

CLEP

Students may earn credit for CLEP exams with a passing score of 50 or more. Coastline grants unit and Option 1 general education credit for most exams.

Transfer Students: The CSU requires a passing score of at least 50 on the CLEP exam. CSU campuses will grant unit credit toward admission, CSU GE Breadth, and American Institutions requirements. Some CSUs will grant credit toward the major, but this is determined by each individual campus. Check with your counselor for more information.

CLEP Exam Chart

CLEP Exam	Coastline Passing Score	Coastline AA GE Units	Coastline GE Units Towards AA/AS	CSU Passing Score	Min. CSU Units Earned Toward Admissic	Units Towards CSU/GE Breadth	American Institutions and/or GE Breadth Area
American Government	50	3 (D)	3	50	3	3	D
American Literature	50	3 (C)	3	50	3	3	C2
Analyzing, Interpreting Literature	50	3 (C)	3	50	3	3	C2
Biology	50	3 (B)	3	50	3	3	B2
Calculus	50	6 (B)	6	50	3	3	B4
Chemistry	50	6 (B)	6	50	3	3	B1
College Algebra	50	3 (A3)	3	50	3	3	B4
College Composition	50	N/A	0	50	0	0	N/A
College Composition-Modular	50	N/A	0	50	0	0	N/A
College Mathematics	50	3 (A3)	6	50	0	0	N/A
English Literature	50	3 (C)	3	50	3	3	C2 (F'11) ²
Financial Accounting	50	N/A	3	50	3	0	N/A
French Level I ¹	50	6 (C)	6	50	6	0	N/A
French Level II ¹	59	9 (C)	12	59	12	3	C2 (F'15) ²
French Level II ¹	59	9 (C)	9	59	9	3	C2
German Level I ¹	50	6 (C)	6	50	6	0	C2
German Level II ¹	50	9 (C)	12	60	12	3	C2 (F'15) ²
German Level II ¹	50	9 (C)	9	60	9	3	C2
History, US I	50	3 (D)	3	50	3	3	D+US+I

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History, US II	50	3 (D)	3	50	3	3	D+US+I
Human Growth and Development	50	3 (D or E)	3	50	3	3	E
Humanities	50	3 (C)	3	50	3	3	C2
Information Systems	50	N/A	3	50	3	0	N/A
Introduct to Educatio Psycholc	50	N/A	3	50	3	0	N/A
Introduction Business Law	50	N/A	3	50	3	0	N/A
Introduct Psycholc	50	3 (D)	3	50	3	3	D
Introduction Sociology	50	3 (D)	3	50	3	3	D
Natural Sciences	50	6 (B)	6	50	3	3	B1/B2
Pre-Calculus	50	A3	3	50	3	3	B4
Principle of Macroec	50	3 (D)	3	50	3	3	D
Principles of Management	50	N/A	0	50	3	0	N/A
Principle of Marketin	50	N/A	0	50	3	0	N/A
Principles of Microeconomics	50	3 (D)	3	50	3	3	D
Social Science & History	50	N/A	0	50	0	0	N/A
Spanish Level I ¹	50	6 (C)	0	50	6	0	N/A
Spanish Level II ¹	50	9 (C)	12	63	12	3	C2 (F'15) ²
Spanish Level II ¹	50	9 (C)	9	63	9	3	C2
Trigonon	50	3 (A3)	3	50	3	3	B4 (F'06) ²
Western Civilization I	50	3 (D)	3	50	3	3	C2/D

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Western Civilization II	50	3 (D)	3	50	3	3	D

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 baccalaureate. For each test in a language other than English, a passing score of 50 is considered "Level I" and earns six units of baccalaureate credit; the higher score listed for each test is considered "Level II" and earns additional units of credit and placement in Area C2 of GE Breadth, as noted.

² Students seeking certification in GE Breadth prior to transfer must have passed the test before this date.