

Alternative Methods of Obtaining Credit 2019–20

College-Level Examination Program (CLEP)

College-Level Examination Program is the most widely accepted credit-by-examination program in the United States. It allows students to demonstrate the college-level knowledge they have gained through prior academic study, independent study, professional experience and/or cultural pursuits.

Carroll grants credit to students who have achieved a qualifying score on specific CLEP examinations. A maximum of 48 credits of CLEP may be granted for the general and subject examinations combined. Credits earned through CLEP may be used for major, minor, core and liberal studies requirements or general electives toward graduation.

Students are encouraged to contact the testing center directly for examination dates, registration deadlines and testing fees.

Retroactive Credit for Mathematics

Students with prior Calculus experience may enroll in MAT161: Calculus II or MAT207: Calculus III. A student who takes MAT161 and receives a grade of BC or above will receive retroactive credit of MAT160: Calculus I, if Advanced Placement (AP) credit has not been awarded for the course. A student who takes MAT207: Calculus III, and earns a grade of BC or above will receive retroactive credit for MAT160 and MAT161, if Advanced Placement credit has not been awarded for those courses.

Retroactive Credit for Modern Languages

Students enrolled in a degree program at Carroll may earn a maximum of 16 credit hours in a modern language by completing a 300-level conversation course with a grade of B or higher, or four, eight or 12 credits upon completion of 102, 201 or 202, respectively, with a grade of B or higher. To enroll in any modern language class other than 101, students must take a placement test prior to the start of the semester. This must be the student's first enrollment in an advanced college-level modern language course. Special provisions are made for native and near-native speakers of French, German and Spanish.

International Baccalaureate Program

Carroll recognizes the International Baccalaureate Diploma for purposes of admission, course credit and advanced standing or placement. 16 credits will be granted to holders of the diploma. Additional credit may be granted when more than four higher-level examinations have been taken and scores of four or higher have been earned.

For students in the program who have not earned the diploma, four credits will be granted for each higher-level examination when a score of four or higher is earned. These credits will be declared to meet core and liberal studies requirements when the subjects validated by examination appear to be reasonably comparable to subjects taught at Carroll. Otherwise, the credits will be regarded as elective credit toward a Carroll degree. The student must enroll as a degree-seeking student at Carroll.

College Courses Taken in High School

College credit may be given to students who enroll in college-level courses while still attending high school. Classes must be taken through an accredited institution. A copy of the course description for each course to be taken must be reviewed by an admission counselor to determine if credit will transfer to Carroll. The course credit must be letter graded C or better. All college level courses taken must appear on an official transcript from the accredited institution where courses were taken.

Carroll will review Project Lead the Way courses for credit. Additional information to award credit may be required.

Advanced Placement (AP) Credit

High school students are able to obtain college credit after completing courses through the College Board's Advanced Placement (AP) Program. Students need to pass the examinations with a sufficient score, as noted on chart below, in order to receive college credit. The maximum number of AP credits that may be counted toward a bachelor's degree is 48. Several of the examinations have specific Carroll University equivalents and may be used for major, minor, or liberal studies program requirements. **Unless otherwise indicated credit will be given for a minimum score of 3.** Details about Advanced Placement credits can be found on the reverse of this sheet.

Advanced Placement (AP) Credits

Subject	Carroll Equivalent	Credits
AP Capstone <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AP Seminar • AP Research 	No credit given No credit given	— —
Arts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AP Art History <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — Score of 4 or 5 — Score of 3 • AP Music Theory <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — Score of 4 or 5 — Score of 3 • AP Studio Art 2-D Design <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — Score of 4 or 5 — Score of 3 • AP Studio Art 3-D Design • AP Studio Art Drawing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — Score of 4 or 5 — Score of 3 	ART104: Renaissance to Early Modernism — Art History Survey Elective MUS111: Music Theory I and MUS113: Musicianship I Elective ART107: Beginning Design 2D and 3D Elective No credit given ART106: Drawing and Composition Elective	4 4 4 4 — 4 4
English <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AP English Language & Composition • AP English Literature & Composition 	Elective Elective	4 4
History and Social Sciences <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AP Comparative Government & Politics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — Score of 4 or 5 — Score of 3 • AP European History <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — Score of 4 or 5 — Score of 3 • AP Human Geography <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — Score of 4 or 5 — Score of 3 • AP Macroeconomics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — Score of 4 or 5 — Score of 3 • AP Microeconomics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — Score of 4 or 5 — Score of 3 • AP Psychology <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — Score of 4 or 5 — Score of 3 • AP United States Government & Politics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — Score of 4 or 5 — Score of 3 • AP United States History <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — Score of 4 or 5 — Score of 3 • AP World History <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — Score of 4 or 5 — Score of 3 	POL141: Introduction to American Politics Elective HIS103: Roots of the Western World Elective ENV120: Conservation and Environmental Improvement Elective ECO225: Principles of Economics II—Macroeconomics Elective ECO124: Principles of Economics I—Microeconomics Elective PSY101: Introductory Psychology Elective POL141: Introduction to American Politics Elective HIS105: America to 1877 Elective HIS108: Understanding of Our Contemporary World Elective	4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4



FOOTNOTES:

¹ For students continuing the study of language at Carroll University, a placement exam will be given. This placement exam takes precedent over AP credit. Please see our Retroactive Credit policy. For all exams at the 202 level, eight credits will be given for a score of 4. 16 credits will be given for a score of 5.

² Credit given for either the AP Spanish Language and Culture examination or the AP Spanish Literature and Culture examination, but not both.

Subject	Carroll Equivalent	Credits
<p>STEM</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AP Biology • AP Calculus AB <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — Score of 4 or 5 — Score of 3 • AP Calculus BC <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — Score of 4 or 5 — Score of 3 or lower • AP Chemistry <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — Score of 4 or 5 • AP Computer Science A <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — Score of 5 — Score of 3 or 4 • AP Computer Science Principles • AP Environmental Science Principles <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — Score of 3 or higher • AP Physics 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — Score of 5 — Score of 4 • AP Physics 2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — Score of 5 — Score of 4 • AP Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — Score of 5 — Score of 4 • AP Physics C: Mechanics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — Score of 5 — Score of 4 • AP Statistics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — Score of 4 or 5 — Score of 3 	<p>Elective</p> <p>MAT160: Calculus I Elective — If MAT161: Calculus II is taken and retroactive credits for MAT160: Calculus I are earned, the elective credits are removed. — If MAT161: Calculus II is taken and retroactive credits are not earned for MAT160: Calculus I, the elective credits remain.</p> <p>MAT160: Calculus I and MAT161: Calculus II Elective — If the AP Calculus AB examination subscore is a 4 or 5, then credit for MAT160: Calculus I will be given. — If the AP Calculus AB examination subscore is 3 or lower, four elective credits will be given. If MAT161: Calculus II or MAT207: Calculus III is taken and retroactive credits are earned, the elective credits are removed.</p> <p>CHE109: Principles of Chemistry</p> <p>CSC111: Introduction to JAVA (with CSC110 waived) CSC110: Problem Solving through Programming No credit given</p> <p>ENV120: Conservation and Environmental Improvement</p> <p>PHY101: Introductory Physics I Elective</p> <p>PHY102: Introductory Physics II Elective</p> <p>PHY204: General Physics II Elective</p> <p>PHY203: General Physics I Elective</p> <p>CMP112: Computational Thinking Elective</p>	<p>4</p> <p>4 4</p> <p>8 4</p> <p>4</p> <p>4 4</p> <p>—</p> <p>4</p> <p>4 4</p> <p>4 4</p> <p>4 4</p> <p>4 4</p> <p>4 4</p> <p>4 4</p>
<p>World Languages and Culture¹</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AP Chinese Language and Culture • AP French Language and Culture <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — Score of 5 — Score of 4 • AP German Language and Culture <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — Score of 5 — Score of 4 • AP Italian Language and Culture • AP Japanese Language and Culture • AP Latin <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — Score of 4 or 5 • AP Spanish Language and Culture² <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — Score of 5 — Score of 4 • AP Spanish Literature and Culture² <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — Score of 5 — Score of 4 	<p>No credit given</p> <p>FRE202: Intermediate French II FRE202: Intermediate French II</p> <p>GER202: Intermediate German II GER202: Intermediate German II</p> <p>No credit given No credit given</p> <p>Elective</p> <p>SPA202: Intermediate Spanish II SPA202: Intermediate Spanish II</p> <p>SPA202: Intermediate Spanish II SPA202: Intermediate Spanish II</p>	<p>—</p> <p>16¹ 8¹</p> <p>16¹ 8¹</p> <p>— —</p> <p>4</p> <p>16¹ 8¹</p> <p>16¹ 8¹</p>