

## International Baccalaureate Credit Policy

Note: Credit is given only for scores on Higher Level [HL] exams.

IB Exam [HL]	Score	Carnegie Mellon Course Award/Equivalency	CMU Units
Biology	6	03-011, AP Biology	9
	7	03-110, General Biology. Students can elect to take an attainment exam. Students who pass this exam by September 30 will receive credit for 03-121 instead of 03-110.	9
Chemistry	7	09-105, Introduction to Modern Chemistry I	10
Chinese A or B	6	82-025, IB 6 Chinese (students who wish to continue their study of Chinese must take the placement exam and contact The Department of Languages, Cultures & Applied Linguistics for placement)	12
	7	82-026, IB 7 Chinese (students who wish to continue their study of Chinese must take the placement exam and contact The Department of Languages, Cultures & Applied Linguistics for placement)	12
Classical Languages: Ancient Greek	6	66-021, IB Classical Languages: Greek	9
	7	66-021, IB Classical Languages: Greek and 66-022 IB 7 Classical Languages: Greek	9 & 9
Classical Languages: Ancient Latin	6	66-023, IB Classical Languages: Latin	9
	7	66-023, IB Classical Languages: Latin and 66-024 IB 7 Classical Languages: Latin	9 & 9
Computer Science	6 or 7	15-112, Fundamentals of Programming(subsumes15-110)	12
Design Technology	6 or 7	51-013, IB Design Technology	9
Economics	6 or 7	73-011, AP Economics (students should take 73-104)	9
English A: Language and Literature	7	76-013, IB English A Language & Lit(must take 76101 or two of the following half-semester mini courses at CMU: 76106, 76107, 76108)	9
English A: Literature	7	76-014, IB English A Literature (must take 76-101 or two of the following half-semester mini courses at CMU: 76106, 76107, 76108)	9
Film	7	76-017, IB Film	9
French A or B	6	82-027, IB French A (students who wish to continue their study of French must take the placement exam and contact the Department of Languages, Cultures & Applied Linguistics for placement)	9
	7	82-028, IB 7 French A (students who wish to continue their study of French must take the placement exam and contact the Department of Languages, Cultures & Applied Linguistics for placement)	9
Geography	6 or 7	66-012, IB Geography	9
German	6	82-029, IB 6 German (students who wish to continue their study of German must take the placement exam and contact the Department of Languages, Cultures & Applied Linguistics for placement)	9
	7	82-030, IB 7 German (students who wish to continue their study of German must take the placement exam and contact the Department of Languages, Cultures & Applied Linguistics for placement)	9
Global Politics	7	84-013, IB Global Politics	9
History	7	79-014, IB History	9
Information Technology in a Global Society (ITGS)	7	67-011, IB Information Technology in a Global Society (ITGS)	9
Islamic History	7	79-013, IB Islamic History	9

Italian A or B	6	82-031, IB 6 Italian (students who wish to continue their study of Italian must take the placement exam and contact the Department of Languages, Cultures & Applied Linguistics for placement)	9
	7	82-032, IB 7 Italian (students who wish to continue their study of Italian must take the placement exam and contact the Department of Languages, Cultures & Applied Linguistics for placement)	9
Japanese	6	82-033, IB 6 Japanese (students who wish to continue their study of Japanese must take the placement exam and contact the Department of Languages, Cultures & Applied Linguistics for placement)	12
	7	82-034, IB 7 Japanese (students who wish to continue their study of Japanese must take the placement exam and contact the Department of Languages, Cultures & Applied Linguistics for placement)	12
Mathematics	6	21-120, Differential and Integral Calculus	10
	7	21-120, Differential and Integral Calculus and 21-122, Integrations, Differential Equations and Approximation	10 & 10
Music	6 or 7	57-013, IB Music (cannot count as any School of Music theory course)	9
Philosophy	6 or 7	80-011, IB Philosophy	9
Physics	7	33-141, Physics I for Engineering Students	12
Psychology	6 or 7	85-012, IB Psychology	9
Russian A or B	6	82-035, IB 6 Russian (students who wish to continue their study of Russian must take the placement exam and contact the Department of Languages, Cultures & Applied Linguistics for placement)	12
	7	82-036, IB 7 Russian (students who wish to continue their study of Russian must take the placement exam and contact the Department of Languages, Cultures & Applied Linguistics for placement)	12
Social & Cultural Anthropology	6 or 7	79-016, IB Anthropology	9
Spanish A or B	6	82-037, IB 6 Spanish (students who wish to continue their study of Spanish must take the placement exam and contact the Department of Languages, Cultures & Applied Linguistics for placement)	9
	7	82-038, IB 7 Spanish (students who wish to continue their study of Spanish must take the placement exam and contact the Department of Languages, Cultures & Applied Linguistics for placement)	9

<sup>1</sup> With a score of 7, students can elect to take an attainment exam. Students who pass this exam by September 30 will receive credit for 03-121 instead of 03-110.

Questions about Carnegie Mellon University's IB Credit Policy may be directed to the University Registrar's Office at [cmuregistrar@andrew.cmu.edu](mailto:cmuregistrar@andrew.cmu.edu).