
TAYLOR UNIVERSITY
Advanced Placement (AP)

POLICIES

Credit is granted as specified below:

- Grades are not given for credit earned by examination, nor are the credits figured in the Taylor grade point average.
- Credits earned through examination will be entered on the student's permanent record after official enrollment and upon completion of application and testing. Students not desiring credit must request that the credit be waived.
- Credits earned may be used to satisfy general education or academic program requirements or elective credit.
- Approved credits may be used to meet prerequisites for advanced courses.
- Unsuccessful attempts to earn credit by examination will not be recorded. No recording fee is charged for unsuccessful attempts.
- Students are charged a \$20 per credit hour fee for awarding and recording credit, in addition to any required examination fee(s).

The College Board Advanced Placement Program (AP) is designed to test the knowledge of secondary school students who have taken college-level courses in high school. The tests are offered at participating schools in May of each year. Students must request that a copy of the AP grade report be sent to Taylor University (1802).

Taylor offers college credit according to specific criteria. Students who meet Taylor's standards in the following examinations are eligible for credit: Biology, Calculus, Chemistry, Computer Science, Macro and Micro Economics, Environmental Science, European History, English, Physics, Political Science, Psychology, Sociology, Statistics, U.S. History, and World History.

Requirements and equivalent Taylor courses are listed in the table on the reverse side of this page. For further information or assistance contact your high school or the AP program by phone at (888) CALL-4-AP (225-5427) or (609) 771-7300, by fax (609) 530-0482, or by email apexams@info.collegeboard.org.

A maximum of 30 hours of advanced placement and credit by examination may be applied to meet graduation requirements.

Language Requirement – AP: Candidates for the Bachelor of Arts degree must demonstrate the equivalent of two years of sequential college-level study in one foreign language for graduation from Taylor University. Taylor offers language instruction in French, Spanish, New Testament Greek, and Old Testament Hebrew.

French, Spanish & Chinese

Students who take and pass the AP exams in French, Spanish or Chinese with a score of 4 will have met the language proficiency for the BA degree and may receive credit for 201 and 202. The fee for posting credit to the transcript should be paid at the time of notification. These exams must be taken prior to enrollment at Taylor.

Greek and Hebrew

New Testament Greek and Old Testament Hebrew are not administered by AP or CLEP exams.

German, Italian, Latin and Japanese

AP exams are offered in German, Italian, Latin, and Japanese. Any student scoring a 4 for these languages will have met the language proficiency for the BA degree. No credits will be given for these languages. If a student scores below 4 and wishes to pursue one of these language options, the student must meet with the Modern Languages Department Chair. Any approved arrangement for meeting proficiency must be through a regionally accredited U.S. college or university and would not include transfer of credits from those institutions. Since AP is for high school students, these exams must be taken prior to enrollment at Taylor.

These policies are subject to change without notice.

For further information, please contact: Taylor University Testing Office

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ADVANCED PLACEMENT

AP Test	AP Min Score	Course No	Course Title	Credit Hrs
Art-Drawing	4 plus portfolio (12-15 drawings)	ART 101	Drawing I	3
Art History	4	ART 311	Western Art History I	3
Biology	3	BIO 100	General Biology w/Lab	4
Biology	4	BIO 201	Biology I: Foundations of Cell Biology & Genetics	4
Calculus AB Or Calculus BC	3 Or 2	MAT 140	Fundamental Calculus for Applications	3
Calculus AB Or Calculus BC	4 Or 3	MAT 151	Calculus I	4
Calculus AB Or Calculus BC	5 Or 4-5	MAT 151, 230	Calculus I, II	8
Chemistry	3	CHE 201	General, Organic and Biochemistry I w/Lab	4
Chemistry	4	CHE 201, 202 OR CHE 211	General, Organic and Biochemistry I, II w/Lab (not planning to take additional chemistry) Or College Chemistry I w/Lab (planning to take additional chemistry)	8 OR 4
Chemistry	5	CHE 201,202 OR CHE 211,212	General, Organic and Biochemistry I, II w/Lab Or College Chemistry I, II with Lab	8 OR 8
Chinese Language	4	CHI 201, 202	Intermediate Chinese	6
Computer Science A	4	COS 120	Intro to Computer Science	4
Computer Science Principles	4	COS 104	Computing and Culture-Applications and Context	3
English Language/Comp** Or English Literature/Comp**	4 Or 4	ENG 110	College Composition	3
English Literature/Comp	5	ENG 299	Survey Literature	3
Environmental Science	3	SUS 200	Environment and Society	3
European History	4	HIS 170	European History	3
French Language	4	FRE 201, 202	Intermediate French	6
Human Geography	4	GEO 220	Regional Geography	3
Macroeconomics	4	ECO 202	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
Microeconomics	4	ECO 201	Principles of Microeconomics	3
Physics I	3	PHY 203	General Physics I w/Lab	4
Physics 2	3	PHY 204	General Physics II w/Lab	4
Physics C (M)	4	PHY 211	University Physics I w/Lab	5
Physics C (EM)	4	PHY 212	University Physics II w/Lab	5
Government & Politics (US)	4	POS 100	American Politics	3
Government & Politics (Com)	4	POS 222	Comparative Politics	3
Psychology (General)	3	PSY 100	Intro to Psychology	3
Spanish Language	4	SPA 201, 202	Intermediate Spanish	6
Statistics	4	MAT 210	Introductory Statistics	4
U.S. History	4	HIS 124	History of the U.S.	3
U.S. History	5	HIS 124, 125	History of the U.S.	6
World History	4	HIS 104	World History	3

**A student who scores a 4 or 5 on the AP English Language exam and a 5 on the AP English Literature exam will receive ENG 110 for the AP English Language and ENG 299 for the AP English Literature.