

ADVANCED PLACEMENT (AP) EXAMINATION CREDIT ALLOWANCES – All Venues

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Note: The maximum number of credits allowed for standardized examinations is 32. UNW code for receipt of score report: **6489**.

Additional information about AP is available at <https://apcentral.collegeboard.org>. Any questions regarding UNW course equivalencies can be directed to registrar@unwsp.edu for Traditional Undergraduate and Dual Enrollment and ags@unwsp.edu for Adult Undergraduate.

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COURSE CODE (ACE)	EXAMINATION	MINIMUM SCORE	SEMESTER CREDITS	UNW COURSE EQUIVALENCY
	CREATIVE EXPRESSION			
CBAP-0001	Art History	4,5	4	ART1005 and ART History selective
CBAP-0044	2-D Art & Design	3,4,5	4	ART1035
CBAP-0045	3-D Art & Design	3,4,5	4	ART2251
CBAP-0010	English: Literature and Composition	3,4,5	4	LIT1000 (Literature elective)
	CRITICAL THINKING & INFORMATION LITERACY			
CBAP-0043	Research	3	3	ENG2205 or ENG1107
		4,5	6	3 cr ENG2205 or ENG1107, and 3 cr ELE1000
CBAP-0042	Seminar	3	3	ELE1000
		4	6	ELE1000
	CULTURAL & GLOBAL ENGAGEMENT			
CBAP-0033	Chinese Language and Culture	3	4	CHN1001
		4,5	8	CHN1001, CHN1002
CBAP-0011	French Language and Culture	3	4	FOR1001
		4,5	8	FOR1001, FOR1002
CBAP-0013	German Language and Culture	3	4	FOR1000
		4,5	8	FOR1000, FOR1050
CBAP-0016	History: European	4,5	4	HIS1005
CBAP-0017	History: United States	3,4	4	HIS1005 or HIS2001 or HIS2002
		5	8	Any two of HIS1005, HIS2001, HIS2002 (any remaining credits to Electives, if needed)
CBAP-0030	Italian Language and Culture	3	4	FOR1000
		4,5	8	FOR1000, FOR1050
CBAP-0031	Japanese Language and Culture	3	4	FOR1000
		4,5	8	FOR1000, FOR1050
CBAP-0027	Spanish Language and Culture	3	4	SPA1001
		4,5	8	SPA1001, SPA1002
CBAP-0032	World History: Modern	4,5	4	HIS1005
	EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION			
CBAP-0009	English: Language and Composition	3,4,5	4	ENG1105 or ENG1107
	SCIENTIFIC & QUANTITATIVE LITERACY			
CBAP-0003	Biology	4,5	4	BIO1011/1011L (Natural Science)
CBAP-0004	Chemistry	4,5	4	CHE1021/1021L (Natural Science)
CBAP-0007	Macroeconomics	3,4,5	4	ECO2201/ECO2001 (Social Science)
CBAP-0036	Microeconomics	3,4,5	4	ECO2202/ECO2002 (Social Science)
CBAP-0035	Environmental Science	3,4,5	4	SCI1010/1010L (Natural Science)
CBAP-0029	Geography, Human	3,4,5	4	GEO1005 (Social Science)
CBAP-0014	Government and Politics: Comparative	3,4,5	4	POS1005 (Social Science)
CBAP-0015	Government and Politics: United States	3,4,5	4	POS2005 (Social Science)
CBAP-0020	Mathematics: Calculus AB	4,5	4	MAT2121 (Mathematics)
	Mathematics: Calculus AB subscore	4,5	4	MAT2121 (Mathematics)
CBAP-0021	Mathematics: Calculus BC	4,5	8	MAT2121, MAT2122 (Mathematics)
CBAP-0049	Mathematics: Precalculus	4, 5	4	MAT1126
CBAP-0037	Physics: Physics 1	3,4,5	4	PHY1101/PHY1101L (Natural Science)
CBAP-0038	Physics: Physics 2	3,4,5	4	PHY1102/PHY1102L (Natural Science)

COURSE CODE (ACE)	EXAMINATION	MINIMUM SCORE	SEMESTER CREDITS	UNW COURSE EQUIVALENCY
	SCIENTIFIC & QUANTITATIVE LITERACY (continued)			
CBAP-0040	Physics C: Mechanics	4,5	4	PHY1201/PHY1201L (Natural Science)
CBAP-0039	Physics C: Electricity & Magnetism	4,5	4	PHY1202/PHY1202L (Natural Science)
CBAP-0026	Psychology	3,4,5	4	PSY1005 (Social Science)
CBAP-0034	Statistics	4,5	4	MAT2055 (Mathematics)
	ELECTIVES/OTHER			
CBAP-0041	Computer Science A	3,4,5	4	COS3271
CBAP-0006	Computer Science Principles (replacing Computer Science AB)	3 4, 5	2 4	COS1011 COS1011 and COS2112 (2 cr each)
CBAP-0018	Latin	3	4	ACL2021
		4,5	8	ACL2021, ACL2022
CBAP-0022	Music Theory	3,4,5	4**	**Northwestern Music Theory Placement Exam results determine music credits awarded. Any remaining credits are applied to electives, if needed.