

# MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY

## College Board Advanced Placement Program Equivalencies

AP Subject	Score	Credits	MSU Course	Adviser
US History* Exam <b>07</b>	5, 4 or 3	8 credits	HST 202, 203	Or, IAH 211 or above course
	2	0 credit	Waive HST 202, 203	
	1	No credit		
<i>US History and English</i>	<i>5, 4 or 3</i>	<i>8 credits</i>	<i>IAH 201 + HST 202</i>	For non-history majors: If credit earned for WRA 150, then HST 203 becomes IAH 201
	<i>5 or 4</i>	<i>4 credits</i>	<i>+ WRA 150 (w/ credit)</i>	
Art History Exam <b>13</b>	5	8 credits	HA 101, 102, GCU	
	4	8 credits	HA 101, 102, GCU	
	3, 2 or 1	No credit		
Art – Studio – Drawing Exam <b>14</b>	5 or 4	3 credits	STA 110	
	3, 2 or 1	No credit		
Art – Studio – 2-D Design Exam <b>15</b>	5 or 4	3 credits	STA 113	
	3, 2 or 1	No credit		
Art – Studio – 3-D Design Exam <b>16</b>	5 or 4	3 credits	STA 114	
	3, 2 or 1	No credit		
Biology* Exam <b>20</b>	5 or 4	8 credits	BS 161, 162 & Waive BS 171, 172, GCU	Or, ISB 200-level course
	3	No credit		
	2 or 1	No credit		
NOTE: The student must choose whether to keep the AP exam results or the MSU enrollment if the course work is non-honors.				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>An override process takes place by the Registrar's Office to place 'NR' (not a repeat) into the system to allow credit for both LB or BS 182H, 192H when this MSU enrollment appears</li> <li>An override process takes place by the Registrar's Office to place 'NR' (not a repeat) into the system to allow credit for both LB or BS 181H, 191H when this MSU enrollment appears</li> </ul>				
Calculus AB Exam <b>66</b>	5 or 4	3 credits	MTH 132	
	3, 2 or 1	No credit		
Calculus BC Exam <b>68</b>	5, 4 or 3	7 credits	MTH 132, 133	
	2 or 1	No credit		
Calculus Sub grade Exam <b>69</b>	5, 4, 3, 2 or 1	No credit		
NOTE: The student must choose whether to keep the AP exam results or the MSU enrollment as the student cannot receive credit for both - whether MTH is honors or not.				
Capstone Seminar Exam <b>22</b>	5, 4, 3, 2 or 1	No credit		
Capstone Research Exam <b>23</b>	5 or 4	4 credits	WRA 101	
	3	0 credit	Waive WRA 101	
	2 or 1	No credit		
Chemistry* Exam <b>25</b>	5 or 4	8 credits	CEM 151, 152, 161	Or, ISP 200-level course
	3	5 credits	CEM 141, 161	
	2 or 1	No credit		
NOTE: The student must choose whether to keep the AP exam results or the MSU enrollment if the course work is non-honors.				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>An override process takes place by the Registrar's Office to place 'NR' (not a repeat) into the system to allow credit for both CEM 151 &amp; CEM181H as well as CEM 141 &amp; CEM182H</li> </ul>				
Chinese Language and Culture Exam <b>28</b>	5	15 credits	CHS 102, 201, 202	
	4	10 credits	CHS 102, 201	
	3	5 credits	CHS 102	
	2	No credit		
	1	No credit		
Computer Science A Exam <b>31</b>	5 or 4	4 credits	CSE 231	
	3, 2 or 1	No credit		
Computer Science Principles Exam <b>32</b>	5, 4, 3, 2 or 1	3 credits	CSE GCU	
Economics* - Micro Exam <b>34</b>	5 or 4	3 credits	EC 201	<i>Or, ISS 200-level course</i>
	3	0 credit	Waive EC 201	
	2 or 1	No credit		
Economics* - Macro Exam <b>35</b>	5 or 4	3 credits	EC 202	<i>Or, ISS 200-level course</i>
	3	0 credit	Waive EC 202	
	2 or 1	No credit		

English* Language & Composition Exam <b>36</b> and/or Literature & Composition Exam <b>37</b>	5	4 credits	WRA 101	<i>Or, with Literature = ENG 210(3)</i>
	4	4 credits	WRA 101	<i>Or, with Literature = ENG GCU(3)</i>
	3	0 credit	Waive WRA 101	
	2 or 1	No credit		
NOTE:				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If BOTH English composition exams are taken and a score of 5 is posted, WRA 101 + ENG 210 will be posted</li> <li>• If BOTH English composition exams are taken and a score of 4 is posted, WRA 101 + ENG gcu (3 crs.) will be posted</li> <li>• If BOTH English composition exams are taken and a score of 5 and 4 is posted, WRA 101 + ENG 210 (3 crs.) will be posted</li> <li>• An override process takes place by the Registrar's Office to place 'NR' (not a repeat) into the system to allow credit for both WRA 101 and AL192H</li> <li>• For Non-History Majors: If credit is earned for WRA 101 and HST 202/203, then HST 203 becomes IAH 201</li> <li>• For Non-History Majors: If credit is earned for WRA 101 and HST 205B/206, then HST 206 becomes IAH 202</li> <li>• For Non-History Majors: If credit is earned for WRA 101 and HST 140/150, then HST 150 becomes IAH 202</li> </ul>				
Environmental Science Exam <b>40</b>	5 or 4	4 credits	ISB 202, LAB	
	3, 2 or 1	No credit		
European History* Exam <b>43</b>	5, 4 or 3	8 credits	HST 205, 206	Or, IAH 211 or above course
	2	0 credit	Waive HST 205, 206	
	1	No credit		
European History	5, 4 or 3	8 credits	IAH 202 + HST 205	For non-history majors: If credit earned for WRA 101, then HST 206 becomes IAH 202
+ English	5 or 4	4 credits	+ WRA 101	
French Language and Culture Exam <b>48</b>	5	16 credits	FRN 101, 102, 201, 202	
	4	8 credits	FRN 201, 202	
	3	0 credits	Waive FRN 201, 202	
	2	0 credit	Waive FRN 101, 102	
	1	No credit		
German Language and Culture Exam <b>55</b>	5	16 credits	GRM 101, 102, 201, 202	
	4	8 credits	GRM 201, 202	
	3	4 credits	GRM 201	
	2	0 credit	Waive GRM 101, 102	
	1	0 credit	Waive GRM 101	
Government and Politics* United States Exam <b>57</b>	5 or 4	3 credits	PLS 100	<i>Or, ISS 200-level course</i>
	3	0 credit	Waive PLS 100	
	2 or 1	No credit		
Government and Politics* Comparative Exam <b>58</b>	5 or 4	3 credits	PLS 140	<i>Or, ISS 200-level course</i>
	3	0 credit	Waive PLS 140	
	2 or 1	No credit		
Human Geography Exam <b>53</b>	5 or 4	3 credits	GEO 151	<i>Or, ISS 200-level course</i>
	3	0 credits	Waive GEO 151	
	2 or 1	0 credits		
Italian Language and Culture Exam <b>62</b>	5	16 credits	ITL 101, 102, 201, 202	
	4	8 credits	ITL 201, 202	
	3	No credit	Waive ITL 201, 202	
	2	No credit	Waive ITL 101, 102	
	1	No credit		
Japanese Language and Culture Exam <b>64</b>	5	15 credits	JPN 102, 201, 202	
	4	10 credits	JPN 102, 201	
	3	5 credits	JPN 102	
	2	No credit		
	1	No credit		
Latin Exam Exam <b>60</b>	5	11 credits	LTN 101, 102, and either 206, 208, 211 or 221 also waive either 206, 208, 211 or 221	
	4	8 credits	LTN 101, 102	
	3	0 credits	Waive LTN 101, 102	
	2 or 1	0 credit		
Music Theory Exam <b>75</b>	5, 4, 3, 2 or 1	No credit		

Physics\*: NOTE: Physics "C" is calculus based; Physics "B" is non-calculus based. All students planning to major in Physical Science or Engineering should include the calculus option in their AP course. Any student who does not include the calculus option should discuss their exam with the Associate Chair of the Physics Department.

Physics "C" Mechanics (calculus based) Exam <b>80</b>	5 or 4	4 credits	PHY 183	Or, ISP 200-level course
	3, 2, or 1	No credit		
Physics "C" Electricity and Magnetism (calculus based) Exam <b>82</b>	5 or 4	4 credits	PHY 184	Or, ISP 200-level course
	3, 2, or 1	No credit		
Physics "B" (non-calculus based) Exam <b>78</b>	5 or 4	6 credits	PHY 231, 232	Ends Summer 2014
	3, 2, or 1	No credit		
Physics 1 Exam <b>83</b>	5 or 4	3 credits	PHY 231	
	3, 2, or 1	No credit		
Physics 2 Exam <b>84</b>	5 or 4	3 credits	PHY 232	
	3, 2, or 1	No credit		
Psychology* Exam <b>85</b>	5 or 4	4 credits	PSY 101	Or, ISS 200-level course
	3, 2, or 1	No credit		
Spanish Language and Culture Exam <b>87</b>	5	16 credits	SPN 101, 102, 201, 202	
	4	8 credits	SPN 201, 202	
	3	0 credits	Waive SPN 201, 202	
	2	0 credit	Waive SPN 101, 102	
Spanish Literature and Culture Exam <b>89</b>	1	No credit		
Statistics Exam <b>90</b>	5 or 4	3 credits	STT 200	
	3, 2 or 1	No credit		
World History* Exam <b>93</b>	5, 4, or 3	8 credits	HST 140, 150	Or, IAH 211 or above course
	2	0 credit	Waive HST 140, 150	
	1	No credit		
World History and English	5, 4, or 3	8 credits	IAH 202 + HST 140	For non-history majors: If credit earned for WRA 150, then HST 150 becomes IAH 202
	5 or 4	4 credits	+ WRA 150 (w/ credit)	

\*This course may be used to satisfy a portion of MSU's Integrative Studies requirement. Please contact an MSU academic adviser to determine if this course may apply. Courses posted as WVR = Waiver are repeatable at MSU.

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