



Standardized Exam Equivalency Table

Effective Date: April 2003 (revised: March 2005)

Part A: College-Level Examination Program (CLEP) Examinations

- Notes:
- Some majors have specific requirements that may not be met by the indicated exams. Students should contact their academic advisor for official equivalency prior to taking any exams.
 - Students planning to take a CLEP exam should contact the College Board at their main website (www.collegeboard.com) for the nearest testing center. Costs: \$15 (to the testing center) and \$55 (per CLEP test).
 - Minimum Required Score and credits: NU accepts the recommendation of CLEP regarding credit value and minimum acceptable scores for the awarding of credit.

 collegeboard.com

Web Links: [NU Center for Adult Leadership Studies](#)

| NU COURSE | CLEP TEST TITLE (with web site link) | CREDITS AWARDED | APPLICATION NOTES |
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| HUMANITIES | | | |
| ENGL 1013 Expository Writing | Freshman College Composition | 6 | the 3 additional credits are applied to General Electives |
| ENGL 1013 Expository Writing | English Composition | 6 | the 3 additional credits are applied to General Electives |
| ENGL 1013 Expository Writing | English Composition with Essay | 6 | the 3 additional credits are applied to General Electives |
| ENGL 2213 American Literature I & ENGL 2223 American Literature II | American Literature | 6 | |
| ENGL 2113 British Literature I & ENGL 2123 British Literature II | English Literature | 6 | |
| ENGL 2003 Introduction to Literature | Analyzing and Interpreting Literature | 6 | the 3 additional credits are applied to General Electives |

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| Fine Arts & ENGL 2003 Introduction to Literature | Humanities | 6 | 2 credits are applied to the Fine Arts requirement 3 credits are applied to the ENGL 2003 Introduction to Literature requirement 1 credit is applied to General Electives |
| LANG 1055 Elementary French I & LANG 1065 Elementary French II | College-Level French Language (Level 1 - 2 semesters) | 10 | Score of 50 required Additional credits are applied to General Electives |
| LANG 1055 Elementary French I & LANG 1065 Elementary French II | College-Level French Language (Level 2 - 4 semesters) | 13 | Score of 62 Additional credits are applied to General Electives |
| Foreign Language or Modern Foreign Language | College-Level German Language (Level 1 - 2 semesters) | 10 | Score of 50 required Additional credits are applied to General Electives |
| Foreign Language or Modern Foreign Language | College-Level German Language (Level 2 - 4 semesters) | 13 | Score of 63 required Additional credits are applied to General Electives |
| LANG 1015 Elementary Spanish I & LANG 1025 Elementary Spanish II | College-Level Spanish Language (Level 1 - 2 semesters) | 10 | Score of 50 required |
| LANG 1015 Elementary Spanish I & LANG 1025 Elementary Spanish II & LANG 2013 Intermediate Spanish I | College-Level Spanish Language (Level 2 - 4 semesters) | 13 | Score of 66 required |
| MATHEMATICS | | | |
| Quantitative Reasoning | College Algebra | 3 | |
| Quantitative Reasoning | College Algebra-Trigonometry | 3 | |
| Quantitative Reasoning | College Mathematics | 6 | 3 credits are applied to General Electives |
| Quantitative Reasoning | Trigonometry | 3 | |
| MATH 1243 Calculus I | Calculus | 3 | |
| SCIENCE | | | |
| SCIE Non-lab science requirement | Biology | 6 | 3 credits are applied to the non-lab science elective 3 credits are applied to General Electives |
| SCIE Non-lab science requirement | Chemistry | 6 | 3 credits are applied to the non-lab science elective 3 credits are applied to General Electives |

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|---|---|--------------------|---|
| SCIE 1183 Physical & Earth Science I & SCIE 1193 Physical & Earth Science II | Natural Sciences | 6 | 3 credits applied to non-lab science elective 3 credits applied to General Electives |
| SOCIAL SCIENCES | | | |
| HIST 2503 US History I | U.S. History I | 3 | |
| HIST 2515 US History II | U.S. History II | 3 | |
| HIST 1503 Western Civ I or HIST 1513 Western Civilization II | Western Civilization I: Ancient Near East to 1648 | 3 | covers either West Civ I or II, but not both |
| HIST 1523 Western Civilization III | Western Civilization II: 1648 to the Present | 3 | |
| Any course in History | Social Sciences and History | 6 | 3 additional credits applied to General Electives |
| PSCI 2503 American Government | American Government | 3 | |
| BUSM 2353 Macroeconomics | Principles of Macroeconomics | 3 | |
| BUSM 2303 Microeconomics | Principles of Microeconomics | 3 | |
| PSYC 1013 General Psychology | Introductory Psychology | 3 | |
| SOCI 1113 Survey of Sociology | Introductory Sociology | 3 | |
| PSYC 2553 Educational Psychology | Introduction to Educational Psychology | 3 | |
| PSYC 2563 Lifespan Psychology | Human Growth and Development | 3 | Psychology Majors: satisfies Lifespan Psychology by advisor permission only |
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| BUSINESS | | | |
| BUSM 2203 Princ of Financial Accounting & BUSM 2253 Princ of Managerial Accounting | Principles of Accounting | 6 | |
| BUSM 3403 Business Law | Introductory Business Law | 3 | |
| Business Elective | Principles of Management | 3 | |
| BUSM 3303 Marketing Theory | Principles of Marketing | 3 | |
| CSCI 1013 Introduction to Computers | Information Systems and Computer Applications | 3 | |

Part B: Defense Activity for Non-Traditional Education Support (DANTES) Examinations

- Notes:**
- Some majors have specific requirements that may not be met by the indicated exams. Students should contact their academic advisor for official equivalency prior to taking any exams.
 - Students planning to take a DANTES exam should contact the DANTES website (www.getcollegecredit.com) for the nearest testing center. Costs per exam: \$60 Please note that the testing center may charge a separate fee to administer the exam.
 - Minimum Required Score and Credits: NU accepts the recommendation of DANTES regarding credit value and minimum acceptable scores for the awarding of credit.



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|---|---|-----------------|--|
| HUMANITIES | | | |
| COMM 1212 Princ of Speech Communication | Principles of Public Speaking | 3 | |
| ARTE 1022 Art Appreciation | Art of the Western World | 3 | |
| MATHEMATICS | | | |
| Quantitative Reasoning | Fundamentals of College Algebra | 3 | |
| MATH 2003 Intro to Statistics | Principles of Statistics | 3 | |
| SOCIAL SCIENCE | | | |
| History | Western Europe since 1945 | 3 | |
| History | An Introduction to the Modern Middle East | 3 | |
| GEOG 3212 Intro to Geography | Human/Cultural Geography | 3 | Teacher Educations students only upon approval of advisor |
| History | Rise and Fall of the Soviet Union | 3 | |
| History | A History of the Vietnam War | 3 | |
| History | The Civil War and Reconstruction | 3 | |
| PHIL 2763 Ethics | Ethics in America | 3 | |
| General Elective | Foundations of Education | 3 | EDUC 2012 Foundations of Education only upon approval of Dean of Education |

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|---|---|----------------------------|---|
| PSYC 2563 Lifespan Psychology | Lifespan Developmental Psychology | 3 | Teacher Education students: satisfies Lifespan Psychology by advisor permission only Psychology majors: satisfies Lifespan Psychology by advisor permission only |
| MISS/SOCI 3423 Cultural Anthropology | General Anthropology | 3 | |
| General Elective | Drug and Alcohol Abuse | 3 | |
| General Elective | Introduction to Law Enforcement | 3 | |
| Political Science | Criminal Justice | 3 | |
| General Elective | Fundamentals of Counseling | 3 | |
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| PHYSICAL SCIENCE | | | |
| SCIE Non-lab science requirement | Astronomy | 3 | |
| PEDU Physical Education course | Here's to Your Health | 3 | Non-activity PEDU course |
| SCIE Non-lab science requirement | Environment and Humanity: The Race to Save the Planet | 3 | |
| SCIE 1183 Physical & Earth Science I | Principles of Physical Science I | 3 | |
| SCIE Non-lab science requirement | Physical Geology | 3 | |
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| BUSINESS | | | |
| BUSM 3603 Finance | Principles of Finance | 3 | |
| BUSM 2203 Princ of Financial Accounting | Principles of Financial Accounting | 3 | |
| BUSM 3203 Human Resource Management | Human Resource Management | 3 | |
| Business Elective | Organizational Behavior | 3 | |
| Business Elective | Principles of Supervision | 3 | |
| Business Elective | Business Law II | 3 | |
| CSCI 1013 Introduction to Computers | Introduction to Computing | 3 | |
| BUSM 1102 Introduction to Business | Introduction to Business | 3 | |
| Business Elective | Money and Banking | 3 | |
| BUSM 1152 Elements of Personal Finance | Personal Finance | 3 | |
| Business Elective | Management Information Systems | 3 | |
| General Elective | Business Mathematics | 3 | Business Elective upon approval of academic advisor |
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| OTHER DEPARTMENTS | | | |
| MISS/RELG 3503 Intro to World Religions | Introduction to World Religions | 3 | |
| General Elective | Technical Writing | 3 | |

Part C: Advanced Placement (AP) Examinations

- *An official examination result from the College Board is required to award credit. Official examination results posted onto official high school transcripts are acceptable.*
- *Minimum Required Score: an examination score of 3, 4, or 5 is required.*

Web Links: [Registrar's Office](#)

| NU COURSE | AP TEST TITLE (with web site link) | CREDITS AWARDED | APPLICATION NOTES |
|--|--|-----------------|---|
| HUMANITIES | | | |
| ENGL 1013 Expository Writing | English, Language and Composition | 3 | If English Lang and English Lit exams are taken, then credit is given for ENGL 1013 Expository Writing and ENGL 2003 Introduction to Literature |
| ENGL 1013 Expository Writing | English, Literature and Composition | 3 | |
| Fine Arts | Art History | 3 | |
| Fine Arts | Art, Studio: 2D | 3 | |
| Fine Arts | Art, Studio: 3D | 3 | |
| Fine Arts | Art, Studio: Drawing | 3 | |
| Foreign Language | Latin, Literature | 3 | |
| Foreign Language | Latin, Vergil | 3 | |
| Modern Foreign Language | French, Language | 3 | |
| Modern Foreign Language | French, Literature | 3 | |
| Modern Foreign Language | German, Language | 3 | |
| Modern Foreign Language | Spanish, Language | 3 | |
| Modern Foreign Language | Spanish, Literature | 3 | |
| MATHEMATICS | | | |
| MATH 1213 Pre-Calculus MATH 1243 Calculus I | Mathematics, Calculus AB | 6 | |
| MATH 1213 Pre-Calculus MATH 1243 Calculus I | Mathematics, Calculus BC | 6 | If a score of 4 or 5 is earned, student receives 5 additional credits for a total of 11 credits for Pre-Calculus, Calculus I, and Calculus II (MATH 2245) |
| MATH 2003 Introduction to Statistics | Statistics | 3 | |
| SCIENCE | | | |
| Laboratory Science | Physics B | 4 | |
| Laboratory Science | Physics C, Electricity and Magnetism | 4 | |
| Laboratory Science | Physics C, Mechanics | 4 | |
| SCIE 1103/1 Principles of Biology | Biology | 4 | |

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|--|--|--------------------|-------------------|
| SCIE 1204 College Chemistry I | Chemistry | 4 | |
| SCIE 1403/1 Environmental Science | Environmental Science | 4 | |
| <u>SOCIAL SCIENCE</u> | | | |
| History | History, European | 3 | |
| History | History, US | 3 | |
| History | History, World | 3 | |
| BUSM 2303 Microeconomics | Microeconomics | 3 | |
| BUSM 2353 Macroeconomics | Macroeconomics | 3 | |
| GEOG Elective | Geography, Human | 3 | |
| PSCI 2503 American Government | Government and Politics, US | 3 | |
| PSCI Elective | Government and Politics, Comparative | 3 | |
| PSYC 1013 General Psychology | Psychology | 3 | |
| <u>OTHER DEPARTMENTS</u> | | | |
| CSCI 1013 Introduction to Computers | Computer Science A | 3 | |
| CSCI 1013 Introduction to Computers | Computer Science AB | 3 | |
| MUSI 1033 Beginning Theory & MUSI 1113 Written Theory I & MUSI 1131 Ear Training & Sight-Singing I | Music Theory | 7 | |