Advanced Placement Credit

Lyon College accepts credit for certain AP exam scores in various disciplines as described in the table below. If a student comes in with an AP score in a discipline not listed below, consult with the Registrar, but Lyon will not guarantee credit in disciplines not listed below.

In cases where consultation with or permission from disciplinary faculty is required, the disciplinary faculty will notify the Registrar of the credit to be awarded, if any, after the consultation has taken place.

Consult this link for a current list of AP exams available to students: https://apstudent.collegeboard.org/apcourse

Disciplinary AP Exam Credit

Discipline/Exam	AP Score(s) Required	Credit
ART HISTORY	4 or 5	ART 201
STUDIO ART (DRAWING)	4 or 5	ART 101 OR, after consultation with the art faculty, possible credit for ART 110.
STUDIO ART (2-D DESIGN)	4 or 5	ART 101 OR, after consultation with the art faculty, possible credit for ART 120.
STUDIO ART (3-D DESIGN)	4 or 5	ART 101 OR, after consultation with the art faculty, possible credit for ART 234.
BIOLOGY	4 or 5	BIO 100
CALCULUS (AB)	3, 4, or 5	Score of 3 gives credit for MTH 110. Score of 4 or 5 gives proficiency for MTH 110 and credit for MTH 210.
CALCULUS (BC)	3, 4, or 5	Score of 3 gives proficiency for MTH 110 and credit for MTH 210. Score of 4 or 5 gives proficiency for MTH 110 and credit for MTH 210 and MTH 220.
CHEMISTRY	4 or 5	Possible credit for CHM 110/110L after consultation with the chemistry faculty.
COMPARATIVE GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS	4 or 5	POL 201
COMPUTER SCIENCE A	3, 4, or 5	CSC 115
ECONOMICS (MICRO or MACRO)	4 or 5	ECO 101
ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND COMPOSITION	4	ENG 101
ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND COMPOSITION	5; The student must also submit to the English faculty a research paper that demonstrates satisfactory command of research strategies	A score of 5 gives proficiency for ENG 101 and credit for ENG 102
ENGLISH LITERATURE AND COMPOSITION	4 or 5	COR 140

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ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE	4 or 5	SCI 100
FRENCH	See details below.	See details below.
EUROPEAN HISTORY	4 or 5	COR 130 or HIS 202, depending on the student's choice.
WORLD HISTORY: MODERN	4 or 5	COR 130 or HIS 202, depending on the student's choice.
UNITED STATES HISTORY	4 or 5	HIS 101 or HIS 102, depending on the student's choice.
MUSIC THEORY	4 or 5	MUS 110
PHYSICS 1	3 (possible after verification exam and consultation with physics faculty), 4, or 5	PHY 210/211 (with permission of physics faculty, PHY 241 may be substituted for PHY 211)
PHYSICS 2	3 (possible after verification exam and consultation with physics faculty), 4, or 5	PHY 220/221 (with permission of physics faculty, PHY 251 may be substituted for PHY 221)
PHYSICS C (MECHANICS)	3 (possible after verification exam), 4, or 5	Possible credit for PHY 240/241 after consultation with physics faculty)
PHYSICS C (ELECTRICITY AND MAGNETISM)	3 (possible after verification exam), 4, or 5	Possible credit for PHY 250/251 after consultation with physics faculty)
PRECALCULUS	3	MTH 110 and proficiency for MTH 101
PSYCHOLOGY	3, 4, or 5	PSY 101
SPANISH	See details on the next page.	See details on the next page.
STATISTICS	4 or 5	MTH 105
U.S. GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS	4 or 5	COR 120

Foreign Language AP Credit

Note: where course credit may be granted, such credit is only available to students who are not native speakers of the language in question.

KEY

P = give proficiency (proficiency does not carry course credit but does allow the student to take the next class in sequence

PX = possibly give proficiency after consultation with disciplinary faculty

C = give course credit

CX = possibly give course credit after consultation with disciplinary faculty

N = no credit or proficiency possible

French LANGUAGE AND CULTURE AP exam

AP Score	FRN 101	FRN 102	FRN 201	FRN 202
3	PX	PX	N	N
4	P	P	CX	N
5	P	P	C	CX

Spanish LANGUAGE AND CULTURE AP exam

AP Score	SPN 101	SPN 102	SPN 201	SPN 202
3	PX	PX	N	N
4	P	P	CX	N
5	P	P	C	CX

Spanish LITERATURE AND CULTURE AP exam

AP Score	SPN 101	SPN 102	SPN 201	SPN 202
3	P	P	CX	N
4	P	P	C	CX
5	P	P	C	CX