

International Baccalaureate Credits, 2014–15

Only Higher Level Exams are accepted for credit by the University of California; Standard Level Exams are not given credit. Score of 6 or 7 on Standard Level English exam meets UC Entry Level Writing requirement but no unit credit is granted. The International Baccalaureate (IB) credit limit at UC San Diego is thirty units. For IB exams not listed here, consult an academic adviser. For dance, environmental systems, theatre arts, and visual arts, course credit will be determined by the college or the department.

EXAM AND UNITS FOR UNIVERSITY CREDIT	UC SAN DIEGO COURSE EXEMPTIONS (FOR USE ON MAJOR)	REVELLE COLLEGE	JOHN MUIR COLLEGE	THURGOOD MARSHALL COLLEGE	EARL WARREN COLLEGE	ELEANOR ROOSEVELT COLLEGE	SIXTH COLLEGE
Anthropology —8	Score of 5, 6, or 7 = exempts ANTH 1	Meets 2 quarters of social science requirement	Exempts ANTH 1	2 courses toward disciplinary breadth if noncontiguous to major	2 courses toward anthropology or perspectives of social science PofC or 1 course toward anthropology area study	8 units elective credit	Score of 5 or above = 1 course toward social analysis
Biology —8	Score of 5 = exempts BILD 10. Score of 6 or 7 = exempts BILD 1, 2, 3.	Meets biology requirement	Refer to "UC San Diego Course Exemptions"; a score of 5 may be used to clear 1 course in a biology GE sequence in natural sciences; a score of 6 or 7 may be petitioned to count as BILD 10 and one other course in a biology GE sequence in natural sciences	1 course toward biology/natural science requirement and 1 course toward disciplinary breadth if noncontiguous to major	Score of 5 = 2 courses toward science and technology or fundamentals of biology PofC. Score of 6 or 7 = 2 courses toward biology, fundamentals of biology, or science and technology PofC.	Completes 2-course requirement in natural science	Score of 5 or above = 1 course toward analytic methodologies/scientific method
Chemistry —8	Score of 5 = exempts Chem 6A. Score of 6 = exempts Chem 6A and 6C. Score of 7 = exempts 6A, 6B, 6C.	Partial completion of natural science requirement	Refer to "UC San Diego Course Exemptions"	1 course toward chemistry/natural science requirement and 1 course toward disciplinary breadth if noncontiguous to major	Score of 5 = 2 courses toward science and technology or 1 course toward chemistry PofC. Score of 6 or 7 = 2 courses toward science and technology or chemistry PofC.	Completes 2-course requirement in natural science	Score of 5 or above = 1 course toward analytic methodologies/scientific method
Computing Studies —8	Score of 5, 6, or 7 = elective credit only	2 courses for area of focus if noncontiguous to major	Does not clear any general-education requirements.	Elective credit only	2 courses toward formal skills or toward science and technology PofC	Completes 2-course requirement in quantitative/formal skills	Score of 5 or above = elective credit
Dance —8	Score of 5, 6, or 7 = elective credit only	Meets fine arts requirement and may meet 1 course for noncontiguous area of focus or may meet 2 courses for noncontiguous area of focus	Does not clear any general-education requirements	2 courses towards lower division disciplinary breadth requirement if noncontiguous with major OR satisfies fine arts requirement	2 courses toward humanities or theatre and dance PofC or 1 course toward humanities or theatre and dance area study	1 course towards Group B fine arts requirement	Score of 5 or above = 1 course toward art making

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Economics —8	Score of 7 = exempts ECON 1 and 3	Meets 2 quarters of social science requirement	Refer to “UC San Diego Course Exemptions”; score of 5 or 6 does not clear any general-education requirements	Score of 5 or 6 = elective credit only. Score of 7 = 2 course lower division breadth requirement if noncontiguous with major.	Score of 5 or 6 = 2 courses toward perspectives of social science PofC 7= 2 courses toward economics or perspectives of social science PofC or 1 course toward economics area study	Elective credit only	Score of 5 or above = 1 course toward social analysis
English — 8 (English A)	Score of 5, 6, or 7 meets Entry Level Writing requirement	Elective credit only (fulfills UC Entry Level Writing requirement)	Fulfills UC Entry Level Writing requirement. Does not clear any general-education requirements.	Elective credit only (fulfills UC Entry Level Writing requirement)	Elective credit only (fulfills UC Entry Level Writing requirement)	Elective credit only (fulfills UC Entry Level Writing requirement)	Score of 5 or above = elective credit (fulfills UC Entry Level Writing requirement)
Environmental Systems —8	Score of 5, 6, 7 = elective credit only	8 units of elective credit or may meet 2 courses for noncontiguous area of focus	Does not clear any general-education requirements	Satisfies biology natural sciences requirement	Elective credit only	Completes 2-course requirement in natural sciences	Score of 5 or above = 1 course toward analytic methodologies/ scientific method
Film —8	Score of 5, 6, 7 = elective credit only	Meets fine arts requirement and may meet 1 course for noncontiguous area of focus or may meet 2 courses for noncontiguous area of focus	Does not clear any general-education requirements	2 courses towards lower division disciplinary breadth requirement if noncontiguous with major OR satisfies fine arts requirement	2 courses toward humanities or visual arts PofC or 1 course toward humanities or visual arts area study	1 course towards Group B fine arts requirement	Score of 5 or above = 1 course toward art making
Geography —8	Score of 5, 6, 7 = elective credit only	8 units of elective credit or may meet 2 courses for noncontiguous area of focus	Does not clear any general-education requirements	Elective credit only	Elective credit only	Elective credit only	Score of 5 or above = elective credit
History of Africa —8	Score of 5, 6, 7 = elective credit only	8 units of elective credit or may meet 2 courses for noncontiguous area of focus	Does not clear any general-education requirements	Elective credit only	2 courses toward history or humanities PofC or 1 course toward history or humanities area study	1 course may apply toward regional specialization. Please see ERC academic adviser for details.	Score of 5 or above = 1 course toward narrative, aesthetic, and historical reasoning
History of the Americas —8	Score of 5, 6, or 7 = exempts 2 quarters US history. May take HILD 2A, 2B, or 2C to complete sequence.	Meets 2 quarters of social science requirement , or may meet 2 courses for noncontiguous area of focus	May complete a humanities GE sequence by taking HILD 2A, 2B, or 2C	2 courses toward disciplinary breadth if noncontiguous to major	2 courses toward history or humanities PofC or 1 course toward history or humanities area study	8 units elective credit	Score of 5 or above = 1 course toward narrative, aesthetic, and historical reasoning
History of East/South Oceania —8	Score of 5, 6, 7 = elective credit only	8 units of elective credit or may meet 2 courses for noncontiguous area of focus	Does not clear any general-education requirements	Elective credit only	2 courses toward history or humanities PofC or 1 course toward history or humanities area study	1 course may apply toward regional specialization. Please see ERC academic adviser for details.	Score of 5 or above = 1 course toward narrative, aesthetic, and historical reasoning

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History of Europe —8	Score of 5, 6, 7 = elective credit only	8 units of elective credit or may meet 2 courses for noncontiguous area of focus	Does not clear any general-education requirements	Elective credit only	2 courses toward history or humanities PofC or 1 course toward history or humanities area study	1 course may apply toward regional specialization. Please see ERC academic adviser for details.	Score of 5 or above = 1 course toward narrative, aesthetic, and historical reasoning
History of South Asia and the Middle East —8	Score of 5, 6, 7 = elective credit only	8 units of elective credit or may meet 2 courses for noncontiguous area of focus	Does not clear any general-education requirements	Elective credit only	2 courses toward history or humanities PofC or 1 course toward history or humanities area study	Elective credit only	Score of 5 or above = 1 course toward narrative, aesthetic, and historical reasoning
Islamic History —8	Score of 5, 6, 7 = elective credit only	8 units of elective credit or may meet 2 courses for noncontiguous area of focus	Does not clear any general-education requirements	Elective credit only	2 courses toward history or humanities PofC or 1 course toward history or humanities area study	Elective credit only	Score of 5 or above = 1 course toward narrative, aesthetic, and historical reasoning
Language*							
Latin —8	Score of 5, 6, or 7 = exempts LTLA 1, 2, 3	Usually prepares student to take LTLA 100; may meet 2 courses of the noncontiguous area of focus or may be used as 8 units of elective credit.	Refer to “UC San Diego Course Exemptions”	2 courses toward disciplinary breadth if noncontiguous to major	2 courses toward classical studies, literature, or humanities PofC or 1 course toward classical studies, literature, or humanities area study	Usually prepares student to take LTLA 100	Score of 5 or above = 1 course toward narrative, aesthetic, and historical reasoning
Linguistics —8	Score of 5 = exempts LING 1C/1CX. Score of 6 or 7 = exempts LING 1D/1DX.	5 = need fourth-quarter course to meet proficiency requirement. 6 or 7 = meets language proficiency requirement.	Counts as 2 courses in a foreign language GE sequence. Final course must be in same language and at a higher level than exempted by IB credit.	2 courses toward disciplinary breadth if noncontiguous to major	2 courses toward foreign languages and culture PofC or 1 course toward foreign languages and culture area study	Score of 5 = need 1 course to meet proficiency requirement. Score of 6 or 7 = meets language proficiency requirement.	Score of 5 or above = 1 course toward narrative, aesthetic, and historical reasoning
Mathematics —8	Score of 5, 6, or 7 = exempts Math 10A or 20A and 4 units of elective credit. If series and differential equations completed, may petition to receive credit for both 10A and 10B or 20A and 20B.	5, 6, or 7 = exempts Math 10A or 20A and 4 units of elective credit. If series and differential equations completed, may petition to receive credit for both 10A and 10B or 20A and 20B.	Refer to “UC San Diego Course Exemptions”	1 course toward mathematics, statistics, and logic requirement and 4 units elective credit	5, 6, or 7 = exempts 1 formal skills. Petition required for additional credit.	Completes 2-course requirement in quantitative/formal skills	Score of 5 or above = 1 course toward structured reasoning
Music —8	Score of 5, 6, or 7 = elective credit only	Meets fine arts requirement or may meet 2 courses for noncontiguous area of focus	Does not clear any general-education requirements.	Elective credit only	2 courses toward music or humanities PofC or 1 course toward music or humanities area study	1 course toward Group B fine arts requirement	Score of 5 or above = elective credit

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Philosophy —8	Score of 5, 6, 7 = elective credit only	8 units of elective credit or may meet 2 courses for noncontiguous area of focus	Does not clear any general-education requirements	Elective credit only	2 courses toward humanities or philosophy PofC or 1 course toward humanities or philosophy area study	Elective credit only	Score of 5 or above = 1 course toward narrative, aesthetic, and historical reasoning
Physics —8	Score of 5 = exempts Phys 10 or 11. Score of 6 = exempts Phys 1A and 1B. Score of 7 = exempts Phys 2A and 2B or 4A and 4C.	Score of 5 meets 1 quarter of natural science requirement. Score of 6 or 7 meets 2 quarters of natural science requirement	Refer to "UC San Diego Course Exemptions"	1 course toward physics/natural science requirement, and 1 course toward disciplinary breadth if noncontiguous to major	Score of 5 or 6 = 2 courses toward science and technology PofC. Score of 7 = 2 courses toward physics or science and technology PofC.	Completes 2-course requirement in natural science	Score of 5 or above = 1 course toward analytic methodologies/scientific method
Psychology —8	Score of 5, 6, or 7 = exempts Psychology 1	Meets 2 quarters of social science requirement	Refer to "UC San Diego Course Exemptions"	2 courses toward disciplinary breadth if noncontiguous to major	2 courses toward perspective of social science or psychology PofC or 1 course toward psychology area study	8 units of elective credit	Score of 5 or above = 1 course toward social analysis
Theatre Arts —8	Score of 5, 6, 7 = elective credit only	Meets fine arts requirement and may meet 1 course for noncontiguous area of focus or may meet 2 courses for noncontiguous area of focus	Does not clear any general-education requirements	2 courses towards lower division disciplinary breadth requirement if noncontiguous with major OR satisfies fine arts requirement	2 courses toward humanities or theatre and dance PofC or 1 course toward humanities or theatre and dance area study	1 course towards Group B fine arts requirement	Score of 5 or above = 1 course toward narrative, aesthetic, and historical reasoning
Visual Arts —8	Score of 5, 6, or 7 = elective credit only	Meets fine arts requirement and may meet 1 course for noncontiguous area of focus or may meet 2 courses for noncontiguous area of focus	Does not clear any general-education requirements	2 courses towards lower division disciplinary breadth requirement if noncontiguous with major OR satisfies fine arts requirement	2 courses toward humanities or visual arts PofC or 1 course toward humanities or visual arts area study	1 course towards Group B fine arts requirement	Score of 5 or above = 1 course toward narrative, aesthetic, and historical reasoning