Bellarmine University Advanced Placement Policy
Effective October 2006

Advanced Placement Policy: Bellarmine University offers academic credit, placement, or both to students who earn scores of 4 or 5 (a few departments accept scores of 3) on the Advanced Placement tests sponsored by The College Board. This table is a complete listing of how credits will transfer. Credit will not be awarded for both AP and IB exams or ACES (formerly Access) credit in the same subject. If you subsequently take a course at Bellarmine for which you received AP credit placement, you will not be awarded credit for that subsequent course; it would be considered a repeat. This information was last updated in September 2012.

Exam Name	Score needed to earn credit and indicated placement	Bellarmine Equivalent Course or Courses - (placement)	Number of BU Semester Credits Awarded	Notes
Art History	4 or 5	ARTH 201	3	
Art: Studio Art-Drawing	4 or 5	Art Elective credit	3	Does NOT fulfill any General Education requirements
Art: Studio Art-2D Design	4 or 5	Art Elective credit	3	Does NOT fulfill any General Education requirements
Art: Studio Art-3D Design	4 or 5	Art Elective credit	3	Does NOT fulfill any General Education requirements
Biology	3	BIOL 115	3	Does NOT fulfill BIOL 130
	4 or 5	BIOL 115 and BIOL 116	6 total, 3 each	Does NOT fulfill BIOL 130
Calculus AB	3	MATH 125	4	
	4 or 5	MATH 117	4	
Calculus BC	3	MATH 117 or MATH 125	4	MATH 117 will be awarded; student may request credit for MATH 125 instead
	4 or 5	MATH 117 and MATH 118	8 total, 4 each	
Chemistry	4 or 5	CHEM GEN ED credit (non-majors)	3	Fulfills a Gen Ed Natural Science requirement
Computer Science A	4 or 5	C.S. 130	3	
Computer Science AB	4 or 5	C.S. 130 and C.S. 131	6 total, 3 each	
Economics: Macro	4 or 5	ECON 110	3	
Economics: Micro	4 or 5	ECON 111	3	
English Language and Composition	4 or 5	English Elective credit	3	Does NOT fulfill ENGL 101
English Literature and Composition	4 or 5	English Elective credit	3	Does NOT fulfill ENGL 200 or ENGL 101
Environmental Science	4 or 5	ENVS 111	3	
European History	4 or 5	HIST 116 and HIST 117	6 total, 3 each	
French Language	4	FREN 101	3	
	5	FREN 101 and 102	6 total, 3 each	Fulfills Foreign Language Proficiency
French Literature	4	FREN 101	3	
	5	FREN 101 and 102	6 total, 3 each	Fulfills Foreign Language Proficiency
German Language	4	GERM 101	3	
	5	GERM 101 and 102	6 total, 3 each	Fulfills Foreign Language Proficiency
Government & Politics: United States	4 or 5	P.S. 101	3	
Government & Politics: Comparative	4 or 5	P.S. GEN ED credit	3	
Human Geography	4 or 5	GEOG 175	3	
Latin: Vergil	4	LAT 101	3	
	5	LAT 101 and 102	6 total, 3 each	Fulfills Foreign Language Proficiency
Latin: Literature	4	LAT 101	3	
	5	LAT 101 and 102	6 total, 3 each	Fulfills Foreign Language Proficiency
Music Theory	4 or 5	MUSC 101	3	
Physics B	4 or 5	PHYS GEN ED credit (non-majors)	3	Fulfills a Gen Ed Natural Science requirement
Physics C: Mechanics	4 or 5	PHYS GEN ED credit (non-majors)	3	Fulfills a Gen Ed Natural Science requirement
Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism	4 or 5	PHYS GEN ED credit (non-majors)	3	Fulfills a Gen Ed Natural Science requirement
Psychology	4 or 5	PSYC 103	3	Fulfills a Gen Ed Social Science requirement
Spanish Language	4	SPAN 101	3	
	5	SPAN 101 and 102	6 total, 3 each	Fulfills Foreign Language Proficiency
Spanish Literature	4	SPAN 101	3	
	5	SPAN 101 and 102	6 total, 3 each	Fulfills Foreign Language Proficiency
Statistics	4 or 5	Math 205	4	
U.S. History	3 or 4 or 5	Hist 201 and Hist 202	6 total, 3 each	
World History	3 or 4 or 5	HIST Elective credit	3	Does NOT fulfill any General Education requirements