

CLEP

THE COLLEGE LEVEL EXAMINATION PROGRAM AT SAINT VINCENT COLLEGE

Any matriculated student at Saint Vincent College may be granted advanced standing credit via CLEP.

- Up to 62 credits may be earned via CLEP and similar evaluating mechanisms.
- Credit will not be awarded for repeated CLEP Examinations.
- Students who have earned credit through CLEP should be aware of the limitations of CLEP. Academic credit does not guarantee thorough knowledge of a subject. This is especially important for students in vertical sequence courses. The cutoff scores established at Saint Vincent College are at a "C" grade level.

If a student chooses to take a classroom course for which CLEP credit already has been awarded, the grade for the course will replace the CLEP credit. No double credit is possible. A faculty advisor can counsel a student to take a classroom course for the student's own benefit even though the student has earned credit by CLEP in that subject area, but the faculty advisor cannot require that the student take the course.

- CLEP credit awarded to a student while matriculated at another 4 year accredited college will be accepted, ordinarily, at Saint Vincent College as advanced standing transfer credit.
- To be eligible for credit through CLEP General Exams a student cannot have earned previously any credit in the content area of the General Exam.
- To be eligible for credit through CLEP Subject Exams a student cannot have enrolled in and failed the equivalent course.

CLEP SCORES FOR AWARDING ADVANCED STANDING CREDIT FROM SAINT VINCENT COLLEGE

GENERAL EXAMINATIONS:

Name of Exam	Score for Awarding Credits	
ENGLISH COMPOSITION	520	3
HUMANITIES	460	6
NATURAL SCIENCE	450	8
SOCIAL SCIENCES and HISTORY	460	6

SUBJECT EXAMINATIONS:

COMPOSITION & LITERATURE

<i>American Literature</i>	46	6
<i>Analyzing and Interpreting Literature</i>	47	6
<i>English Literature</i>	46	6
<i>Freshman College Composition with Essay</i>	44+By review	3

FOREIGN LANGUAGES

HISTORY AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

SCIENCES AND MATHEMATICS

BUSINESS AND COMPUTER SCIENCE

Course Equivalency

EL Elective
Fine Arts Elective {3} and
Humanities Elective {3}
Natural Science
Social Science

EL 131, 132
EL Elective, Literature
EL, English Literature
EL Elective