

Advanced Placement Credit 2022-2023 Academic Year

High scores on the AP exams can earn you credit and/or placement at the University of Denver. Credit is granted under the guidelines stated below. A maximum of 45 quarter hours can be awarded for AP and IB credit.

Note: This table was prepared based on spring 2022 exams. The credit in this table is for students who begin classes at DU in the 2022-2023 academic year. Students who started at DU in previous academic years must refer to the catalog for that year to find the appropriate credit.

AP score	5	4	3	Common Curr.
SUBJECT				
ART HISTORY	8 credits (ARTH 2801, 2802)	4 credits (ARTH 2801)		Analytical Inquiry: Society & Culture
STUDIO ART (2D Design) ¹	5 credits (ARTS 1100)	4 credits (ARTS 1100)		
STUDIO ART (3D Design or Drawing) ¹	5 credits (ARTS 1200)	4 credits (ARTS 1200)		
BIOLOGY	10 credits ³ (BIOL 1011/1021, 1010/1020)	5 credits ³ (BIOL 1011/1021)		Scientific Inquiry: The Natural & Physical World
CALCULUS BC	12 credits (MATH 1951, 1952, 1953)	8 credits (MATH 1951, 1952)	4 credits (MATH 1951)	Analytical Inquiry: Nat & Physical World
CALCULUS AB	4 credits (MATH 1951)	4 credits (MATH 1951)		Analytical Inquiry: Nat & Physical World
CHEMISTRY	12 credits ² (CHEM 1010/1240, 1020/1250, elective)	4 credits ³ (CHEM 1010/1240)		Scientific Inquiry: Natural & Physical World
COMPUTER SCIENCE A	7 credits (COMP 1351, elective)	3 credits (COMP 1351)		Analytical Inquiry: Nat & Physical World
COMPUTER SCIENCE PRINCIPLES	4 credits (COMP elective)	4 credits (COMP elective)		
MACROECONOMICS	4 credits (ECON 1020)	4 credits (ECON 1020)		Scientific Inquiry: Society & Culture
MICROECONOMICS	4 credits (ECON 1030)	4 credits (ECON 1030)		
ENGLISH LANGUAGE	8 credits (WRIT 1122, elective)	4 credits (WRIT 1122)	Advanced Standing ⁵	WRIT 1122 Writing and Rhetoric
ENGLISH LITERATURE	8 credits (WRIT 1122, ENGL 1110)	4 credits (ENGL 1110)	Advanced Standing ⁵	WRIT 1122 Writ & Rhet and/or ENGL 1110 AI:S&C
ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE	4 credits (ENVI elective)	4 credits (ENVI elective)		
FOREIGN LANGUAGE or FOREIGN LITERATURE ⁶	12 credits (elective)	8 credits (elective)	4 credits (elective)	Does not fulfill Language in the Common Curriculum.
GEOGRAPHY, HUMAN	8 credits (GEOG 1410, elective)	4 credits (GEOG 1410)		Scientific Inquiry: Society & Culture
HISTORY (U.S., European, or World) ^{1,4}	8 credits (HIST elective)	4 credits (HIST elective)		Analytical Inquiry: Society & Culture
MUSIC ⁷	8 MUAC credits	8 MUAC credits		Course equivalent determined by placement exam
PHYSICS 1	5 credits ³ (PHYS 1111)	5 credits ³ (PHYS 1111)		Scientific Inquiry: Natural & Physical World
PHYSICS 2	5 credits ³ (PHYS 1113)	5 credits ³ (PHYS 1113)		Scientific Inquiry: Natural & Physical World
PHYSICS 1 AND 2	15 credits ² (PHYS 1111, 1112, 1113)	15 credits ² (PHYS 1111, 1112, 1113)		Scientific Inquiry: Natural & Physical World
PHYSICS C Mechanics <i>ONLY</i>	5 credits ³ (PHYS 1211)	5 credits ³ (PHYS 1211)		Scientific Inquiry: Natural & Physical World
PHYSICS C Electricity & Magnetism (E&M) <i>ONLY</i>	5 credits ³ (PHYS 1213)	5 credits ³ (PHYS 1213)		Scientific Inquiry: Natural & Physical World
PHYSICS C Mech AND E&M	10 credits ³ (PHYS 1211, 1213)	10 credits ³ (PHYS 1211, 1213)		Scientific Inquiry: Natural & Physical World
POLITICAL SCIENCE (US Govt./Pol.)	4 credits (PLSC 1000)	4 credits (PLSC 1000)		Scientific Inquiry: Society & Culture
POLITICAL SCIENCE (Comp Govt./Pol.)	4 credits (PLSC 1110)	4 credits (PLSC 1110)		Scientific Inquiry: Society & Culture
PSYCHOLOGY	8 credits (PSYC 1001, elective)	4 credits (PSYC 1001)		Scientific Inquiry: Society & Culture

¹ Students may receive credit for one exam

² Fulfills Scientific Inquiry: Natural & Physical World requirement

³ Fulfills part of the Scientific Inquiry: Natural & Physical World requirement

⁴ Carries Analytical Inquiry: Society credit though not equivalent to a University course

⁵ Additional information at <https://www.du.edu/writing/studentinfo/ap-ibcredit.html>

⁶ Students may receive credit for one exam in one language, but this credit does not fulfill foreign language requirement.

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⁷ Specific course equivalent determined by placement exam. Additional information at <https://liberalarts.du.edu/lamont/admission-aid>

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SPANISH LANGUAGE ⁶ and SPANISH LITERATURE ⁶	12 Credits	8 Credits	4 Credits	Does <i>not</i> fulfill Foreign Language. Complete lang. placement exam to determine equivalents
STATISTICS	4 credits (INFO 1020)	4 credits (INFO 1020)		Part of Business Core

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