



## Policy on awarding credit for the College Level Examination Program (CLEP)

The College Level Examination Program (CLEP) was developed by College Board to give students the opportunity to take exams in order to earn college credit. The option to receive college credit only becomes available to a student when he/she sends official score reports that meet the minimum required score to Pulaski Technical College.

CLEP scores are reported on a scale from 20 to 80, with 80 being the maximum score. Pulaski Technical College may award college credit for some CLEP exams if the student scores 50 or higher. Some changes have been made to the required score on the CLEP exams when CLEP started utilizing computer-based testing instead of paper-based testing. See the notes in the chart for more information.

Pulaski Technical College uses the following policies for awarding CLEP credit to students:

- Students must be currently enrolled before CLEP credit can be posted to the transcript.
- Students may earn a maximum of 30 hours of credit by examination.
- No grade is awarded for credit by examination and credit is not calculated in the grade point average.
- Credit will not be awarded if the class has been taken and a grade earned.

An official transcript must be mailed from College Board directly to the PTC Dean of Enrollment Services before credit will be awarded. Credit will not be awarded without an official score report.

College credits for College Level Examination Program have been approved for credit with departmental review:

<b>CLEP EXAM</b>	<b>PAPER SCORE</b>	<b>COMPUTER SCORE</b>	<b>PTC CREDITS AWARDED</b>
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**BIOLOGY**

<b>Biology</b>	50	50	BIOL 1401 Biological Science
<b>COMPUTER SCIENCE</b>			
<b>Information Systems and Computer Applications</b>	n/a	50	CIS 1103 Computer Concepts
<b>ECONOMICS</b>			
<b>Microeconomics</b>	n/a	50	ECON 2322 Principles of Economics I-Microeconomics
<b>Macroeconomics</b>	n/a	50	ECON 2323 Principles of Economics II-Macroeconomics
<b>ENGLISH COMPOSITION and LITERATURE</b>			
<b>Analyzing and Interpreting Literature (essay not required)</b>	54	50	ENGL 2337 World Literature from the Beginning to 1650
<b>English Composition (the multiple choice test)</b> This exam is not available after July 1, 2010	n/a	50	ENGL 1311 English Comp I
<b>Freshman College Composition (optional essay not required)</b> This exam is not available after July 1, 2010	n/a	50	ENGL 1311 English Comp I
<b>English Composition with Essay</b> This exam is not available after July 1, 2010	n/a	Range of 50 to 62	ENGL 1311 English Composition I
<b>English Composition with Essay</b> This exam is not available after July 1, 2010	n/a	63	ENGL 1311 English Composition I & ENGL 1312 English Composition II

<b>College Composition Modular (optional essay not required)</b>	n/a	50	ENGL 1311 English Composition I
<b>College Composition</b>	n/a	50	ENGL 1311 English Composition I & ENGL 1312 English Composition II
<b>FOREIGN LANGUAGES</b>			
<b>French Language</b>	45	59	FREN 1311 Elementary French I, FREN 1312 Elementary French II, FREN 2311 Intermediate French I, & 3 lower level elective hours.
<b>French Language</b>	42	54	FREN 1311 Elementary French I, FREN 1312 Elementary French II, & FREN 2311 Intermediate French I
<b>French Language</b>	39	50	FREN 1311 Elementary French I & FREN 1312 Elementary French II
<b>German Language</b>	36	50	GERM 1311 Elementary German I, & GERM 1312 Elementary German II
<b>Spanish Language</b>	50	66 63 (if student tested after August 2007)	SPAN 1311 Elementary Spanish I, SPAN 1312 Elementary Spanish II, SPAN 2311 Intermediate Spanish I, & 3 lower level elective hours.
<b>Spanish Language</b>	47	58 56 (if student tested after August 2007)	SPAN 1311 Elementary Spanish I, SPAN 1312 Elementary Spanish II, & SPAN 2311 Intermediate Spanish I

Spanish Language	45	50	SPAN 1311 Elementary Spanish I, & SPAN 1312 Elementary Spanish II
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### **HISTORY**

History of the United States I	53	54	HIST 2311 U.S. History to 1877
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History of the United States II	53	55	HIST 2312 U.S History since 1877
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Western Civilization I	53	57	HIST 1311 History of Civilization I
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Western Civilization II	53	56	HIST 1312 History of Civilization II
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### **MANAGEMENT**

Principles of Management	50	60	BUS 2603 Introduction to Business
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### **MARKETING**

Introductory Business Law	n/a	50	BUS 2633 Legal Environment of Business
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### **MATHEMATICS**

Calculus	46	55	MATH 1404 Calculus I
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College Algebra	50	53	MATH 1302 College Algebra
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Pre-calculus	n/a	55	MATH 1302 College Algebra
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Trigonometry (This test is not available after July 1, 2006.)	54	58	MATH 1303 Trigonometry
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### **POLITICAL SCIENCE**

American Government	55	55	POLS 1310 American National Government
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### **PSYCHOLOGY**

Introductory Psychology	57	64	PSYC 2300 Psychology and the
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Human Experience

**SOCIOLOGY**

**Introductory Sociology**

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SOCI 2300 Introduction to  
Sociology