



CLEP

College Level Examination Program Information

Center for Student Success and Engagement / Advising is responsible for advising about the College Level Examination Program (CLEP). Through this credit by examination program students are able to receive college credit for prior knowledge that can be applied to core and department requirements or elective credit. The College Level Examination Program, sponsored by the College Entrance Examination Board, provides standardized tests across a diverse array of college-level courses. For each CLEP examination that awards 3 or 6 credits, MCLA requires a minimum score of 50, representing the mean test score of students who earn a C in the corresponding college level course. For students seeking 12 credits in foreign language, the following scores are required. French 62, German 63, Spanish 66. For a complete list of the exams and each exam description, visit www.collegeboard.com/clep.

Each CLEP test costs \$89. Test Centers charge an additional administrative fee.

CLEP Examinations include five areas: Composition and Literature, Science and Mathematics, Social Sciences and History, Business and Foreign Languages. There are thirty-three exams which cover material taught in undergraduate courses at most colleges and universities.

You must be currently matriculated in a degree program to receive Massachusetts College of Liberal Arts academic credit.

Students who desire more information should contact CSSE / Advising at Massachusetts College of Liberal Arts, Eldridge Hall, top level, North Adams, Massachusetts, (413) 662-5400. We can provide information about the exams and where you are able to take them.

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