Francis Marion University may accept a total of 30 hours of advanced placement credit. A student may not take a course for which he/she has previously earned advanced placement credit. Students may audit such courses with the permission of the instructor and the appropriate academic chair/dean.

COLLEGE ENTRANCE BOARD ADVANCED PLACEMENT

Students who have taken advanced placement tests through the College Entrance Examination Board Advanced Placement Program and who score satisfactorily may obtain college credit. The score necessary for credit for a particular course is determined cooperatively by the appropriate department or school and the Registrar. Students must request that their scores be sent to Francis Marion University c/o the Office of Counseling and Testing. Advanced Placement scores obtained during high school are usually received at FMU in mid-July.

Scores required to receive credit in the AP program:

College Board			
AP Examinations	Score	Course Exempted	Credits
Art History	3, 4, 5	Art 101	3
Studio Art: Drawing	3, 4, 5	Art 203	3
Studio Art: 2-D Design	3, 4, 5	Art 204	3
Studio Art: 3-D Design	3, 4, 5	Art 205	3
Biology	3	Biology 105	4
Biology	4, 5	Biology 105, 106	8
Calculus AB*	3, 4	Math 201	3
Calculus AB	5	Math 201, 202	6
Calculus BC	3	Math 201, 202	6
Calculus BC	4, 5	Math 201, 202, 203	9
Chemistry	3, 4, 5	Chemistry 101, 102	8
Computer Science A	3, 4, 5	Computer Science 226	3
Computer Science AB	3, 4, 5	Computer Science	
		226, 227	6
Macroeconomics	3, 4, 5	Economics 204	3
Microeconomics	3, 4, 5	Economics 203	3
English Language	3, 4	English 101	3
and Composition	5	English 101, 102	6
English Literature	3, 4	English 101	3
and Composition	5	English 101, 102	6
Both English AP Exams	3, 4, 5	English 101, 102	6
Environmental Science	3, 4, 5	Biology 103	4
French Language	3, 4, 5	French 101, 102	6
French Literature	3, 4, 5	French 201, 202	6
German	3, 4, 5	German 101, 102	6
Italian Language	3, 4, 5	Italian Elective	6
Japanese Lang & Cult	3, 4, 5	Elective	6
Comparative Government			
and Politics	3, 4, 5	Elective	3
United States Government			
and Politics	3, 4, 5	Political Science 101	3
European History	3	History 203	3
European History	4, 5	History 203, 204	6
United States History	3	History 201	3
United States History	4, 5	History 201, 202	6
World History	3, 4, 5	History 205	3
Human Geography	3, 4, 5	Geography 101	3
Latin Literature	3, 4, 5	Elective	3
Latin: Virgil	3, 4, 5	Elective	3
Music Theory	3, 4, 5	Elective	3
Physics 1	3, 4, 5	Physics 215	4
Physics 2	3, 4, 5	Physics 216	8
Physics C: Electricity &	2		
Magnetism	3	Physics 201	4
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Magnetism	4, 5	Physics 201, 202	8

Physics C: Mechanics	3	Physics 201	4		
Physics C: Mechanics	4, 5	Physics 201, 202	8		
Psychology	3, 4, 5	Psychology 206	3		
Spanish Language	3, 4, 5	Spanish 101, 102	6		
Spanish Literature	3, 4, 5	Spanish 201, 202	6		
Statistics	3, 4, 5	Math 134	3		
* Including AB subscore on BC exam.					

WHO RECEIVES MY AP GRADE REPORT? HOW CAN I HAVE A **COPY SENT TO A COLLEGE?**

AP Grade Reports (transcripts) include final grades for all AP Exams ever taken. A copy of the report is automatically sent to you, the college(s) you designated on your answer sheet, and your school. Transcripts are typically mailed the July following each exam.

If you would like a grade report sent to an additional college, or if you did not specify a college to receive your grade report at the time of testing, you can contact AP Services to request delivery of additional grade reports. Requests generally take one week to process from the date they are received and cost \$15 per report. Rush reports are processed within 2 working days and are available for \$25 per report. AP Services may be reached at:

AP Services

PO Box 6671

Princeton, NJ 08541-6671 Phone: 609-771-7300 or 888-225-5427

(toll free in the U.S. and Canada)

www.collegeboard.com/student/testing/ap/exgrd_rep.html

COLLEGE LEVEL EXAMINATION PROGRAM (CLEP)

The University awards credit for satisfactory scores on many of the Subject Examinations offered through the CLEP program. Only freshman and sophomore students are eligible to take CLEP exams without prior permission from a department chair or school dean. Juniors and students who have attained senior standing may attempt CLEP exams but first must obtain written permission from the department chair or dean of the school of the discipline in which a particular exam is offered. Normally, seniors during the semester prior to their graduation will not be allowed to attempt CLEP exams. No graduating senior will be allowed to attempt CLEP exams after the deadline for applying for graduation. CLEP exams can be taken at the Office of Counseling and Testing at FMU (843-661-1840). The chart below explains how the test scores will be evaluated for credit at FMU.

Scores required for credit in the CLEP Program:

-		Course allowed	
CLEP Exam	Score	toward degree	Credits
American Govt.	50	Pol. Sci. 101	3
American Literature	50	Lit. 200 Elective	3
Analyzing & Interpreting			
Literature	50	Lit. 200 Elective	3
Biology	50-62	Biology 105	4
	63+	Biology 106	4
Calculus	50	Math 201	3
Chemistry	50-62	Chemistry 101	4
	63+	Chemistry 102	4
College Algebra	50	Math 111	3
English Literature	50	Lit. 200 Elective	3
English Composition	50-57	English 101	3
with essay	58+	English 102	3
Financial Accounting	50	Accounting 201	3
French	50-61	French 101 & 102	6
	59+	French 201 & 202	12