

Credit by Examination

At Pulaski Technical College, credit by examination may be obtained through the College Level Examination Program (CLEP) and through the Advanced Placement (AP) Examination of the College Board. PTC uses the following policies for awarding college credit to students:

1. Students must be currently enrolled before CLEP or AP credit can be posted to the transcript.
2. Students may earn a maximum of 30 CLEP/AP credit hours.
3. No grade is awarded for CLEP or AP credit and credit is not calculated in the grade point average.
4. CLEP/AP credit is entered on the transcript as "credit by CLEP" or "credit by AP".
5. CLEP credit will not be awarded if the class has been taken and a grade earned.

CLEP credit at PTC can be awarded for the following CLEP exams:

CLEP Subject Exam	Required Score	PTC Courses
Biology		
Biology	50	BIOL 1401
Business		
Information Systems and Computer Applications	50	BUS 1303 or ELT 1103
English		
Freshman College Composition	57	ENGL 1311
Foreign Language		
Spanish Language	66 58 50	SPAN 1311, 1312, 2311, 2312 SPAN 1311, 1312, 2311 SPAN 1311, 1312
History		
History of the United States I	54	HIST 2311
History of the United States II	55	HIST 2312
Mathematics		
College Algebra	53	MATH 1302
Trigonometry	58	MATH 1303
Political Science		
American Government	55	POLS 1301
Psychology		
Introductory Psychology	64	PSYC 2300
Sociology		
Introductory Sociology	53	SOCI 2300

If you have already taken a CLEP test but did not have the scores sent to PTC, contact the College Board at 1-800-257-9558 to request that your scores be released to PTC. Our code number is 8365.

The CLEP tests became computer based in July 2001. Score requirements for the paper version of CLEP exams are available in the Counseling Services office.

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Advanced placement Credit can be awarded for the following AP exams:

AP Exam	Required Score	PTC Courses
Biology	3	BIOL 1401
English-Language and Composition	3	ENGL 1311
Government and Politics United States	3	POLS 1310
History-United States	3	HIST 2311, 2312
Psychology	3	PSYC 2300
Spanish-Language	3	SPAN 1311, 1312
Economics-Microeconomics	3	ECON 2320
Economics-Macroeconomics	3	ECON 2310