture	5	6 credits for ITA 211 and ITA 212
Japanese Language and Culture	3	3 credits for JPN 211
Japanese Language and Culture	4	6 credits for JPN 211 and JPN 212
Latin	3	4 credits for LAT 112/182
Latin	4	7 credits for LAT 112/182 and LAT 211
Latin	5	6 credits for LAT 211 and LAT 212
Music Theory	3	3 credits for MUS 121
Physics 1	3	4 credits for hours for PHY 151
Physics 2	3	8 credits for PHY 151 and PHY 152
Physics B ¹	3	4 credits for PHY 151 or PHY 131
Physics B ¹	5	8 credits for PHY 151 and PHY 152
Physics C – Mechanics	3	4 credits for PHY 251
Physics C – Electricity and Magnetism	3	4 credits for PHY 252
Pre-Calculus	3	8 credits for MAT 171 and MAT 172
Psychology	3	3 credits for PSY 150
Spanish Language and Culture OR Spanish Literature and Culture	3	4 credits for SPA 112/182
Spanish Language and Culture OR Spanish Literature and Culture	4	7 credits for SPA 112/182 and SPA 211
Spanish Literature and Culture OR Spanish Literature and Culture	5	6 credits for SPA 211 and SPA 212
Statistics	3	4 credits for MAT 152
US History	3	3 credits for HIS 131
US History	4	6 credits for HIS 131 and HIS 132
World History	3	3 credit hours for HIS 115

IB Test	Min Score	Durham Tech Course Credit
Biology SL	5	4 credits for BIO 110
Biology HL	4	4 credits for BIO 111
Biology HL	6	8 credits for BIO 111 and BIO 112
Chemistry HL	5	4 credits for CHM 151
Chinese SL	5	6 credits for CHI 211 and CHI 212
Chinese HL	4	6 credits for CHI 211 and CHI 212
Chinese A Literature OR Language & Literature	5	6 credits for CHI 211 and CHI 212
Economics SL	5	3 credits for ECO 151
Economics SL	6	6 credits for ECO 251 and 252
Economics HL	4	3 credits for ECO 151
Economics HL	6	6 credits for ECO 251 and 252
English A: Language and Literature SL with diploma or portfolio	6	3 credits for ENG 111
English A: Language and Literature HL with IB diploma or portfolio ²	5	3 credits for ENG 111
English A: Language and Literature HL with diploma or portfolio ²	6	6 credits for ENG 111, ENG 113
English A: Literature SL or HL without diploma or portfolio ²	5	3 credits for ENG 113
French B SL	5	6 credits for FRE 211 and FRE 212
French B HL	4	6 credits for FRE 211 and FRE 212
French A Literature OR Language & Literature	5	6 credits for FRE 211 and FRE 212
Geography SL	5	3 credits for GEO 111
Geography HL	4	3 credits for GEO 111
German B SL	5	6 credits for GER 211 and 212
German B HL	4	6 credits for GER 211 and 212
German A Literature OR Language & Literature	5	6 credits for GER 211 and 212
Global Politics SL	5	3 credits for POL 220
Global Politics HL	4	3 credits for POL 220
History HL	5	3 credits HIS 115
Italian B SL	5	6 credits for ITA 211 and ITA 212
Italian B HL	4	6 credits for ITA 211 and ITA 212
Italian A Literature OR Language & Literature	5	6 credits for ITA 211 and ITA 212
Japanese B SL	5	6 credits for JPN 211 and JPN 212
Japanese B HL	4	6 credits for JPN 211 and JPN 212
Japanese A Literature OR Language & Literature	5	6 credits for JPN 211 and JPN 212
Latin SL	5	6 credits for LAT 211 and LAT 212
Latin HL	4	6 credits for LAT 211 and LAT 212
Literature and Performance SL	5	3 credits for DRA 122

IB Test	Min Score	Durham Tech Course Credit
Mathematics HL ³	5	8 credits for MAT 271 and MAT 272
Mathematics: Further Mathematics HL ³	5	8 credits for MAT 271 and MAT 272
Mathematics Analysis and Approaches HL	5	8 credits for MAT 271 and MAT 272
Mathematics: Analysis and Approaches SL	5	4 credits for MAT 271
Mathematics: Applications and Interpretations HL	4	4 credits for MAT 271
Philosophy HL	5	3 credits for PHI 215
Physics HL	5	8 credits for PHY 151 and PHY 152
Psychology SL	5	3 credits for PSY 150
Psychology HL	4	3 credits for PSY 150
Social and Cultural Anthropology SL	5	3 credits for ANT 220
Social and Cultural Anthropology HL	4	3 credits for ANT 220
Spanish B SL	5	6 credits for SPA 211 and SPA 212
SPA B HL	4	6 credits for SPA 211 and SPA 212
Spanish A Literature OR Language & Literature	5	6 credits for SPA 211 and SPA 212

CLEP Exam	Min Score	Course Credit
Accounting	50	4 credits for ACC 120
American Government	50	3 credits for POL 120
American Literature	50	3 credits for ENG 231
American Literature	55	6 credits for ENG 231 and 232
Analyzing and Interpreting Literature	50	3 credits for ENG 131
Biology		No equivalent course
Calculus	50	4 credits for MAT 271
Chemistry		No equivalent course
College Algebra	50	4 credits for MAT 171
College Composition	50	3 credits for ENG 111
College Composition Modular		No equivalent course
College Mathematics	50	3 credits for MAT 143
English Literature	50	3 credits for ENG 241
English Literature	55	6 credits for ENG 241 and 242
French Language	50	3 credits for FRE 112
French Language	59	6 credits for FRE 112 and FRE 211
Freshman College Composition (must be taken with the essay)	50	3 credits for ENG 111
German Language	50	3 credits for GER 112
German Language	60	6 credits for GER 112 and GER 211
Humanities	50	3 credits for HUM 211
History of the US I: Early Colonization to 1877	50	3 credits for HIS 131
History of the US II: 1865 to the Present	50	3 credits for HIS 132
Human Growth and Development	50	3 credits for PSY 110
Information Systems	50	3 credits for CIS 110
Introduction to Educational Psychology	50	3 credits for PSY 263
Introductory Psychology	50	3 credits for PSY 150
Introductory Sociology	50	3 credits for SOC 210
Natural Science		No equivalent course
Precalculus	50	4 credits for MAT 172
Principles of Accounting	50	4 credits for ACC 120
Principles of Microeconomics	50	3 credits for ECO 251
Principles of Macroeconomics	50	3 credits for ECO 252
Social Sciences and History		No equivalent course
Spanish Language	50	3 credits for SPA 112
Spanish Language or Spanish Language with Writing	63	6 credits for SPA 112 and SPA 211
Western Civilization I: Ancient Near East to 1648	50	3 credits for HIS 121
Western Civilization II: 1648 to the Present	50	3 credits for HIS 122

DSST Exam	Min Score	Course Credit
Art of the Western World		No equivalent course
Astronomy		No equivalent course
Business Ethics and Society	400	3 credits for BUS 240
Business Law II	400	3 credits for BUS 116
Business Mathematics	400	3 credits for MAT 110
Civil War and Reconstruction	400	3 credits for HIS 226
Fundamentals of College Algebra	400	MAT 003, Tier 3 or DMA 010-080 non-course credit
Environment and Humanity		No equivalent course
Environmental Science		No equivalent course
Ethics in America		No equivalent course
Foundations of Education		No equivalent course
Introduction to Business	400	3 credits for BUS 110
Introduction to Geography	400	3 credits for GEO 111
Introduction to Geology		No equivalent course
Health and Human Development	400	3 credits for HEA 110
A History of the Vietnam War	400	3 credits for HIS 167
Human Cultural Geography	400	3 credits for GEO 111
Human Resources Management	400	3 credits for BUS 153
Introduction to World Religions	400	REL 110
Lifespan Developmental Psychology	400	3 credits for PSY 241
Math for Liberal Arts	400	3 credits for MAT 143
Organizational Behavior	400	3 credits for BUS 225
Principles of Advanced Composition		No equivalent course
Principles of Financial Accounting	400	4 credits for ACC 120
Principles of Public Speaking	400	3 credits for COM 231
Principles of Statistics	400	4 credits for MAT 152