

## Santa Monica College Credit For Advanced Placement (AP) Tests

Students may earn credit for College Entrance Examination Board (CEEB) Advanced Placement (AP) Tests with scores of 3, 4 or 5. AP credit can be used to meet IGETC, CSU GE and AA general education (GE) and/or major requirements.

Students must have the College Board send AP exam results to the Admissions Office (hand-carried copies will not be accepted) for use on the AA or GE patterns.

Course credit and units granted at Santa Monica College (SMC) may differ from course credit and units granted by a transfer institution.

EXAM	SMC AA (MAJOR AND/OR GE)		CSU GE	CSU-UNITS EARNED TOWARD TRANSFER	IGETC	UC-UNITS EARNED TOWARD TRANSFER
ART HISTORY	Art 1 3 semester units		Area C1 <i>or</i> C2 3 semester units	6 semester units	Area 3A <i>or</i> 3B 3 semester units	8 quarter/5.3 semester units
ART (STUDIO)	No course equivalency (credit for the major may be granted upon petition to the Art Dept. and portfolio review) Elective 3 semester units		N/A	3 semester units	N/A	8 quarter/5.3 semester units
BIOLOGY	Biology 3 4 semester units		Area B2 <i>and</i> B3 4 semester units	6 semester units	Area 5B (with lab) 4 semester units	8 quarter/5.3 semester units
CALCULUS AB	Score of 3–Math 2; Score of 4 <i>or</i> 5–Math 7 5 semester units		Area B4 3 semester units	3 semester units*	Area 2A 3 semester units	4 quarter/2.7 semester units**
CALCULUS BC	Score of 3–Math 7; Score of 4 <i>or</i> 5–Math 8 5 semester units		Area B4 3 semester units	6 semester units*	Area 2A 3 semester units	8 quarter/5.3 semester units**
AP CALCULUS EXAM LIMITATIONS				*Only one exam may be used toward transfer		**Maximum credit 8 quarter/5.3 semester units for both
CHEMISTRY	Chemistry 10 5 semester units		Areas B1 <i>and</i> B3 4 semester units	6 semester units	Area 5A (with lab) 4 semester units	8 quarter/5.3 semester units
CHINESE LANGUAGE & CULTURE	Chinese 3 5 semester units		Area C2 3 semester units	6 semester units	Area 3B <i>and</i> 6A 3 semester units	8 quarter/5.3 semester units
COMPUTER SCIENCE: A	Score of 3–CS 3 3 semester units	Score of 4 <i>or</i> 5–CS 3 <i>and</i> 55 6 semester units*	N/A	3 semester units**	N/A	2 quarter/1.3 semester units***
COMPUTER SCIENCE: AB	Score of 3–CS 3 <i>and</i> 55 6 semester units*	Score of 4 <i>or</i> 5–CS 55 <i>and</i> 56 6 semester units*	N/A	6 semester units**	N/A	4 quarter/2.7 semester units***
AP CS EXAM LIMITATIONS		*Maximum 6 semester units for both		**Maximum one exam toward transfer		***Maximum 4 quarter/2.7 semester units for both
ECONOMICS: MACROECONOMICS	Economics 2 3 semester units		Area D2 3 semester units	3 semester units	Area 4B 3 semester units	4 quarter/2.7 semester units
MICROECONOMICS	Economics 1 3 semester units		Area D2 3 semester units	3 semester units	Area 4B 3 semester units	4 quarter/2.7 semester units

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ENGLISH: LANGUAGE/COMPOSITION	English 1 3 semester units	Area A2 3 semester units	6 semester units	Area 1A 3 semester units	8 quarter/5.3 semester units*
LITERATURE/COMPOSITION	English 1 <i>or</i> GE Humanities 3 semester units	Area A2 <i>and</i> C2 6 semester units	6 semester units	Area 1A <i>or</i> 3B 3 semester units	8 quarter/5.3 semester units*
AP ENGLISH EXAM LIMITATIONS					*8 quarter/5.3 semester units maximum for both
ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE	No Course equivalency GE Natural Science 3 semester units	Area B2 <i>and</i> B3 (if taken prior to Fall 2009) <i>or</i> Area B1 <i>and</i> B3 (regardless of when taken) 4 semester units	4 semester units	Area 5A (with lab) 3 semester units	4 quarter/2.7 semester units
FRENCH LANGUAGE	French 3 5 semester units	Area C2 3 semester units	6 semester units	Area 3B <i>and</i> 6A 3 semester units	8 quarter/5.3 semester units
FRENCH LITERATURE	No course equivalency GE Humanities 5 semester units	Area C2 3 semester units	6 semester units	Area 3B <i>and</i> 6A 3 semester units	8 quarter/5.3 semester units
GERMAN LANGUAGE	German 3 5 semester units	Area C2 3 semester units	6 semester units	Area 3B <i>and</i> 6A	8 quarter/5.3 semester units
GOVERNMENT & POLITICS–COMPARATIVE	Political Science 2 3 semester units	Area D8 3 semester units	3 semester units	Area 4H 3 semester units	4 quarter/2.7 semester units
GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS–U.S.	Political Science 1 3 semester units	Area D8 <i>and</i> US 2* 3 semester units	3 semester units	Area 4H 3 semester units	4 quarter/2.7 semester units
		*Does not fulfill AHI California Government requirement	Student can satisfy the AHI requirement after transfer		
HISTORY–EUROPEAN	History 2 3 semester units	Area C2 <i>or</i> D6 3 semester units	6 semester units	Area 3B <i>or</i> 4F 3 semester units	8 quarter/5.3 semester units
HISTORY–U.S.	History 11 3 semester units	Area C2 <i>or</i> D6 3 semester units	6 semester units	Area 3B <i>or</i> 4F 3 semester units	8 quarter/5.3 semester units
HISTORY–WORLD	History 34 3 semester units	Area C2 <i>or</i> D6 3 semester units	6 semester units	Area 3B <i>or</i> 4F 3 semester units	8 quarter/5.3 semester units
HUMAN GEOGRAPHY	Geography 2 3 semester units	Area D5 3 semester units	3 semester units	Area 4E 3 semester units	4 quarter/2.7 semester units
ITALIAN LANGUAGE & CULTURE	Italian 3 5 semester units	Area C2 3 semester units	6 semester units	Area 3B <i>and</i> 6A 3 semester units	8 quarter/5.3 semester units

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JAPANESE LANGUAGE/CULTURE	Japanese 3 5 semester units	Area C2 3 semester units	6 semester units	Area 3B <i>and</i> 6A 3 semester units	8 quarter/5.3 semester units
LATIN LITERATURE	No course equivalency GE Humanities 5 semester units	Area C2 3 semester units	6 semester units	Area 3B <i>and</i> 6A 3 semester units	4 quarter/2.7 semester units
LATIN VERGIL	No course equivalency GE Humanities 3 semester units	Area C2 3 semester units	3 semester units	Area 3B <i>and</i> 6A 3 semester units	4 quarter/2.7 semester units
MUSIC THEORY	Score of 3 – No course equivalency Elective 3 semester units Score of 4 or 5 – Music 2 <i>and</i> 6 5 semester units	Area C1 (if taken prior to Fall 2009) 3 semester units	6 semester units	N/A	8 quarter/5.3 semester units
PHYSICS B	Physics 12 3 semester units	B1 <i>and</i> B3 4 semester units*	6 semester units*	Area 5A (with lab) 4 semester units	8 quarter/5.3 semester units**
PHYSICS C MECHANICS	Physics 6 4 semester units	Area B1 <i>and</i> B3 4 semester units*	4 semester units*	Area 5A (with lab) 3 semester units	4 quarter/2.7 semester units**
PHYSICS C MAGNETISM	Physics 7 4 semester units	Area B1 <i>and</i> B3 4 semester units*	4 semester units*	Area 5A (with lab) 3 semester units	4 quarter/2.7 semester units**
AP PHYSICS EXAM LIMITATIONS			*Maximum 4 semester units toward GE and 6 semester units toward transfer		**Maximum 8 quarter/5.3 semester units for both
PSYCHOLOGY	Psychology 1 3 semester units	Area D9 3 semester units	3 semester units	Area 4I 3 semester units	4 quarter/2.7 semester units
SPANISH LANGUAGE	Spanish 3 5 semester units	Area C2 3 semester units	6 semester units	Area 3B <i>and</i> 6A 3 semester units	8 quarter/5.3 semester units
SPANISH LITERATURE	No course equivalency GE Humanities 5 semester units	Area C2 3 semester units	6 semester units	Area 3B <i>and</i> 6A 3 semester units	8 quarter/5.3 semester units
STATISTICS	Math 52 3 semester units	Area B4 3 semester units	3 semester units	Area 2 3 semester units	4 quarter/2.7 semester units

AA: Students should be aware that AP test credit is evaluated by corresponding it to an equivalent SMC course, e.g. History 11. A student who receives AP credit and then takes the equivalent SMC course will have the unit credit for such duplication deducted prior to being awarded the A.A. degree. Credit by Advanced Placement exam is noted and listed first on a student's transcript, with units assigned and no grade.

CSU GE: The Advanced Placement examinations may be incorporated into the certification of CSU General Education-Breath requirements by any certifying institution. All CSU campuses will accept the minimum units shown and apply them toward fulfillment of the designated General Education-Breath area if the examination is included as part of a full or subject-area certification. Please note that individual CSU campuses may choose to grant more units than those specified toward completion of General Education-Breath requirements.

IGETC: AP exams must be used in area indicated regardless of where the certifying CCC's discipline is located.