

International Baccalaureate (IB) Equivalency Chart

(all credit accepted at the lower division)

IB Subject Examination	Level of Examination	Minimum Exam Score	Western State College Course Equivalent	General Education Requirement Fulfilled	Semester Credits
Anthropology	Higher	4	ANTH 107 and 3 credits ANTH elective	3 credits Area 1	6
	Standard	4	ANTH 107	3 credits Area 1	3
Art	Higher	4	6 credits Art elective**	3 credits Area 3	6
	Standard	4	3 credits Art elective**	3 credits Area 3	3
Biology	Higher	4	BIOL 150 and 151	8 credits Area 2	8
	Standard	4	BIOL 120	3 credits Area 2	3
Chemistry	Higher	5	CHEM 111, 112, 113, and 114	8 credits Area 2	8
	Higher	4	CHEM 111 and 112	4 credits Area 2	4
	Standard	4	CHEM 101	3 credits Area 2	3
Computer Science	Higher	4	CIS 190		3
Design Technology	Higher	4	6 credits general elective		6
Economics	Higher	4	ECON 201 and 202	3 credits Area 1	6
	Standard	4	ECON elective	3 credits Area 1	3
English A-1	Higher	5	ENG 102 and 150	Essential Skills writing course & 3 credits Area 3	6
	Higher	4	ENG 150	3 credits Area 3	3
	Standard	4	ENG 150	3 credits Area 3	3
Environmental Syst	Standard	4	BIOL 130	3 credits Area 2	3
French A-1	Higher	4	FREN 264 and 3 credits French elective		6
	Standard	4	FREN 101 and 102		6
French B	Higher	6, 7	FREN 254, 255 and 264		9
	Higher	4, 5	FREN 254, 255		6
	Standard	4	FREN 101 and 102		6
Geography	Higher	4	GEOG 110 and 120	3 credits Area 1	6
	Standard	4	GEOG 110	3 credits Area 1	3
German B	Higher	4	6 credits general elective		6
	Standard	4	3 credits general elective		3
History - Europe	Higher	4	HIST 101 and 102	Maximum	6
	Standard	4	3 credits History elective	3 credits Area 1	3
History - Americas	Higher	4	HIST 126 and 127	from all History	6
	Standard	4	3 credits History elective		3
History - Africa	Higher	4	HIST 254 and 3 credits History elective		6
	Standard	4	HIST 254		3
History - South Asia and Middle East	Higher	4	HIST 250 and 3 credits History elective		6
	Standard	4	HIST 250		3
History - East Asia and Oceania	Higher	4	6 credits History elective		6
	Standard	4	3 credits History elective		3
History - Islamic	Higher	4	6 credits History elective		6
	Standard	4	3 credits History elective		3
Latin	Higher	4	6 credits general elective		6
	Standard	4	3 credits general elective		3
Mathematics	Higher & Further	5	MATH 151 and 251	Essential Skills Math courses	8
	Higher	5	MATH 141 and 151	Essential Skills Math courses	8
	Higher	4	MATH 140	Essential Skills Math course	3
	Standard	4	MATH 105	Essential Skills Math course	3
Music	Higher	4	MUS 100 and 140	3 credits Area 3	6
	Standard	4	MUS 140	3 credits Area 3	3
Philosophy	Higher	4	PHIL 101 and 3 credits Area 3 elective	3 credits Area 3	6
	Standard	4	PHIL 101	3 credits Area 3	3
Physics	Higher	4	PHYS 170 and 171	8 credits Area 2	8
	Standard	4	PHYS 140	4 credits Area 2	4
Psychology	Higher	4	PSY 100 and 3 credits PSY elective	3 credits Area 1	6
	Standard	4	PSY 100	3 credits Area 1	3
Russian B	Higher	4	6 credits general elective		6
	Standard	4	3 credits general elective		3
Spanish A-1	Higher	4	SPAN 254 and 255		6
	Standard	4	SPAN 101 and 102		6
Spanish B	Higher	6, 7	SPAN 254, 255 and 385 (lower division)		9
	Higher	4, 5	SPAN 254 and 255		6
	Standard	4	SPAN 101 and 102		6
Theatre	Higher	4	6 credits COTH elective	3 credits Area 3	6
	Standard	4	3 credits COTH elective	3 credits Area 3	3

** Consult with Art faculty for further consideration

Note: This chart was prepared based upon the 2011-2012 catalog. Policy subject to change after further review.

Course exams not listed may be evaluated individually for credit.