

# Credit for Prior Learning Policies

2023-2024 Academic Catalog

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## APPENDIX I - ADVANCED PLACEMENT EXAMS

Advanced Placement	Score	Credit Hours, Course Equivalent
<b>African American Studies</b>	3-5	3 credits, LAN Elective (can be used to fulfill the Humanities General Education requirement and Cultural and Global Awareness Core Requirement)
<b>Art History</b>	3	3 credits, <a href="#">ART 1030</a>
	4-5	3 credits, <a href="#">ART 1010</a>
<b>Biology</b>	3	4 credits, <a href="#">BIO 1010/BIO 1010L</a> or <a href="#">BIO 1020/BIO 1020L</a>



<b>Advanced Placement</b>	<b>Score</b>	<b>Credit Hours, Course Equivalent</b>
	4	8 credits, Choose Two Courses: <u>BIO 1010/BIO 1010L</u> or <u>BIO 1020/BIO 1020L</u> or <u>BIO 1060/BIO 1060L</u>
	5	8 credits, Choose Two Courses: <u>BIO 1010/BIO 1010L</u> , <u>BIO 1020/BIO 1020L</u> , <u>BIO 1060/BIO 1060L</u> , <u>BIO 1070/BIO 1070L</u>
<b>Chemistry</b>	3	4 credits, <u>CHE 1200/CHE 1200L</u>
	4 or 5	8 credits, <u>CHE 1200/CHE 1200L</u> and <u>CHE 1210/CHE 1210L</u>
<b>Chinese Language and Culture</b>	3	3 credits, LAN Elective
	4-5	6 credits, LAN Elective
<b>Comparative Government and Politics</b>	3-5	3 credits, <u>POL 1050</u>
<b>Computer Science</b>		
Computer Science A	3-5	3 credits, <u>CSC 1100</u>
Principles	3-5	3 credits, <u>ITS 1055</u>
<b>Economics</b>		
Macro	3	3 credits, <u>ECN 1200</u>
	4-5	3 credits, <u>ECN 2025</u>



<b>Advanced Placement</b>	<b>Score</b>	<b>Credit Hours, Course Equivalent</b>
Micro	3	3 credits, <u>ECN 1200</u>
	4-5	3 credits, <u>ECN 2020</u>
<b>English</b>		
Literature and Composition	3-5	3 credits, <u>ENG 1020</u>
Language and Composition	3-5	3 credits, <u>ENG 1010</u>
<b>Environmental Sciences</b>	3-5	4 credits, <u>ENV 1300/ENV 1300L</u>
<b>European History</b>	3	3 credits, Humanities General Education Elective
	4-5	6 credits, Humanities General Education Elective
<b>French Language and Culture</b>	3	3 credits, FRE 2010 [Inactive]
	4-5	6 credits, FRE 2010 and FRE 2020
<b>German Language and Culture</b>	3	3 credits, LAN Elective
	4-5	6 credits, LAN Elective
<b>Human Geography</b>	3-5	3 credits, <u>GRY 1020</u>
<b>Italian Language and Culture</b>	3	3 credits, LAN Elective
	4-5	6 credits, LAN Elective



<b>Advanced Placement</b>	<b>Score</b>	<b>Credit Hours, Course Equivalent</b>
<b>Japanese Language and Culture</b>	3	3 credits, LAN Elective
	4-5	6 credits, LAN Elective
<b>Latin</b>	3	3 credits, LAN Elective
	4-5	6 credits, LAN Elective
<b>Mathematics</b>		
CALC AB	3-5	4 credits, <u>MTH 1200</u>
CALC BC	3-5	4 credits, <u>MTH 1200</u> and <u>MTH 1210</u>
Pre-Calculus	3-5	4 credits, <u>MTH 1150</u>
Statistics	3-5	3 credits, <u>MTH 1015</u>
<b>Music Theory</b>	3, 4 or 5	3 credits, Music Elective
<b>Physics</b>		
PHY C Part I - Mechanics	3-5	4 credits, <u>PHY 1310</u>
PHY C Part II - Electricity and Magnetism	3-5	4 credits, <u>PHY 2300</u>



<b>Advanced Placement</b>	<b>Score</b>	<b>Credit Hours, Course Equivalent</b>
Physics - 1	3-5	4 credits, <u>PHY 1110</u>
Physics - 2	3-5	4 credits, <u>PHY 1120</u>
<b>Psychology</b>	3-5	3 credits, <u>PSY 1010</u>
<b>Spanish Language and Culture</b>	3	6 credits, <u>SPA 1010</u> and <u>SPA 1020</u>
	4-5	6 credits, <u>SPA 2010</u> and <u>SPA 2020</u>
<b>Studio Art</b>	3-5	3 credits, <u>ART 1030</u>
<b>World History: Modern</b>	3-5	3 credits, <u>HST 1015</u>
<b>United States Government and Politics</b>	3-5	3 credits, <u>POL 1010</u>
<b>United States History</b>	3	3 credits, <u>HST 1031</u> or <u>HST 1032</u>

## **APPENDIX II - CAMBRIDGE ASSESSMENT INTERNATIONAL**

<b>AICE Exam Name</b>	<b>AS Level Credit Awarded For CSM Course</b>	<b>Passing Score</b>	<b>A Level Credit Award for CSM Course</b>
Accounting	3 credits, ACC 2010	A-C	6 credits, <u>ACC 2010</u> , <u>ACC 2020</u>
Biology	4 credits, BIO 1060/BIO 1060L	A-B	8 credits, <u>BIO 1060/BIO 1060L</u> , <u>BIO 1070/BIO 1070L</u>



Business	3 credits, BAD 1015	A-C	3 credits, <u>BAD 1015</u>
Chemistry	4 credits, CHE 1200/CHE 1200L	A-B	8 credits, <u>CHE 1200/CHE 1200L</u> , <u>CHE 1210/CHE 1210L</u>
Economics	3 credits, ECN 2020	A-C	6 credits, <u>ECN 2020</u> , <u>ECN 2025</u>
English - Language OR	3 credits, ENG Elective	A-C	6 credits, <u>ENG 1010</u> , <u>ENG 1020</u>
Language & Literature		A-C	
English Literature	3 credits, ENG Elective	A-C	6 credits, <u>ENG 2010</u> , ENG Elective
History- American	3 credits, HST Elective	A-C	6 credits, <u>HST 1031</u> , <u>HST 1032</u>
History	3 credits, HST Elective	A-C	3 credits, <u>HST 1015</u>
Mathematics	3 credits, MTH 1010	A-D	6 credits, <u>MTH 1010</u> , <u>MTH 1015</u>
Music	3 credits, MUS 1020	A-D	3 credits, <u>MUS 1020</u>
Physics	4 credits, PHY 1110	A-B	8 credits, <u>PHY 1110</u> , <u>PHY 1120</u>
Psychology	3 credits, PSY Elective	A-C	3 credits, <u>PSY 1010</u>
Sociology	3 credits, SOC Elective	A-C	3 credits, <u>SOC 1010</u>
Spanish	3 credits, SPA Elective	A-C	6 credits, <u>SPA 1020</u> , <u>SPA 2010</u>

### APPENDIX III - CLEP

CLEP General Examinations: No credits may be earned by taking the CLEP general examinations.

CLEP and DSST (formerly DAN TES) Subject Examinations: These college-level subject examinations have been approved for credit in specific courses at the College of Southern

land:



**CLEP and DSST scores and subject exam names may change. See the college's website at [www.csmd.edu/student-services/testing-services/credit-by-examination](http://www.csmd.edu/student-services/testing-services/credit-by-examination).**

<b>CLEP Subject Exam Name</b>	<b>Equivalent Course(s)</b>	<b>Acceptable Score</b>
Financial Accounting	<u>ACC 2010</u>	50
Principles of Management	<u>BAD 1210</u>	50
Introductory Business Law	<u>BAD 2070</u>	50
Principles of Marketing	<u>BAD 2610</u>	50
Biology	BIO Elective	50
Chemistry	<u>CHE 1050</u>	50
Principles of Macroeconomics	<u>ECN 2020</u>	50
Principles of Microeconomics	<u>ECN 2020</u>	50
College Composition	<u>ENG 1010</u>	50
*College Composition Modular	<u>ENG 1010</u>	50
Analyzing and Interpreting Literature	<u>ENG 1020</u>	50
English Literature	<u>ENG 2010</u>	50
English Literature	<u>ENG 2020</u>	50



<b>CLEP Subject Exam Name</b>	<b>Equivalent Course(s)</b>	<b>Acceptable Score</b>
American Literature	<u>ENG 2200</u>	50
American Literature	<u>ENG 2210</u>	50
French Language - Level I	FRE 2010	50
French Language - Level II	FRE 2010	62
French Language - Level II	FRE 2020	62
Western Civilization I: Ancient Far East to 1648	<u>HST 1011</u>	50
Western Civilization II: 1648 to present	HST Elective	50
History of the United States I: Early Colonizations to 1877	<u>HST 1031</u>	50
History of the United States II: 1865 to the Present	<u>HST 1032</u>	50
Humanities	Humanities General Education Elective	50
*Social Sciences and History	HST Elective	50
Information Systems and Computer Applications	<u>ITS 1010</u>	50
Spanish Language - Level 1	LAN Elective	50



<b>CLEP Subject Exam Name</b>	<b>Equivalent Course(s)</b>	<b>Acceptable Score</b>
German Language - Level II	LAN Elective	62
College Mathematics	<u>MTH 1010</u>	50
College Algebra	<u>MTH 1120</u>	50
*Precalculus	<u>MTH 1150</u>	50
Calculus	<u>MTH 1200</u>	50
American Government	<u>POL 1010</u>	50
Introductory Psychology	<u>PSY 1010</u>	50
Human Growth and Development	<u>PSY 2050</u>	50
*Introduction to Educational Psychology	PSY Elective	50
Natural Sciences	SCE Elective	50
Introductory Sociology	<u>SOC 1010</u>	50
Spanish Language - Level I	<u>SPA 1010</u>	50
Spanish Language - Level I	<u>SPA 1020</u>	50
Spanish Language - Level II	<u>SPA 2010</u>	63
Spanish Language - Level III	<u>SPA 2020</u>	72



**APPENDIX IV - DSST (FORMERLY DANTEs)**

<b>DSST Subject Exam Name</b>	<b>Equivalent</b>	<b>Acceptable Score</b>
Personal Finance	<u>ACC 1025</u>	400
*Principles of Finance	<u>ACC 2681</u>	400
Astronomy	<u>AST 1010</u>	400
Money and Banking	BAD Elective	400
Introduction to Business	<u>BAD 1015</u>	400
*Principles of Supervisor	<u>BAD 1210</u>	400
Business Mathematics	<u>BAD 1300</u>	400
Human Resource Management	<u>BAD 2700</u>	400
Organizational Behavior	<u>BAD 2710</u>	400
Criminal Justice	<u>CJS 1015</u>	400
Environmental Science	<u>ENV 1300/ENV 1300L</u>	400
*Management Information Systems	ITS Elective	400
Computing and Information Technology	<u>ITS 1010</u>	400
*Fundamental of Cybersecurity	<u>ITS 1055</u>	400
Principles of Physical Science I	PHY Elective	400



**APPENDIX V - INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE (IB)**

Subject Area	Exam Title/Exam Level	Score	CSM Equivalents
Anthropology	Social and Cultural Anthropology-Higher	5,6,7	3 credits, SOC Elective
Arts	Visual Arts-Higher	5,6,7	3 credits, <u>ART 1030</u>
Biology	Biology-Standard	5,6,7	3 credits, BIO Elective
Biology	Biology-Higher	5,6,7	4 credits, <u>BIO 1060/BIO 1060L</u>
Business	Business-Standard & Higher	5,6,7	3 credits, BAD Elective
Chemistry	Chemistry-Standard	5,6,7	3 credits, <u>CHE 1050</u>
Chemistry	Chemistry-Higher	5,6,7	4 credits, <u>CHE 1200/CHE 1200L</u>
Chinese	Chinese-Standard	5,6,7	3 credits, LAN Elective
Chinese	Chinese-Higher	5	3 credits, LAN Elective
Chinese	Chinese-Higher	6,7	6 credits, LAN Elective
Computer Science	Computer Science-Standard & Higher	5,6,7	8 credits, <u>CSC 2591/CSC 2592</u>
Design Technology	Design Technology-Standard & Higher	5,6,7	3 credits, ART Elective



Economics	Economics-Standard	5,6, 7	3 credits, <a href="#">ECN 1200</a>
Economics	Economics-Higher	5,6, 7	6 credits, <a href="#">ECN 1200/ECN 2025</a>
English	English A Literature-Standard	5,6, 7	3 credits, ENG Elective
English	English A Literature-Higher	5,6, 7	3 credits, ENG Elective
Environmental Science	Environmental Science and Societies-Standard	5,6, 7	3 credits, <a href="#">ENV 1300</a>
Film	Film-Higher	5,6, 7	3 credits, ENG Elective
French	French-Standard	5,6, 7	3 credits, FRE 2010
French	French-Higher	5,6, 7	6 credits, FRE 2010 /FRE 2020
Geography	Geography-Standard	5,6, 7	3 credits, <a href="#">GRY 1020</a>
Geography	Geography-Higher	5,6, 7	6 credits, <a href="#">GRY 1020/GRY</a> Elective
German	German-Standard	5,6, 7	3 credits, LAN Elective
German	German-Higher	5	3 credits, LAN Elective
German	German-Higher	6,7	6 credits, LAN Elective
Health	Health-Standard	5,6, 7	3 credits, <a href="#">WFS 1701</a>



History	History-Standard	5,6, 7	3 credits, HST Elective
History	History-Higher	5,6, 7	6 credits, HST Elective
Information Technology	Information Technology in a Global Society-Standard or Higher	5,6, 7	3 credits, ITS Elective
Italian	Italian-Standard or Higher	5,6, 7	3 credits, LAN Elective
Latin	Latin-Standard or Higher	5,6, 7	3 credits, LAN Elective
Mathematics	Mathematical Methods	4,5, 6,7	3 credits, <u>MTH 1010</u>
Music	Music-Standard	5,6, 7	3 credits, <u>MUS 1020</u>
Music	Music-Higher	5,6, 7	3 credits, <u>MUS 1020</u>
Philosophy	Philosophy-Standard	5,6, 7	3 credits, <u>PHL 1010</u>
Philosophy	Philosophy-Higher	5,6, 7	6 credits, <u>PHL 1010</u> /PHL Elective
Physics	Physics-Standard	5,6, 7	3 credits, PHY Elective
Physics	Physics-Higher	5,6, 7	4 credits, <u>PHY 1110</u>
Psychology	Psychology-Standard	5,6, 7	3 credits, <u>PSY 1010</u>



Psychology	Psychology-Higher	5,6, 7	6 credits, <u>PSY 1010</u> /PSY Elective
Russian	Russian-Standard	5,6, 7	3 credits, LAN Elective
Russian	Russian-Higher	5,6, 7	6 credits, LAN Elective
Spanish	Spanish-Standard	5	3 credits, <u>SPA 2010</u>
Spanish	Spanish-Standard	6,7	6 credits, <u>SPA 2010</u> / <u>SPA 2050</u>
Spanish	Spanish-Higher	5	6 credits, <u>SPA 2010</u> / <u>SPA 2020</u>
Spanish	Spanish-Higher	6,7	9 credits, <u>SPA 2010</u> / <u>SPA 2020</u> / <u>SPA 2050</u>
Theatre	Theatre-Standard	5,6, 7	3 credits, <u>THE 1010</u>
Theatre	Theatre-Higher	5,6, 7	3 credits, <u>THE 1010</u>

## APPENDIX VI - RESIDENCY POLICY

### Policy

The residence status of students is determined at the time of admission to the college. Students will be considered in-county residents if they or the person who contributes more than one half of the student's financial support maintain legal domicile in Charles County, Calvert County, or St. Mary's County and have done so for a period of not less than three months prior to the date of admission to the college. Some non-immigrant visa holders and students without a valid status are not eligible to claim in-county residency, and they are subject to out of state tuition rates.

