

College-Level Examination Program (CLEP)

Central Piedmont Community College is a national test center for administering computer-based CLEP exams. Central Piedmont students, as well as the general public, may take CLEP exams. The examinations are administered by appointment at the Central Piedmont Testing Centers. Advance registration is required. Applicants may register online on the Testing and Assessment Center Web page or call 704.330.6886 for additional information.

Central Piedmont students who perform satisfactorily on CLEP exams receive a grade of "X." The "X" grade carries no quality points, but credit hours are awarded identical to the number normally assigned to that course at Central Piedmont. Each academic department is responsible for determining the maximum CLEP credit awarded within its program(s). CLEP credit is based on the policy in place when the exam is completed. Students are encouraged to verify all CLEP requirements, including transferability, before taking a CLEP exam. CLEP fees and policies are subject to change.

Central Piedmont Community College grants CLEP credit according to the following guidelines:

Examination	Credit Granting Score	Credits Granted* (Sem. Hrs.)	Equivalent CPCC Course(s)
Accounting, Financial	50	4	ACC 120
Algebra, College	50	4	MAT 171
American Government	50	3*	POL 120
American Literature	50	6	ENG 231, ENG 232
Biology**	50	4	BIO 110
Business Law, Introductory	50	3*	BUS 115
Calculus	50	4*	MAT 271
Chemistry***	50	4	CHM 151
College Composition	50	3	ENG 111
College Mathematics	50	3	MAT 110
English Literature	50	6	ENG 241, ENG 242
French, Level I	50	6*	FRE 111, FRE 112
French, Level II	59	12	FRE 111, FRE 112 & FRE 211, FRE 212
German, Level I	50	6*	GER 111, GER 112

German, Level II	60	12	GER 111, GER 112 & GER 211, GER 212
History of the U.S. I: Early Colonization to 1877	50	3*	HIS 131
History of the U.S. II: 1865 to the Present	50	3*	HIS 132
Human Growth and Development	50	3*	PSY 241
Humanities	50	6	HUM 211, HUM 212
Macroeconomics, Principles of	50	3*	ECO 252
Management, Principles of	50	3*	BUS 137
Marketing, Principles of	50	3*	MKT 120
Microeconomics, Principles of	50	3*	ECO 251
Natural Sciences	50	3	PHY 110
Precalculus	50	4	MAT 175
Psychology, Introductory	50	3*	PSY 150
Sociology, Introductory	50	3*	SOC 210
Spanish, Level I	50	6*	SPA 111, SPA 112
Spanish, Level II	63	12	SPA 111, SPA 112 & SPA 211, SPA 212

* Recommended by the American Council on Education (ACE)

** Subject to satisfactory performance in any other laboratory science course at CPCC

*** Subject to completion of CHM 152 with a minimum grade of "C"