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**Definition:** Advanced Placement (AP) is a program in the United States and Canada created by the College Board which offers college-level curricula and examinations to high school students. American colleges and universities may grant placement and course credit to students who obtain high scores on the examinations.

**Course Credit:** Any student who passes a College Board Advanced Placement (AP) examination with a minimum score of three in a subject matter will be awarded credit in a general education area with a subject matter similar to that of the AP examination.

The Counseling Department, in consultation with discipline faculty, will review and update the AP course-to-course list each fall and present it to the Academic Senate for approval

For any AP examination that the District does not offer a course similar in content, the District will award credit in the General Education area shown on the California Community College General Education AP List. If there is no General Education area that fits the AP Examination, the District may award elective credit.

A student's academic record will be annotated to reflect credit earned through an AP examination.

The District shall post this Advanced Placement Credit procedure on its website.

*This administrative procedure was approved by Dr. Char Perlas, Superintendent/President, on May 15, 2024.*