

# Brightpoint Community College Policies and Procedures

## Credit for Prior Learning Procedures

### Credits Earned in Standardized Examinations

#### Advanced Placement Examination Program (AP)

The College Entrance Examination Board (CEEB) administers advanced placement examinations that enable high school students to complete college-level courses while still in high school, to demonstrate college-level achievements through examinations, and to receive college course credit when they matriculate at an institution of higher learning. AP credit is only awarded to students who are enrolled in classes at Brightpoint and are curriculum-placed. For evaluation, students must have official AP score reports forwarded from ETS to the Admissions and Records Office at Brightpoint. College credit will be awarded for minimum scores of 3 on the following examinations:

<u>Examination</u>	<u>Course Equivalent</u>	<u>Credit</u>
Art History	ART 101-102	6
Art Studio 2D	ART 131	3
Art Studio 3D	ART 132	3
Art Studio: Drawing	ART 121	3
Biology	BIO 101-102	8
Chemistry	CHM 111-112	8
Chinese Language and Culture	CHI 201-202	6
Computer Science A	CSC 201	4
Computer Science Principles	CSC 200	3
Economics, Macro	ECO 201	3
Economics, Micro	ECO 202	3
English Language & Composition	ENG 111-112	6
English Literature & Composition	ENG 111-112	6
Environmental Science	ENV 121-122	8
French Language and Culture	FRE 201-202	6
German Language and Culture	GER 201-202	6
Government & Politics/Comparative	PLS 140	3
Government & Politics/U.S.	PLS 135	3
History, U.S.	HIS 121-122	6
History, European	HIS 101-102	6
History, World	HIS 111-112	6
History, World: Modern	HIS 112	3
Human Geography	GEO 210	3
Italian Language and Culture	ITA 201-202	3
Japanese Language and Culture	JPN 201-202	6
Latin	LAT 201-202	6
Mathematics (Calculus AB)	MTH 263	4
Mathematics (Calculus BC)	MTH 263-264	8
Music Theory	MUS 111-112	8
Physics 1	PHY 201	4
Physics 2	PHY 202	4

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Physics C/Mechanics	PHY 241	4
Physics C/Electricity & Magnetism	PHY 242	4
Psychology	PSY 200	3
Spanish Language and Culture	SPA 201-202	6
Spanish Literature and Culture	SPA 233-234 <b>or</b> SPA 271-272	6
Statistics	MTH 245	3

### College-Level Examination Program (CLEP)

Credit for the General Examinations and Subject Examinations of CLEP is awarded subject to the recommendations of the Commission of Educational Credit and Credentials of the American Council on Education (ACE) and the faculty at Brightpoint. CLEP credit is awarded only to students who are enrolled in classes at Brightpoint and who are curriculum-placed and who have submitted official CLEP records to the Admissions and Records Office. All scores below refer to computer-based testing in effect as of February 15, 2003. CLEP examinations taken at Brightpoint do not count toward the 25 percent coursework (see Experiential Learning).

CLEP examinations are administered at Brightpoint by the Testing Center. CLEP examinations are not administered at Brightpoint during the last two weeks of a semester or during the final examination period.

<u>Examination</u>	<u>Minimum Score</u>	<u>Credit</u>	<u>Course equivalent</u>
American Literature	50	3	ENG 241
	58	6	ENG 241-242
Analyzing and Interpreting Literature	50	3	ENG 245
	60	6	ENG 245-246
College Composition	50	6	ENG 111-112
College Comp (modular)	50	3	ENG 111
English Literature	50	6	ENG 111-112
College French	50	2 sem cr	FRE 101-102
College French	59	4 sem cr	FRE 201-202
College German	50	2 sem cr	GER 101-102
College German	60	4 sem cr	GER 201-202
College Spanish	50	2 sem cr	SPA 101-102
College Spanish	63	4 sem cr	SPA 201-202
American Government	50	3	PLS 135
History of the U.S. I (Early Colonization to 1877)	50	3	HIS 121
History of the U.S. II (1865 to the Present)	50	3	HIS 122
Human Growth and Development	50	3	PSY 230
Humanities	50	3	HUM 201
	56	6	HUM 201-202
Introduction to Educational	50	3	PSY 245

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Psychology			
Principles of Macroeconomics	50	3	ECO 201
Principles of Microeconomics	50	3	ECO 202
Introductory Psychology	50	3	PSY 200
Introductory Sociology	50	3	SOC 200
Western Civilization I (Ancient times to 1648)	50	3	HIS 101
Western Civilization II (1648 to the Present)	50	3	HIS 102
Biology	50	4	BIO 101
Calculus	50	4	MTH 263
Chemistry	50	4	CHM 101
	63	8	CHM 101-102
College Algebra	50	3	MTH 158
Precalculus	50	3	MTH 161
	61	6	MTH 161-162
College Mathematics	50	3	MTH 154
Natural Sciences	50	4	NAS 101
Principles of Accounting	50	3	ACC 211
	53	6	ACC 211-212
Introductory Business Law	50	3	BUS 241
Information Systems	50	3	ITE 115
Principles of Marketing	50	3	MKT 100
Principles of Management	50	3	BUS 200

### **Defense Activity for Non-Traditional Educational Support (DANTES)**

Brightpoint awards specific course credit for acceptable scores, as recommended by the American Council on Education, on DANTES college-level examinations as reported by DANTES. Several types of examinations are reported: end of course examinations for correspondence, extension courses from regionally accredited colleges and universities, College-Level Tests of General Educational Development given prior to 1960, and General Examination of the College-Level Examination Program. Also, college course credits may be granted for tests administered by the United States Armed Forces Institutes (USAFI) prior to June 1, 1974. Scores at the 40th percentile and above are accepted by Brightpoint. Scores at the 20th percentile and above are accepted for DANTES exams taken prior to September 1981. A complete listing of current and prior tests and recommended scores may be found in ACE's *Guide to Educational Credit by Examination*.

### **Credit will be awarded for minimum scores earned on the following DSST examinations.**

<u>Examination</u>	<u>ACE ID</u>	<u>Min. Score</u>	<u>Credits</u>	<u>Course equivalent</u>
Art of the Western World	DANT-0054	400	3	ART 101
Business Law II	DANT-0011	400	3	BUS 241
Business Mathematics	DANT-0012	400	3	BUS 125
Principles of Supervision	DANT-0047	400	3	BUS 111

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Computing and Info Tech	DANT-0028	400	3	ITE 115
Criminal Justice	DANT-0015	400	3	ADJ 100
Ethics in America	DANT-0018	400	3	PHI 220
Fund. of College Algebra	DANT-0049	400	3	MTH 158
General Anthropology	DANT-0022	400	3	SOC 211
Health and Human Dev	DANT-0023	400	3	HLT 110
History of the Vietnam War	DANT-0062	400	3	HIS EEE
Civil War & Reconstruction	DANT-0056	400	3	HIS 269
History of the Soviet Union	DANT-0074	400	3	HIS EEE
Intro. to Modern Middle East	DANT-0030	400	3	HIS EEE
Human/Cultural Geography	DANT-0071	400	3	GEO 210
Human Resource Mgt.	DANT-0067	400	3	BUS 205
Introduction to Business	DANT-0026	400	3	BUS 100
Intro. to Law Enforcement	DANT-0064	400	3	ADJ 110
Intro. to World Religions	DANT-0031	400	3	REL 230
Lifespan Dev. Psychology	DANT-0065	400	3	PSY 230
Personal Finance	DANT-0037	400	3	FIN 107
Principles of Finance	DANT-0041	400	3	FIN 215
Prin. of Fin. Accounting	DANT-0042	400	3	ACC 211
Prin. of Physical Science I	DANT-0068	400	3	PHY EEE
Principles of Statistics	DANT-0046	400	3	MTH 245
Prin. of Public Speaking*	DANT-0069	400	3	CST 100

(\*In addition to a minimum score of 400 on the multiple-choice test, an examinee must also receive a passing grade on the speech.)

### **International Baccalaureate (IB)**

Students completing the **Higher-Level** exams for International Baccalaureate may be granted prior learning credit for these exams if a score of 4 or above is achieved.

<u>IB Examination</u>	<u>Score of 4 &amp; 5</u>	<u>Score of 6 &amp; 7</u>
Art Design	ART 131, 3 cr	ART 131-132, 6 cr
Biology	BIO 101, 4 cr	BIO 101-102, 8 cr
Chemistry	CHM 111, 4 cr	CHM 111-112, 8 cr
Computing Studies	CSC 201, 4 cr	CSC 201-202, 8 cr
English A1	ENG 111, 3 cr	ENG 111-112, 6 cr
English B	ENG 111, 3 cr	ENG 111, 3 cr
French A1 or B	FRE 101-102, no cr	FRE 201-202, 6 cr
German A1 or B	GER 101-102, no cr	GER 201-202, 6 cr
Geography	GEO 220, 3 cr	GEO 205, 220, 7 cr
History	HIS 101, 3 cr	HIS 101, 102, 6 cr
History of the Americas	(only if 5,6, or 7)	HIS Elective, 6 cr
Mathematics	MTH 263, 4cr	MTH 263-264, 8cr
Philosophy	PHI 101, 3 cr	PHI 101-102, 6 cr
Physics	PHY 201, 4 cr	PHY 201-202, 8 cr
Psychology	PSY 200, 3 cr	PSY 200, 3 cr

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Social Anthropology  
Spanish A1 or B

SOC 211, 3 cr  
SPA 101-102, no cr

SOC 211-212, 6 cr  
SPA 201-202, 6 cr

Students must have an official report of exam scores sent from the International Baccalaureate Organization to the Office of Admissions and Records.

### **Information**

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