CREDIT FOR PRIOR LEARNING

Undergraduate students may receive credit for prior learning through the following means:

Credit By Assessment

Students will receive credit for courses completed in service schools and in Military Occupational Specialties (MOS) on the basis of recommendations made by the American Council on Education (ACE) (https://www.acenet.edu/Pages/default.aspx) in its Guide to the Evaluation of Educational Experiences in the Armed Services and the National Guide to Educational Credit for Training Programs.

Credits received are subject to the same policies as those of any other transfer credit.

Students who are active military or reservists and participated in the off-duty, voluntary education programs of the Department of Defense, may receive credit for coursework taken while active military or in reserves.

Recommendations made by ACE for vocational or technical credit are considered on the same basis as and with the same limitations as those placed in nonmilitary sources of credit.

Credit By Exam

Undergraduate students may earn credit by exam, with department approval, through qualifying scores on the following examinations:

- Cambridge International A Level
- College Board Advanced Placement (AP) (p. 1)
- College Level Examination Program (CLEP) (p. 2)
- Defense Language Institute Foreign Language Center (DLIFLC)
- French Baccalaureate (p. 2)
- Health Education Systems, Inc. (HESI)
- International Baccalaureate (IB) (p. 2)

An examination for credit cannot be taken while enrolled in, after enrollment or after withdrawing from the course in which the examination for credit is requested.

The Office of University Registrar may award credit only upon receipt of official results directly from the testing service.

College Board Advanced Placement (AP)

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## Credit for Prior Learning 2022-2023

### Mathematics

- **Mathematics**
  - **Statistics**
    - MATH 1300
    - **4**
    - **3**

### Physics

- **Physics**
  - **Physics I**
    - PHYS 1220
    - **4**
    - **4**
  - **Physics II**
    - PHYS 1240
    - **4**
    - **4**
  - **Physics C**
    - PHYS 1610, PHYS 1620
    - **5**
    - **4**

### Political Science

- **Government & Politics**
  - POLS 1100
  - **4**
  - **3**

### Psychology

- **General Psychology**
  - PSY 1010
  - **4**
  - **3**

### Sociology

- **Human Geography**
  - SOC 1180
  - **4**
  - **3**
- **Introduction to Sociology**
  - SOC 1100
  - **4**
  - **3**

### Spanish

- **Language**
  - SPAN 1020
  - **3**
  - **3**
  - SPAN 2010
  - **4**
  - **3**

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* Students who receive 1818 Mathematics credit by examination in this course are not eligible to receive AP credit.

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### College-Level Examination Program (CLEP)

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* Departmental exam also required; may be taken fall or spring semester.

### French Baccalauréate

Students who obtain a coefficient of 4 or higher and a grade/score of 12 or higher on courses in pursuit of a French Baccalauréate degree will be granted up to 8 course credits for college work in the appropriate subject and will receive placement at the discretion of the department.

The Office of University Registrar may award credit only upon receipt of official scores/transcripts of the French Baccalauréate.

### International Baccalauréate (IB)

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The Arts

- **Music (HL)**
  - MUSC 1ELE
  - **5**
  - **3**

- **Theatre (HL)**
  - THR 1000
  - **5**
  - **3**

- **Visual Arts (HL)**
  - ARTH 1000
  - **5**
  - **3**

- **Economics (HL)**
  - ECON 1900
  - **5**
  - **3**

- **Geography (HL)**
  - EAS 1170
  - **5**
  - **3**

- **Global Politics (HL)**
  - POLS 1000
  - **6**
  - **3**
  - POLS 1600
  - **6**
  - **3**

- **History (HL)**
  - HIST 1ELE
  - **6**
  - **6**

- **Philosophy (HL)**
  - PHIL 1050
  - **6**
  - **3**

- **Social and Cultural Anthropology (HL)**
  - ANTH 1200
  - **5**
  - **3**

- **English Language A: Language and Literature (HL)**
  - ENGL 1900, ENGL 2020
  - **6**
  - **6**

- **French Language A**
  - FREN 1010
  - **4**
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- **French Language B**
  - FREN 1020
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- **French Language B**
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- **German Language B**
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- **German Language B**
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<sup>a</sup> For each International Baccalaureate (IB) score, credit will be given only for the level indicated.

**Transfer Credit**

Students who have completed (or plan to complete) coursework at regionally accredited colleges or universities may request an evaluation for transfer credit.

Coursework may be considered for transfer credit if all of the following conditions are met:

- The coursework is completed at a regionally accredited institution or dean-approved international institution.
- The final grade posted for each potential transfer course is a "C" letter grade (or above).
- The Office of the University Registrar has received either
  - a sealed official transcript, sent to the Office of the University Registrar, One Grand Blvd. St. Louis, MO 63103, or
  - an official electronic transcript sent to registrar@slu.edu.

Students may be asked to provide a syllabus containing a written description of the course(s) from the other institution.

Transfer credit may be awarded for which Saint Louis University has no equivalent course. This credit may be accepted as Requirements (#REQ) Elective (#ELE).

- Courses articulated as #ELE will apply to general elective requirements only<sup>†</sup>
- Courses articulated as #REQ will apply toward requirements in general electives, college/school cores, majors, minors and concentrations.

<sup>†</sup> Elective (ELE) courses may satisfy College/School Core requirements if a requirement lists all course in a range of courses (e.g. the A&S Social Science requires any Political Science course (POLS xxxx)).

**High School Dual Enrollment**

**1818 Advanced College Credit Program**

College Credit earned through high school dual enrollment or dual credit outside of Saint Louis University’s 1818 program is evaluated for transfer credit following the university transfer credit policy.