

MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY
International A-Level Equivalencies

Please note: At this time we only have transfer equivalency determinations for the exams listed below from Cambridge, Singapore, New Oxford Cambridge and RSA (OCR), and Pearson Edexcel. You must receive pre-approval for any other A-level exam and/or location that is not listed below.

Note: Passing grades = A-D (exams with grades earned of D or better will be transferable)

Cambridge Exams

Exam Subject	Credits	MSU Course Equivalency	Normal Course Credit
Accounting	6	ACC 201	3 credits
		ACC 202	3 credits
Applied Information and Communication Technology	1	Grade of A or B - CSE 100	1 credit
	0	Grade of C or D - Does not transfer	No credit
Biological Science	9	BS 161	3 credits
		BS 162	3 credits
		BS GCU	3 credits
		BS 171	2 credits waived
		BS 172	2 credits waived
Business	6	BUS GCU	6 credits
Business Studies	6	MGT GCU	6 credits
Chemistry	9	CEM 141	4 credits
		CEM 142	3 credits
		CEM 161	1 credit
		CEM 162	1 credit
Chinese	6	CHS GCU	6 credits
Computer Science	3	Grade of A - CSE 201	3 credits
	1	Grade of B - CSE 100	1 credit
	0	Grade of C or D - Does not transfer	No credit
Computing (Exam ended US17)	3	CSE 101, CSE GCU	3 credits waived 3 credits
Economics	6	EC 201	3 credits
		EC 202	3 credits
English General Studies	8	ENG GCU	8 credits
English Literature	8	ENG 210	3 credits
		ENG GCU	5 credits
French	8	FRN 201	4 credits
		FRN 202	4 credits
Geography	6	GEO GCU	6 credits
General studies in Chinese	0		No credit
German	8	GRM 201	4 credits
		GRM 202	4 credits
History	8	HST GCU	8 credits
Marine Science	0		No credit

Mathematics*	8	MTH 116	5 credits
		MTH GCU	3 credits
Mathematics - PURE*	8	MTH 116	5 credits
		MTH GCU	3 credits
Mathematics - C**	8	MTH 116	5 credits
		MTH 132	3 credits
Mathematics - FURTHER	4	STT 315	3 credits
		STT GCU	1 credit
Physical Education	0		No credit
Physics	8	PHY 231	3 credits
		PHY 232	3 credits
		PHY 251	1 credit
		PHY 252	1 credit
Principles of Accounts	6	ACC 201	3 credits
		ACC 202	3 credits
Project Work - English Language Medium	0		No credit
Psychology	7	PSY GCU	7 credits
Sociology	7	SOC GCU	7 credits
Spanish	8	SPN 201	4 credits
		SPN 202	4 credits
Thinking Skills	0		No credit
URDU	6	LL 301	3 credits
		LL 302	3 credits
Visual Arts	6	STA GCU	6 credits

* If more than one course designated "**Mathematics" is taken, MSU awards credit for only one of the two test scores. Duplicate credits are not awarded.

** Credit for "***Mathematics" test overrides credit earned for "**Mathematics test

A-Level Singapore Exams

Exam Subject	Credits	MSU Course Equivalency	Normal Course Credit
Art (H2)	0		No credit
Art (H3)	0		No credit
Biology (H2)	5	BS 161	3 credits
		BS 171	2 credits
Chemistry (H2)	9	CEM 141	4 credits
		CEM 142	3 credits
		CEM 161	1 credit
		CEM 162	1 credit
China Studies in Chinese (H2)	6	CHS GCU	6 credits
China Studies in English (H2)	0		No credit
Chinese Language and Literature (H2)	6	CHS GCU	6 credits
Chinese Language and Literature (H3)	6	CHS GCU	6 credits
Computing (H2)	3	CSE GCU	3
Economics (H2)	3	EC GCU, EC 201	3 credits
Economics (H3)	3	EC GCU, EC 201	3 credits
English Language and Linguistics (H2)	0		No credit
Essentials of Modern Physics (H3)	3	PHY 215	3 credits
French (H2)	8	FRN 201	4 credits
		FRN 202	4 credits
Geography (H2)	6	GEO 151	3 credits
		GEO 206	3 credits
Geography (H3)	5	GEO 490	5 credits waived
Geometrical & Mechanical/Bldg Drawing (A)	0		No credit

Geometrical & Mechanical/Bldg Drawing (B)	0		No credit
Geometrical & Mechanical/Bldg Drawing (C)	0		No credit
German (H2)	8	GRM 201	4 credits
		GRM 202	4 credits
History (H2)	3	HST GCU	3 credits
History (H3)	6	HST 201	3 credits
		HST GCU	3 credits
Japanese (H2)	0		No credit
Knowledge and Inquiry (H2)	0		No credit
Literature in English (H2)	8	ENG 210	3 credits
		ENG GCU	5 credits
Literature in English (H3)	4	ENG GCU	4 credits
Malay Language and Literature (H2)	0		No credit
Malay Language and Literature (H3)	0		No credit
Management of Business (H2)	0		No credit
Mathematics (H2)	0		No credit
Mathematics (H3)	0		No credit
Music (H2)	2	MUS GCU	2 credits
Music (H3)	2	MUS GCU	2 credits
Pharmaceutical Chemistry (H3)	0		No credit
Physics (H2)	8	PHY 231	3 credits
		PHY 232	3 credits
		PHY 251	1 credit
		PHY 252	1 credit
Principles of Accounting (H2)	6	ACC 201	3 credits
		ACC 202	3 credits
Theatre Studies and Drama (H2)	6	THR GCU	6 credits

New Oxford Cambridge and RSA (OCR) Exams

Exam Subject	Credits	MSU Course Equivalency	Normal Course Credit
History A	4	Grade of A, B or C - HST GCU	4 credits
	0	Grade of D - Does not transfer	No credit
Geography	3	Grade of A or B - GEO GCU	3 credits
	0	Grade of C or D - Does not transfer	No credit

Pearson Edexcel Exams

Exam Subject	Credits	MSU Course Equivalency	Normal Course Credit
Economics and Business	0	Grade of A, B, C, or D - Does not transfer	No credit
Biology	0	Grade of A, B, C, or D - Does not transfer	No credit
Chemistry	0	Grade of A, B, C, or D - Does not transfer	No credit
Further Mathematics	0	Grade of A, B, C, or D - Does not transfer	No credit
Mathematics	0	Grade of A, B, C, or D - Does not transfer	No credit
Physics	0	Grade of A, B, C, or D - Does not transfer	No credit

GCU = General Credits, Undergraduate

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