2025-26 IMPERIAL VALLEY COLLEGE ADVANCED PLACEMENT CHART

Students may earn college credit using Advanced Placement (AP) exams with scores of 3, 4, or 5. AP credit can be used to fulfill Cal-GETC, AA-T/AS-T, and A.A./A.S. general education (GE) and/or major requirements. To earn college credit, students must send an official AP Score Report from The College Board to the IVC Admissions and Records Office. AP Score Reports are requested online at https://apscore.collegeboard.org/scores/

Course credit and units granted at Imperial Valley College may differ from course credit and units granted by a transfer institution.

			Cal-GETC Area &				
AP EXAMINATION	IVC Course and/or Unit Award	IVC AA/AS General Education	Units Awarded	UC Units	CSU Units		
Art History	No Course Equivalency		Area 3A or 3B	8 quarter/5.3			
	3 semester units	Area E Arts and Humanities	3 semester units	semester units	6 semester units		
	BIOL 100 4 semester units	Anna D Natural Original	Area 5B & 5C	8 quarter/5.3	0		
Biology	4 semester units Score of 3 - MATH 190	Area D Natural Sciences	4 semester units	semester units	6 semester units		
	5 semester units						
	Score of 4 or 5 - MATH 192		Area 2	4 guarter/2.6			
Calculus AB	4 semester units	Area B Mathematical Concepts and Quantitative Reasoning	3 semester units	semester units	3 semester units		
	Score of 3 - MATH 192				-		
	4 semester units						
	Score of 4 or 5 - MATH 192 & MATH 194		Area 2	8 quarter/5.3			
Calculus BC	8 semester units	Area B Mathematical Concepts and Quantitative Reasoning	3 semester units	semester units	6 semester units		
	Math 192	Area B Mathematical Concepts and	Area 2	4 quarter/2.6			
Calculus BC/AB Sub score	4 semester units	Quantitative Reasoning	3 semester units	semester units	3 semester units		
	IVC No limitation						
AP CALCULUS EXAM LIMITATIONS	CSU: Students passing more than 1 AP Exam in CS or Calculus may apply only one Exam to the baccalaureate degree. UC: Students passing more than 1 AP Exam in Calculus may earn a maximum credit of 8 guarter/5.3 semester units.						
	Score of 3 or 4 - CHEM 100	Calculus may carri a maximum credit of 0 quarter/3.5 seriester units.			1		
	4 semester units						
	Score of 5 - CHEM 200		Area 5A & 5C	8 guarter/5.3			
Chemistry	5 semester units	Area D Natural Sciences	4 semester units	semester units	6 semester units		
	No Course Equivalency		Area 3B	8 guarter/5.3			
Chinese Language & Culture	3 semester units	Area E Arts and Humanities	3 semester units	semester units	6 semester units		
	POLS 104		Area 4	4 guarter/2.6			
Comparative Government & Politics	3 semester units	Area F Social and Behavioral Science	3 semester units	semester units	6 semester units		
	Score of 3 - No Course Equivalency						
	3 semester units						
	Score of 4 or 5 - CS 221			2 quarter/1.3			
Computer Science A	3 semester units	Area B Mathematical Concepts and Quantitative Reasoning	N/A	semester units	3 semester units		
Computer Science Principles	No Course Equivalency			8 quarter/5.3			
	3 semester units	N/A	N/A	semester units	6 semester units		
	IVC: No limitation						
AP CALCULUS AND COMPUTER SCIENCE EXAM LIMITATIONS	CSU: Students passing more than 1 AP Exam in CS or Calculus may apply only one Exam to the baccalaureate degree. UC: No limitation between CS and Calculus AP Exam credit beyond the Calculus limitation above.						
	Score of 3 or 4 – ENGL C1000	Exam credit beyond the Calculus limitation above.			1		
	4 semester units Score of 5 – ENGL C1000 and ENGL C1001		0				
English Language & Composition	*7 semester units	Area A.1 English Composition, Oral Communication and Critical Thinking	Area 1A 3 semester units	8 quarter/5.3 semester units	6 semester units		
		Area A.1 English Composition, Oral Communication	Area 1A or 3B	8 quarter/5.3	o semester units		
English Literature & Composition	ENGL C1000 and ENGL 102 *7 semester units	and Critical Thinking & Area E Arts and Humanities	3 semester units	semester units	6 semester units		
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	IVC: Students passing more than one English AP Exam may earn a maximum 7 semester units. CSU: No limitation						
AP ENGLISH EXAM LIMITATIONS		P Exam may earn a maximum credit of 8 quarter/5.3 semester units.					
	ENVS 110		Area 5A & 5C	4 guarter/2.6			
Environmental Science	3 semester units	Area D Natural Sciences	3 semester units	semester units	4 semester units		
	Score of 3 - HIST 110	Score of 3 - Area F Social and Behavioral Sciences or Area E					
	3 semester units	Arts and Humanities					
	Score of 4 or 5 - HIST 110 and 111	Score of 4 or 5 - Area F Social and Behavioral Sciences and	Area 3B or 4	8 quarter/5.3			
European History	6 semester units	Area E Arts and Humanities	3 semester units	semester units	6 semester units		
	Score of 3 - FREN 201						
	5 semester units		Aroa 2P				
	Score of 4 or 5 - FREN 211		Area 3B	8 quarter/5.3			
French Language & Culture	5 semester units	Area E. Arts and Humanities	3 semester units	semester units	6 semester units		
	No Course Equivalency		Area 3B	8 quarter/5.3			
German Language & Culture	3 semester units	Area E Arts and Humanities	3 semester units	semester units	6 semester units		

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	IVC Course and/or Unit Award	IVC AA/AS General Education	Units Awarded	UC Units	CSU Units			
	GEOG 102		Area 4	4 guarter/2.6				
Human Geography	3 semester units	Area F Social and Behavioral Sciences	3 semester units	semester units	3 semester units			
			Area 3B		5 semester units			
	No Course Equivalency		3 semester units	8 quarter/5.3				
Italian Language & Culture	3 semester units	Area E. Arts and Humanities	-	semester units	6 semester units			
	No Course Equivalency		Area 3B	8 quarter/5.3				
Japanese Language & Culture	3 semester units	Area E Arts and Humanities	3 semester units	semester units	6 semester units			
	No Course Equivalency		Area 3B	8 guarter/5.3				
	3 semester units	Area E Arts and Humanities	3 semester units	semester units	6 semester units			
	ECON 102		Area 4	4 quarter/2.6				
Macroeconomics	3 semester units	Area F Social and Behavioral Sciences	3 semester units	semester units	3 semester units			
	ECON 101		Area 4	4 guarter/2.6				
Microeconomics	3 semester units	Area F Social and Behavioral Sciences	3 semester units	semester units	3 semester units			
	No Course Equivalency		Area 5A & 5C	8 guarter/5.3				
Physics 1	4 semester units	Area D Natural Sciences	4 semester units	semester units	4 semester units			
	No Course Equivalency		Area 5A & 5C	8 guarter/5.3				
Physics 2	4 semester units	Area D Natural Sciences	4 semester units	semester units	4 semester units			
	PHYS 200		Area 5A & 5C	4 quarter/2.6	, comotor anito			
Physics C: Mechanics	4 semester units	Area D Natural Sciences	3 semester units	semester units	4 semester units			
	PHYS 202		Area 5A & 5C	4 quarter/2.6	- acmoster utilits			
Physics C: Electricity & Magnetism	4 semester units	Area D Natural Sciences	3 semester units	semester units	4 semester units			
		Area D Natural Sciences	5 semester units	semester units	4 semester units			
	IVC: No limitation							
	CSU: Students passing more than one Physics AP Exam may apply a maximum of 6 semester units toward the baccalaureate degree. UC: Students passing more than one Physics AP Exam may earn a maximum credit of 8 quarter/5.3 semester units.							
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Precalculus	No Course Equivalency	Anna DMathamatical Ocurrents and Ocurrethetics Descention	21/2	21/2	0			
	3 semester units	Area B Mathematical Concepts and Quantitative Reasoning	N/A	N/A	3 semester units			
	PSYC C1000		Area 4	4 quarter/2.6				
sychology	3 semester units	Area F Social and Behavioral Sciences	3 semester units	semester units	3 semester units			
Seminar	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	3 semester units			
	Score of 3 - SPAN 200							
	5 semester units							
	Score of 4 or 5 - SPAN 210		Area 3B	8 guarter/5.3				
Spanish Language & Culture	5 semester units	Area E Arts and Humanities	3 semester units	semester units	6 semester units			
	No Course Equivalency		Area 3B	8 guarter/5.3				
Spanish Literature & Culture	3 semester units	Area E Arts and Humanities	3 semester units	semester units	6 semester units			
	STAT C1000	Area B Mathematical Concepts	Area 2	4 guarter/2.6	o comoción anito			
Statistics	4 semester units	and Quantitative Reasoning	3 semester units	semester units	3 semester units			
	No Course Equivalency	und Quantitative reducining		8 quarter/5.3	o serricoter anito			
Studio Art 2D Design	3 semester units	N/A	N/A	semester units	3 semester units			
	No Course Equivalency				o semester units			
Studio Art 3D Design	3 semester units	N/A	N/A	8 quarter/5.3 semester units	3 semester units			
		N/A	N/A		5 semester units			
	No Course Equivalency	21/0	N1/A	8 quarter/5.3	2. a a maastar unita			
Studio Art Drawing	3 semester units	N/A	N/A	semester units	3 semester units			
	IVC: No limit for Studio Arts							
STUDIO ART EXAM LIMITATIONS	CSU: No limit for Studio Arts UC: Students passing more than one Studio Arts AP Exam may earn a maximum credit of 8 guarter/5.3 semester units.							
	POLS C1000	Area F Social and Behavioral Science and Area III.A	Area 4	4 quarter/2.6				
United States Government & Politics	3 semester units	American Institutions	3 semester units	semester units	3 semester units			
	Score of 3 - HIST 120							
	3 semester units	Area E Arts and Humanities or Area F Social and						
	Score of 4 or 5 - HIST 120 and 121	Behavioral Sciences and	Area 3B or 4	8 quarter/5.3				
	6 semester units	Area III.A American Institutions	3 semester units	semester units	6 semester units			
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A student earning AP credit and completing an equivalent IVC course will have the unit course credit for the duplicated course deducted prior to the awarding of an associate degree.

The awarding of AP credit for AA-T/AS-T: When an IVC course award is indicated for an exam, follow the IVC course award for the major and the Cal-GETC area. The units earned by the IVC course award will apply toward the required 60 CSU transferable units. When no IVC course award is indicated use the Cal GETC area and unit award for the general education pattern and the IVC unit award toward the required 60 CSU transferable units.