

AP Guide 2027

ADVANCED PLACEMENT CREDIT AT BRIGHAM YOUNG UNIVERSITY FOR 2026

BYU will only award elective college credit for exams that do not receive GE or specific course credit. Exams that meet this criterion will receive 3 elective credits for a score of 4 or 5. Please refer to <https://core.byu.edu> for more information about how classes may count within BYU's General Education requirements.

AP Examination	Score	BYU Course Fulfilled	BYU Core Fulfilled	Hours
2D Art and Design	4,5	ART 101 ¹	Arts	3 cr
3D Art and Design	4,5	ART 101 ¹	Arts	3 cr
Drawing	4,5	ART 101 ¹	Arts	3 cr
African American Studies	4,5	Elective±		3 cr
Art History	3,4,5	ARTHC 111	Arts	3 cr
Biology	3,4,5	BIOL 100	Biological Science	3 cr
Calculus AB*	3	MATH 110, 111	Quantitative Reasoning	5 cr
	4,5	MATH 110, 112	Quantitative Reasoning, Languages of Learning	7 cr
Calculus BC*	3	MATH 110, 111	Quantitative Reasoning	5 cr
	4	MATH 110, 112	Quantitative Reasoning, Languages of Learning	7 cr
	5	MATH 112, 113	Quantitative Reasoning, Languages of Learning	8 cr
*NOTE: Take Calculus AB or BC, not both				
Capstone Seminar	4,5	Elective±		3 cr
Capstone Research	4,5	Elective±		3 cr
Chemistry	3	CHEM 101	Partially fulfills Physical Science	3 cr
	4	CHEM 105	Partially fulfills Physical Science	4 cr
	5	CHEM 105, 106	Partially fulfills Physical Science	7 cr
Chinese Language and Culture	3,4	CHIN 101		4 cr
	5	CHIN 101, 102		8 cr
Computer Science A	4,5	C S 110		3 cr
Computer Science Principles	4,5	Elective±		3 cr
Economics: Macroeconomics ²	4,5	GE 112	Partially fulfills American Heritage	3 cr

Economics: Microeconomics²	4,5	GE 112	Partially fulfills American Heritage	3 cr
AP Examination	Score	BYU Course Fulfilled	BYU Core Fulfilled	Hours
English Language and Composition	4,5	WRTG 150	First-Year Writing	3 cr
English Literature and Composition	4,5	Elective±		3 cr
Environmental Science	4,5	PWS 150	Biological Science, Global and Cultural Awareness	3 cr
European History	4,5	Elective±		3 cr
French Language and Culture	3	FREN 101, 102		8 cr
	4,5	FREN 101, 102, 201		12 cr
German Language and Culture	3	GERM 101, 102		8 cr
	4,5	GERM 101, 102, 201		12 cr
Government & Politics: Comparative	4,5	POLI 150	Global and Cultural Awareness and Social Science	3 cr
Government & Politics: United States	4,5	POLI 110	Social Science and Partially fulfills American Heritage	3 cr
Human Geography	3,4,5	GEOG 130	Global and Cultural Awareness	3 cr
Italian Language and Culture	4,5	Elective±		3 cr
Japanese Language and Culture	4,5	Elective±		3 cr
Latin	3	LATIN 101, 102		8 cr
	4,5	LATIN 101, 102, 201		12 cr
Music Theory: Aural	4,5	MUSIC 193		1 cr
Music Theory: Written	3	MUSIC 100		2 cr
	4,5	MUSIC 195		3 cr
Physics 1	4,5	PHSCS 105	Partially fulfills Physical Science	3 cr
Physics 2	4,5	PHSCS 106		3 cr
Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism	4,5	PHSCS 220		3 cr
Precalculus	3	Math 109, 111	Quantitative Reasoning	3 cr
	4,5	Math 109, 110	Quantitative Reasoning	4 cr
Physics C: Mechanics	4,5	PHSCS 121	Partially fulfills Physical Science	3 cr

Psychology	4,5	PSYCH 111	Social Science	3 cr
Spanish Language	3	SPAN 105, 106		8 cr
	4	SPAN 105, 106, 111R		10 cr
	5	SPAN 105, 106, 205	Languages of Learning	12 cr
Spanish Literature and Culture	3	SPAN 105, 106		8 cr
	4	SPAN 105, 106, 205	Languages of Learning	12 cr
	5	SPAN 205, 211R, 321, 330	Languages of Learning and Letters	12 cr

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Statistics	3	STAT 105	Quantitative Reasoning	3 cr
	4,5	STAT 121	Quantitative Reasoning, Languages and Learning	3 cr
United States History	4,5	HIST 220 or HIST 221	Partially fulfills American Heritage	3 cr
World History: Modern	4,5	HIST 202	Civilization 2, Global and Cultural Awareness	3 cr
Research	4,5	Elective±		3 cr
Seminar	4,5	Elective±		3 cr

± Elective credit does not count toward major or GE requirements but does count toward the 120 hour graduation requirement.

¹ - Students planning to apply to Art programs at BYU will need to complete ART 101 on campus. AP credit cannot fulfill the prerequisite requirements.

² - A score of 5 on both the Microeconomics and Macroeconomics exams can receive credit for ECON 110 (3 credit hours) and fill the Social Science and 1/2 of the American Heritage General Education Requirements