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COLLEGE CREDIT  
THROUGH  
PRIOR LEARNING





# Introduction

Virginia Western Community College may award ~~credit~~ the followingW

x Advanced Placement (AP)  
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x Creditby-Exam

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## Advanced Placement (AP)

Many area high schools offer AP or honors courses to their students giving them the opportunity to complete college-level work for credit at Virginia Western. An official copy of the AP transcript must be submitted to the Virginia Western Records Office in order to obtain credit. Unofficial student copies or high school transcripts noting the AP credit will not be accepted for credit. It is your responsibility to determine scores necessary to transfer to your colleges or universities.

For more information, visit [www.vwcc.edu/records/scores/scorereporting](http://www.vwcc.edu/records/scores/scorereporting)

### AP Services

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## Credit for Evaluated Programs or Credentials

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## Certified Administrative Professional

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## Early Childhood Development Program Exemption

Students enrolled in the Early Childhood Development curriculum at Virginia Western may earn

credit for up to 3 semester hours of credit for the Early Childhood Development program if they have completed

the following:

1. Completion of the Early Childhood Development program at a college or university.

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Based on the articulation agreement between the Virginia Community College System and the successful completion of the VA State Police Academy or a regional and independent certified school of police training, credit for the courses listed below is not transferable to four year colleges or universities.

Subject	Course Title	Credits
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: í ð ï	Introduction to Corrections	3 credits
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^ d í ï ï	Principles of Public Speaking	3 credits
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**National College Credit Recommendation Service (NCCRS)**

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# Creditby Exam

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department challenge exams may be a means of earning college credit for prior learning by demonstrating satisfactory academic competency in a particular subject.

In order to be eligible for credit, a student must be currently enrolled in a college course. Credit by Exam is not available for all courses taught at the college. A student must be currently enrolled in a college course.

Each student must receive a grade of 'C' or higher in order to receive credit for the examination. An exam may not be used to remove grades of 'F', 'XF', 'U', 'W', or 'N'. A student may not challenge a lower level course in a subject which he/she has previously earned credit. The exam will become part of the student's permanent record. The grade earned on a department exam will be recorded on the student's official transcript. There is no charge for the Challenge exams or for having credit recorded on the student's permanent record.



## International Baccalaureate (IB)

Students who have completed an IB exam with a score of 5 to 7 may be granted Pr



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demonstrate the academic merit of such experiences.

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## Previous Colleges

Virginia Western Community College accepts credits from colleges and universities that are accredited by the Commission on Higher Education. Credits such as these should follow regular credit transfer procedures.

## Traditional Transcript

### Transfer from Regionally Accredited Schools

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## Transfer Credit

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VCC Policy Manual

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“Advanced standing is the award of credit for subject matter based upon previous academic study or experience. This may include the Advanced Placement Program of the College Entrance Examination Board; the College Entrance Examination Board (CEEB); the training provided by non-collegiate institutions such as armed forces and service schools professional training.

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