

How To Get CLEP Credit

When you take a CLEP exam, you can select one institution to receive your scores. Select **South Arkansas Community College** to have your scores sent here. A required score of **50** must be made in order to receive credit for a course. An official score report will automatically be forwarded to the college selected. You will also receive an unofficial copy of your score for your records immediately after the examination (except for College Composition which takes 2 to 3 weeks).

If a college is not indicated, a transcript can be requested at a later time for \$30. Submit a Transcript Request Form available at clep.collegeboard.org.

What to Bring on Exam Day

Bring Registration Ticket with voucher number, testing fee receipt, and two (2) forms of identification to the Testing Center. Primary ID must include valid photo and signature (ex. a driver's license or passport). Secondary ID must have a signature and/or photo (ex. a social security card or student ID). Student/college ID cards are acceptable **only** as a secondary form of identification.

Nothing is allowed during the exam except for scratch paper and pencil. All personal belongings must be stored. A calculator will be provided, if allowed. Each exam lasts approximately two hours. Please plan accordingly. Candidates with disabilities who require accommodations must make arrangements well in advance of the testing date.

Ready to Take a CLEP Exam?

Make an appointment at The Testing Center by calling 870-864-7196, stopping by ECC 220, or emailing testing@southark.edu.

Testing Hours: By appointment ONLY.

Test Dates: Monday through Friday

Testing Fee: \$15, non-refundable, to be paid in Bookstore prior to testing

CLEP Exam Fee: \$89, payable online ONLY at clep.collegeboard.org. Click 'Create an Account' to purchase a Registration Ticket.

Military Service Members – Active Duty/Reserves/National Guard: There is **no** administration or exam fee. Military personnel must present a military ID and a second form of a government-issued, photo ID (such as a driver's license or a passport).

Contact Information:

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Testing Center, ECC 220
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El Dorado, Arkansas 71730
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South Arkansas Community College

Testing Center

College-Level Examination Program® (CLEP®) Testing

*Earn College Credit for
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The College-Level Examination Program® (CLEP®) provides the opportunity to earn college credit for what you already know with a qualifying score of 50 or higher. These exams test your knowledge of introductory college-level subjects. There are **no** CLEP exams for any of the Basic Studies courses.

There are a total of 36 CLEP exams and South Arkansas Community College provides credit for successful scores on 23 CLEP exams. The following table lists the exams for which credit is granted and SouthArk's equivalent course.

Important Information About Our CLEP Policy

Students may earn between 3 and 4 credits on each CLEP exam. ***Students may not repeat an exam of the same title within 3 months of the initial testing date.*** If an exam is retaken within the 3 month waiting period, the exam will be considered invalid, the score will be canceled, and any testing fee will be forfeited.

Twelve (12) hours of credit must be completed at South Arkansas Community College before students may petition for CLEP credits to be posted to their transcript.

Contact your Southark academic advisor to discuss whether or not the CLEP is right for you!

| CLEP Exam | Credit Granted | SouthArk's Equivalent Course |
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| College Composition | 3 hours | ENGL 1113 Composition I |
| Spanish Language (L1) | 4 hours | SPAN 1014 Elementary Spanish I |
| French Language (L1) | 4 hours | FREN 1014 Elementary French I |
| American Government | 3 hours | PSCI 2003 American Gov't National |
| History US I: Early Colon to 1877 | 3 hours | HIST 2013 US to 1876 |
| History US II: 1865 to Present | 3 hours | HIST 2023 US since 1876 |
| Introductory Psychology | 3 hours | PSYC 2003 General Psyc |
| Introductory Sociology | 3 hours | SOCI 2003 Intro to Sociology |
| Principles of Macroeconomics | 3 hours | ECON 2003 Macroeconomics |
| Principles of Microeconomics | 3 hours | ECON 2103 Microeconomics |
| Western Civ I: Ancient Near East to 1648 | 3 hours | HIST 1003 Civil to 1700 |
| Western Civ II: 1648 to Present | 3 hours | HIST 1013 Civil since 1700 |
| Biology | 4 hours | BIOL 1004 Fund. of Biology |

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| Calculus | 3 hours | MATH 2015 Calculus I |
| Chemistry | 4 hours | CHEM 1024 Chemistry I |
| College Algebra | 3 hours | MATH 1023 College Algebra |
| College Mathematics | 3 hours | MATH 1023 College Algebra |
| Natural Sciences | 4 hours | PHYS 1004 Physical Science |
| Information Systems | 3 hours | CSCI 1003 Computer Info. Processing |
| Financial Accounting | 3 hours | ACCT 2003 Principles of Accounting I |
| Principles of Management | 3 hours | MGMT 1113 Introduction to Management |
| Introductory Business Law | 3 hours | BLAW 2013 Legal Environment of Business I |
| Principles of Marketing | 3 hours | MGMT 2633 Small Business Management |

Additional CLEP Information

The College Board's website provides additional information about CLEP exams, including exam descriptions and test preparation resources.

clep.collegeboard.org