

ACE Credit Recommendations

ACE, B-Level and C-Level Credit-Granting Scores for CLEP Exams

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Exam Title	Credit-Granting Score (C-Level)	Semester Hours	B-Level	Ancilla Course #	Ancilla Course Name
Business					
Financial Accounting	50	3	65	ACCT110	Financial Accounting
Information Systems	50	3	66		
Introductory Business Law	50	3	60	BADM210	Business Law
Principles of Macroeconomics	50	3	62	ECON251	Macroeconomics
Principles of Management	50	3	63	MGT210	Principles of Management
Principles of Marketing	50	3	65	MKT220	Principles of Marketing
Principles of Microeconomics	50	3	64	ECON250	Microeconomics
Composition & Literature					
American Literature	50	3	53	ENGLUND	Literature Elective
Analyzing and Interpreting Literature	50	3	59	ENGLUND	Literature Elective
College Composition	50	6	59	ENGL110	Writing I
College Composition Modular	50	3	60	ENGL110	Writing I
English Literature	50	3	62	ENGLUND	Literature Elective
Humanities	50	3	55		
History & Social Sciences					
American Government	50	3	63	PSCI160	American National Government
History of the United States I	50	3	56	HIST144	History of US to 1877
History of the United States II	50	3	57	HIST145	History of US since 1877
Human Growth and Development	50	3	58	ED/PSY256	Human Growth & Development
Introduction to Educational Psychology	50	3	62	ED250	Educational Psychology
Introductory Psychology	50	3	59	PSY115	General Psychology
Introductory Sociology	50	3	56	SOC140	Intro to Sociology
Social Sciences and History	50	6	62		
Western Civilization I	50	3	55	HIST255	World Civilization to 1660
Western Civilization II	50	3	54	HIST256	World Civilization since 1660
Science & Mathematics					
Biology	50	6	56	BIOL122 BIOL122+124	Principles of Biology I Principles of Biology I & II
Calculus	50	4	64	MATH230	Calculus I
Chemistry	50	6	65	CHEM120 CHEM120+121	General Chemistry I General Chemistry I & II
College Algebra	50	3	63	MATH110	College Algebra
College Mathematics	50	6	57	MATH125	Finite Mathematics
Natural Sciences	50	6	62		
Precalculus	50	3	61	MATH220	Pre-Calculus
World Languages*					
French Language Level 1 Proficiency	50	6	64	FREN110 & 111	French I & II
French Language Level 2 Proficiency	59	9	69		
German Language Level 1 Proficiency	50	6	59		
German Language Level 2 Proficiency	60	9	67		
Spanish Language Level 1 Proficiency	50	6	56	SPAN110 & 111	Spanish I & II
Spanish Language Level 2 Proficiency	63	9	68		

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The scores and semester hours that appear in this table are the credit-granting scores and semester hours recommended by the American Council on Education (ACE). They are equivalent to a grade of C in the corresponding course.

The American Council on Education (ACE) recommends a credit-granting score of 50 for each CLEP exam. This is a scaled score, equivalent to earning a C in the relevant course; the corresponding raw score is determined after the panel of college faculty who teach the equivalent course perform a detailed and rigorous review of exam content. The review needs to be approved by the test development committee that oversees each CLEP exam.

In addition to determining the recommended credit-granting score of 50, college faculty members also recommend a scaled score that is equivalent to a grade of B. While ACE has not endorsed this B score, it is useful to those schools that print grade equivalents for CLEP exams on student transcripts, or those specialized programs that require a minimum grade of B on all transferred credit.

*For each of the world languages, there is only one exam covering both Level 1 and 2 content. ACE recommends 6 semester hours of