



Holy Names University Advanced Placement Guidelines

The University grants elective or General Education credit for college-level courses taken by high school students in the Advanced Placement Program, administered by the College Board. Lower-division credit is given for most courses passed with a test score of 3 or higher. Most examinations are designed to validate study considered to represent a full academic year of college study of the subject, or 6 semester units. Students may receive credit for up to 30 units of AP work. If you have any questions about specific credit guidelines, please contact the Transfer Office at transfer@hnu.edu.

College Board AP Tests	Passing Score	Credits Earned	HNU Course
Art and Design Program	3	3	Arts 11
Art History	3	6	Arts 1
Biology	3	6	Biol 1A&1B
Calculus AB	3	3	Math 11
Calculus BC	3	6	Math 11
Chemistry	3	6	Chem 1A&1B
Chinese Language and Culture	3	6	Elective
Comparative Government & Politics	3	3	GE Social Science
Computer Science A	3	3	CIDS 103
Computer Science Programing	3	6	CIDS 103
English Language & Composition	3	6	Engl 1A & Engl 1B
English Literature & Composition	3	6	Engl 1A & one of the following: Engl 20, 21, or 22
Environmental Science	3	4	GE Science
European History	3	6	GE Social Science
French Language and Culture	3	6	Elective
German Language and Culture	3	6	Elective
Human Geography	3	3	Elective
Italian Language and Culture	3	6	Elective
Japanese Language and Culture	3	6	Elective
Latin	3	6	Elective
Macroeconomics	3	3	Econ 1
Microeconomics	3	3	Econ 2
Music Theory	3	6	GE Fine Arts
Physics 1: Algebra-Based	3	4	Needs to be reviewed by department

Physics 2: Algebra-Based	3	4	Needs to be reviewed by department
Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism	3	4	Phys 8B
Physics C: Mechanics	3	4	Phys 8A
Psychology	3	3	Psyc 1A
Spanish Language and Culture	3	6	Spanish 3 & 4
Spanish Literature and Culture	3	6	Elective
Statistics	3	3	Psyc 63
Studio Art – 2D Design	3	3	GE Fine Arts
Studio Art – 3D Design	3	3	GE Fine Arts
Studio Art - Drawing	3	3	GE Fine Arts
U.S. Government and Politics	3	3	Psci 1
U.S. History	3	6	Hist 17A&B
World History: Modern	3	3	GE Social Science