

2017-18 CLEP Information and Policies

(effective July 1, 2017- June 30, 2018)

Cedarville University participates in the College-Level Examination Program (CLEP) sponsored by The College Board and administered nationally by Educational Testing Services through participating colleges and universities. This program is designed to provide the opportunity for students to earn college credit by passing examinations in subject areas in which they have already developed college-level knowledge and understanding. The examinations are composed of various multiple choice questions and are administered in timed segments totaling 90 minutes.

Cedarville University offers CLEP tests to current Cedarville University students, as well as to individuals who have been accepted for admission to the University. Tests are offered at least twice per month throughout the academic year. Registration forms and information regarding available test dates may be obtained from the Office of the Registrar. A study guide, produced by CLEP, is available for reference at the Cedarville University library as well as at many local libraries.

The current fee for each CLEP exam is \$130, and is payable in two parts. \$45 of this fee must be paid through the Cedarville University Cashiers office at the time of registration. This administrative fee is non-refundable. The remaining \$85 must be paid directly to CLEP using their "My Account" system. An additional fee of \$25 will be charged to transfer to a different exam date or time if completed by 5 p.m. on the day preceding the scheduled exam date.

CLEP examinations and the scores required to qualify for credit at Cedarville University are reviewed annually and are effective from July 1 through the following June. The current guidelines, including the approved CLEP examinations, the necessary scores, and the Cedarville University course equivalency for each of the exams, are listed on the reverse side of this page. Typically, score reports are evaluated by the standards being utilized at the time the exam was taken. However, due to the potential for change in evaluation standards from year to year, we cannot guarantee credit for any exams taken more than one year before an accepted applicant's first term of enrollment at Cedarville University. CLEP exam results for high school students will be applied to the student's Cedarville University transcript upon matriculation at the University as long as the exam was taken after the student was accepted for admission.

Since the General Education core requirements (e.g., foreign language, literature, mathematics, etc.) are designed to be foundational in the college curricular experience, efforts to fulfill these requirements through the CLEP program must be completed by the time the student has earned 61 credit hours (Junior classification). Transfer students with junior or senior classification who wish to pursue CLEP credit to satisfy General Education requirements must do so by the end of their first semester of full-time attendance at Cedarville.

Students may not pursue credit by CLEP examination for any course in which they have been enrolled. Additionally, students may not CLEP a course if they have taken a more advanced level course in that discipline. The College Board requires a waiting period of at least three months before repeating any test.

Hours earned through CLEP examinations do not count as hours in residence toward graduation with honors. A maximum of forty semester hours of test-out credit (including CLEP, AP, IB, and other department-approved test outs) may be earned toward a degree at Cedarville University.

Students may take CLEP exams at other institutions and request to have their scores sent to Cedarville. This is done by designating Cedarville University in the appropriate place when taking the exam. The CLEP number for Cedarville University is 1151. A complete list of test centers throughout the country is available from The College Board at <http://clep.collegeboard.org>.

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CLEP Standards and Course Equivalents (effective July 1, 2017- June 30, 2018)

<i>Examination</i>	<i>Score</i>	<i>Cedarville University Course</i>	<i>Credit</i>
Business Administration			
Financial Accounting	65	ACCT 2110 Principles of Accounting I	3
Introductory Business Law	57	BUS 2180 Business Law I	3
Principles of Macroeconomics	62	ECON 2340 Macroeconomics	3
Principles of Microeconomics	64	ECON 2330 Microeconomics	3
Foreign Language			
College French - Level I & II	64	FREN 1910, 1920 Elementary French	8
	69	FREN 1910, 1920 Elementary French FREN 2910, 2920 Intermediate French	8 7
College German - Level I & II	59	GER 1810, 1820 Elementary German	8
	67	GER 1810, 1820 Elementary German GER 2810, 2820 Intermediate German	8 7
College Spanish - Level I & II	56	SPAN 1710, 1720 Elementary Spanish	8
	68	SPAN 1710, 1720 Elementary Spanish SPAN 2710, 2720 Intermediate Spanish	8 7
History & Government			
American Government	63	POLS 2XXX Political Science Elective	3
History of United States I	56	HIST 1110 United States History I	3
History of United States II	57	HIST 1120 United States History II	3
Introductory Sociology	56	SOC 1300 Introduction to Sociology	3
Social Science & History	57	HIST 1XXX Social Science/History Elective	3
Western Civilization I: Ancient Near East to 1648	55	HIST 2010 History of Civilization I	3
Western Civilization II: 1648 to Present	54	HIST 2020 History of Civilization II	3
Literature			
American Literature	53	LIT 2XXX General Education Literature Elective	3
English Literature	62	LIT 2XXX General Education Literature Elective	3
Psychology			
Introductory Psychology	55	PYCH 1600 General Psychology	3
Human Growth and Development	58	PYCH 2600 Human Development: Lifespan	3
Science & Mathematics			
Calculus	64	MATH-1700 Calculus & Dynamical Systems for the Life Sciences MATH 1710 Calculus I	4 5
College Algebra	63	GMTH 1020 College Algebra	3
College Mathematics	57	GMTH 1010 Introduction to Mathematics	3
Biology	56	GBIO 1000 Principles of Biology	3.5
Chemistry	65	CHEM 1000 Principles of Chemistry or CHEM 1050 Chemistry for Engineers or CHEM 1110 General Chemistry I	4 3.5 4
Natural Sciences	62	GSCI 1020 Principles of Physical Science	3.5
Precalculus	61	GMTH 1030 Precalculus	4