

COLLEGE LEVEL EXAMINATION PROGRAM (CLEP)

CLEP exams cannot be applied toward Cal-GETC, AA GE, or AS GE requirements and only count as elective units. Note that elective credit granted at San José City College may differ from credit and units awarded by a transfer institution.

However, the CSU Systemwide Credit for External Examinations (<https://calstate.policystat.com/policy/14685671/latest/>) can be used to award transfer credit for admission or to fulfill CSU GE Requirements. Students who have earned CLEP credit should meet with a counselor to discuss how that credit may be applied at a transfer institution.

CLEP Exam	Passing Score	Minimum Semester Credit Earned
CLEP American Government	50	3
CLEP American Literature	50	3
CLEP Analyzing and Interpreting Literature	50	3
CLEP Biology	50	3
CLEP Calculus	50	3
CLEP Chemistry	50	3
CLEP College Algebra	50	3
CLEP College Algebra - Trigonometry	50	3
CLEP College Mathematics	50	0
CLEP English Composition (no essay)	50	0
CLEP English Composition with essay	50	0
CLEP Financial Accounting	50	3
CLEP French Level I ¹	50	6
CLEP French Level II ¹	59	9
CLEP Freshman College Composition	50	0
CLEP German Level I ¹	50	6
CLEP German Level II ¹	60	9
CLEP History, United States I	50	3
CLEP History, United States II	50	3
CLEP Human Growth and Development	50	3
CLEP Humanities	50	3
CLEP Information Systems and Computer Applications	50	3

CLEP Introduction to Educational Psychology	50	3
CLEP Introductory Business Law	50	3
CLEP Introductory Psychology	50	3
CLEP Introductory Sociology	50	3
CLEP Natural Sciences	50	3
CLEP Pre-Calculus	50	3
CLEP Principles of Accounting	50	3
CLEP Principles of Macroeconomics	50	3
CLEP Principles of Management	50	3
CLEP Principles of Marketing	50	3
CLEP Principles of Microeconomics	50	3
CLEP Social Sciences and History	50	0
CLEP Spanish Level I ¹	50	6
CLEP Spanish Level II ¹	63	9
CLEP Western Civilization I	50	3
CLEP Western Civilization II	50	3

¹ If a student passes more than one CLEP test in the same language other than English (e.g., two exams in French), then only one examination may be applied to the Associate Degree.