

WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY

Transfer Credit Evaluation

International Baccalaureate candidates take six examinations for the IB Diploma. Three at the “Higher Level” and 3 at the “Standard Level.” The University will only grant credit for exams at the “Higher Level.”

Credit will be granted according to the following stipulations:

- A. No more than 32 hours of IB credit or a combination of AP, IB, CLEP, and department-based credit by examination may be used toward a WSU degree, except by petition. All credit will be recorded on the student record.
- B. Except for foreign languages, the credit granted will be restricted to first year level courses. Foreign languages are an exception because the credit granted is equivalent to our intermediate level foreign language courses.
- C. The IB exam score range is from 1 to 7 with 7 being the highest score. A score of 4 or 5 will yield credit for one course. A score of 6 or 7 will yield credit for two courses with the exception of Chemistry and Mathematics.

IB Subject	Score	WSU Course	Gen Ed*	Credit
Art Design	4,5	ADE 2XXX (2000 level)		3
	6,7	ADE 3XXX (3000 level)		6
Biology	4,5	BIO 1510	LS	4
	6,7	BIO 1510 + 1500		8
Chemistry	4,5	CHM 1220 +1230	PS	5
	6,7	CHM 1220, 1230 +2280		6
Economics	4,5	ECO 2020	SS	4
	6,7	ECO 2020 +2010		8
English	4,5	ENG 1020	BC	4
	6,7	ENG 1020 + 2XXX (2000 level)	IC	7
European History	4,5	HIS 1100	HS	4
	6,7	HIS 1100 + HIS 1300		7
French & Spanish	4,5	FRE/SPA 2010	FC	4
	6,7	FRE 2010 + 2100/ SPA 2010 + 2025		7
History	4,5	HIS 1XXX	HS	4
	6,7	2 HIS 1XXX courses		7
Mathematics	4-7	MAT 2010 + 2020	MC	8
Music	4,5	MUT 1XXX (1000 level)		3
	6,7	Determined at Evaluation		
Physics	4,5	PHY 2130	PS	4
	6,7	PHY 2130 + PHY 2140		8
Psychology	4,5	PSY 1010	LS	4
	6,7	Determined at Evaluation		
Theatre	4,5	THR 1010	VP	3
	6,7	THR 1040		3
Visual Arts	4,5	A H 1000	VP	4
	6,7	Determined at Evaluation		

The above is intended as a working guideline and is subject to review and modification.

* University General Education (Gen Ed) Requirements

BC - Basic Composition Competency
 FC - Foreign Culture
 IC - Intermediate Composition Competency
 HS - Historical Studies
 LS - Life Science

MC - Mathematics Competency
 PS - Physical Science
 SS - Social Science
 VP - Visual and Performing Arts

Additional information can be found in the University Bulletin or at www.bulletins.wayne.edu

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