

International Baccalaureate Examination Credit - Granting Score and Course Equivalents

UNIVERSITY of Central Missouri Credit by Examination Policy

- Required scores and course equivalents are determined by academic department faculty and are subject to change without notice, pending faculty review.
- Students eligible to receive course credit by examination must be currently enrolled at UCM and are responsible for notifying Testing Services. *Please do not enroll in a course in which you anticipate receiving IB credit.*

Order an Official International Baccalaureate Score Report

- For assistance determining an appropriate Advanced Placement exam, please contact UCM Testing Services.
- **Order an official IB test score report (to be sent directly to Testing Services),** by contacting:

International Baccalaureate
Phone: 212-696-4464

475 Riverside Dr., 16th Floor
Website: www.IBO.org

New York, NY 10115

Credit by Examination - Eligibility Guidelines

- Only tests taken within the past 10 years are considered for special credit review.
- Duplicate credit is not permitted. Students may not earn credit if they have previously earned a grade in the same course from UCM or another institution as indicated on your transcript. If you have taken an Advanced Placement (AP) or CLEP test for the same course, you will only receive credit once.
- Students must have an official score report (one sent directly from the test company) on file in Testing Services, Humphreys 216, Warrensburg, MO 64093 to be considered for credit.

UCM Degree Audit/Transcript

- Course credit is posted once a student is attending UCM and an official IB score report is received in Testing Services. Certain tests require departmental approval. *Please do not enroll in a course in which you anticipate receiving IB credit.*
- Course credit by examination does not carry a letter grade and does not impact your grade point average.
- Course credit by examination placed on the transcript counts toward credit hours earned but not “enrolled hours” for a semester and may not be useable in a particular degree.
- Refer to the Undergraduate Catalog or your academic advisor for additional information.

Other Opportunities to Consider

- **ENGLISH ACT SCORE** - If you have an ACT English score of 26 or higher and your high school rank is in the upper 50th percentile, you are eligible to enroll in ENGL 1080 Advanced Composition. With an earned grade of “C” or better you will earn 6 credit hours of credit but you will have only paid for three hours!
- **DUAL CREDIT** - see UCM’s dual credit policy for information about earning college credit while in high school.
- **OTHER CREDIT BY EXAMINATION** - UCM also accepts Advanced Placement (AP) and CLEP scores.
- **VALIDATED CREDIT** - Refer to the Undergraduate Catalog, Modern Languages or contact the department at 660-543-4780.

NOTE: Testing Services does not administer IB exams. Please contact your high school counselor.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

 - Check the Undergraduate Catalog for information regarding:

- The fulfillment of the General Education Program.
- The General Education Assessment Policy as a condition for graduation. Learning and retention of knowledge is critical.

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(subject to change without notice)

IB Exam Title	Minimum Level and Required Score		UCM Course Equivalent		Credit Hours Granted	✓ Eligibility Restrictions
Biology	Higher	4	BIOL 1110	Principles of Biology	3	
Chemistry	Higher	5	CHEM 1131 CHEM 1132	General Chemistry I General Chemistry II	10	
Computer Science	Higher	5	CS 1100	Computer Programming I	3	✓ Available only to CS majors
English A Literature	Higher	5	ENGL 1020	Composition I	3	
Environmental Systems & Societies	Standard	5	BIOL 1003/1006 Ecology or BIOL 1004 Ecology or BIOL 1005/1006 Environmental Sci/Ecology Lab		4	
French Language B	Standard	4	FREN 1201	Elementary French I	3	
	Standard	5	FREN 1201 FREN 1202	Elementary French I and Elementary French II	6	
	Standard	6	FREN 1201 FREN 1202 FREN 2201	Elementary French I and Elementary French II and Intermediate French I	9	
	Standard	7	FREN 1201 FREN 1202 FREN 2201 FREN 2202	Elementary French I and Elementary French II and Intermediate French I and Intermediate French II	12	
German Language B	Standard	4	GER 1301	Elementary German I	3	
	Standard	5	GER 1301 GER 1302	Elementary German I and Elementary German II	6	
	Standard	6	GER 1301 GER 1302 GER 2301	Elementary German I and Elementary German II and Intermediate German I	9	
	Standard	7	GER 1301 GER 1302 GER 2301 GER 2302	Elementary German I and Elementary German II and Intermediate German I and Intermediate German II	12	
History Americas	Higher	4	HIST 1402	History of the Modern World	3	
Mathematical Studies	Standard	5	MATH 1620	Intro to Geometry & Decision Making for Ed.	3	
Mathematics	Standard	5	MATH 1111 MATH 1150	College Algebra or Pre-Calculus	3 5	
Mathematics	Higher	5	MATH 1111 MATH 1151	College Algebra or Calculus and Analytic Geometry I	3 5	
Music	Higher	4	MUS 2221	Introduction to Music Literature	2	
Psychology	Higher	5	PSY 1100	General Psychology	3	
Physics	Higher	5	PHYS 1101 PHYS 1102	College Physics I College Physics II	8	
Spanish Language B	Standard	4	SPAN 1601	Elementary Spanish I	3	
	Standard	5	SPAN 1601 SPAN 1602	Elementary Spanish I and Elementary Spanish II	6	
	Standard	6	SPAN 1601 SPAN 1602 SPAN 2601	Elementary Spanish I and Elementary Spanish II and Intermediate Spanish I	9	
	Standard	7	SPAN 1601 SPAN 1602 SPAN 2601 SPAN 2602	Elementary Spanish I and Elementary Spanish II and Intermediate Spanish I and Intermediate Spanish II	12	
Visual Arts A	Higher	4	ART 4010	Special Projects in Art	1-3	✓ Requires Departmental Approval