

2024-2025 College Board Advanced Placement (AP) Examination Credit

	Units toward GE Credit	Units toward Elective Credit	GE Credit toward Degree	Cal Poly Pomona Course Equivalencies	
Examination	(Score of 3 or better required)			Score	Course
Arts					
Art History	3.0	3.0	Area C1	3, 4, 5	AH 2301 or AH 2302
Music Theory (aural and nonaural)	0.0	6.0	None	3, 4, 5	MU 1201
Studio Art: Drawing	0.0	3.0	None	3, 4, 5	See Art Dept.
Studio Art: 2D Design	0.0	3.0	None	3, 4, 5	See Art Dept.
Studio Art: 3D Design	0.0	3.0	None	3, 4, 5	See Art Dept.
Economics					
Microeconomics	3.0	0.0	Lower-Division Area D*	3, 4, 5	EC 2201
Macroeconomics	3.0	0.0	Lower-Division Area D*	3, 4, 5	EC 2202
Geography					
Human Geography	3.0	0.0	Lower-Division Area D*	3, 4, 5	GEO 1020
Government					
Comparative Government & Politics	3.0	0.0	Lower-Division Area D*	3, 4, 5	PLS 2020
US Government & Politics	3.0	0.0	Area D2	3, 4, 5 & pass CA govt. test	PLS 2010
US Government & Politics	3.0	0.0	Area D2	3, 4, 5	None
History					
European History	3.0	3.0	Area C2	3, 4, 5	HST 1102
US History	3.0	3.0	Area C2 or D1	3, 4, 5	HST 2202, IGE 2150, or IGE 2250
World History Modern	3.0	0.0	Area C2 or Lower Division Area D*	3, 4, 5	HST 1102, IGE 2150, or IGE 2250
Language and Literature					
Chinese Language and Culture	6.0	0.0	Area C2	3, 4, 5	CHN 1111 and CHN 1112
English Language and Composition	3.0	3.0	Area A2	3, 4, 5	ENG 1103 or IGE 1200
English Literature and Composition	6.0	0.0	Areas A2 and C2	3, 4, 5	ENG 1103 and ENG 2885, or IGE 1100 and IGE 1200
French Language and Culture	6.0	0.0	Area C2	3, 4, 5	FRE 1111 and FRE 1112
German Language and	6.0	0.0	Area C2	3, 4, 5	GER 1111 and GER

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Culture					1112
Italian Language and Culture	6.0	0.0	Area C2	3, 4, 5	None
Japanese Language and Culture	6.0	0.0	Area C2	3, 4, 5	None
Latin	3.0	3.0	Area C2	3, 4, 5	None
Spanish Language and Culture	6.0	0.0	Area C2	3, 4, 5	SPN 1111 and SPN 1112
Spanish Literature and Culture	6.0	0.0	Area C2	3, 4, 5	SPN 2112
Mathematics					
Calculus AB	3.0	1.0	Area B4	3, 4, 5	MAT 1140, MAT 1200, MAT 1250, or MAT 1300
Calculus BC	3.0	5.0	Area B4	3, 4, 5	MAT 1140 and MAT 1150, or MAT 1200, MAT 1250, or MAT 1300
Calculus BC/AB Subscore	3.0	1.0	Area B4	3, 4, 5	MAT 1140, MAT 1200, MAT 1250, or MAT 1300
Precalculus	3.0	0.0	Area B4	3, 4, 5	MAT 1050 or MAT 1060
Statistics	3.0	0.0	Area B4	3, 4, 5	STA 1200
Psychology					
Psychology	3.0	0.0	Area E	3, 4, 5	PSY 2201
Science					
Biology	3.0	3.0	Areas B2 and B3	3	BIO 1110 and BIO 1110L
Biology	4.0	2.0	Areas B2 and B3	4, 5	BIO 1150 and BIO 1150L, or BIO 1210 and BIO 1210L
Chemistry	4.0	2.0	Areas B1 and B3	3	None
Chemistry	4.0	2.0	Areas B1 and B3	4, 5	CHM 1210 and CHM 1210L
Computer Science Principles	3.0	3.0	B4	3, 4, 5	None
Computer Science A	0.0	3.0	None	3, 4, 5	None
Environmental Science	4.0	0.0	Areas B1 and B3	3, 4, 5	None
Physics 1	4.0	0.0	Areas B1 and B3	3	PHY 1020
Physics 1	4.0	0.0	Areas B1 and B3	4, 5	PHY 1210

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Physics 1	4.0	0.0	Areas B1 and B3	4 or 5, and evidence of satisfactory lab experience	PHY 1210 and PHY 1210L
Physics 2	4.0	0.0	Areas B1 and B3	3	PHY 1020
Physics 2	4.0	2.0	Areas B1 and B3	4, 5	PHY 1210 and PHY 1220
Physics 2	4.0	4.0	Areas B1 and B3	4 or 5, and evidence of satisfactory lab	PHY 1210, PHY 1210L, PHY 1220, and PHY 1220L
Physics C – Mechanics	4.0	0.0	Areas B1 and B3	3	PHY 1020
Physics C – Mechanics	4.0	0.0	Areas B1 and B3	4, 5	PHY 1510
Physics C – Mechanics	4.0	0.0	Areas B1 and B3	4 or 5, and evidence of satisfactory lab experience	PHY 1510 and PHY 1510L
Physics C – Electricity & Magnetism	4.0	0.0	Areas B1 and B3	3	PHY 1020
Physics C – Electricity & Magnetism	4.0	0.0	Areas B1 and B3	4, 5	PHY 1520
Physics C – Electricity & Magnetism	4.0	0.0	Areas B1 and B3	4 or 5, and evidence of satisfactory lab experience	PHY 1520 and PHY 1520L
Other Exams					
Seminar	0.0	3.0	None	3, 4, 5	None
Research	0.0	3.0	None	3, 4, 5	None

Students may substitute AP credit for one course in an IGE yearly sequence, with a maximum of two substitutions in the IGE Program. Students may not take a course for which they already have received AP credit. If a student passes more than one AP exam in calculus, computer science, or physics, only one examination may be applied to the baccalaureate.

* For students to complete their major within the prescribed unit requirement (typically 120 units), students with lower-division GE Area D credit could complete upper-division GE Synthesis courses HST 3340 and/or PLS 4205 to satisfy the American Institutions (AI) requirement Part A and/or Part B, respectively. Students majoring in programs with unrestricted elective units are strongly encouraged to complete HST 2201 or HST 2202 to satisfy AI requirement Part A, and/or PLS 2010 to satisfy AI requirement Part B. See your academic advisor for more information.