

CENTER FOR UNIVERSITY ADVISING; UNDERGRADUATE EDUCATION

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Overview

The **Center for University Advising (CUA)** provides support and programming to broaden opportunities for intellectual enrichment and to foster connections between faculty members, staff, and students.

Centralized Advising Services

Centralized advising services supplement academic advising work conducted by collegiate-level advisors. These efforts include managing the academic onboarding of incoming first-year students, facilitating the collective aspects of first-year registration for the fall and spring semesters, and aiding in the planning and execution of Welcome Weekend. Additionally, the CUA supports academic discernment for undergraduate students through an exploratory advising program, and offers continuing professional development opportunities to the broader advising community on campus.

Learning Resources

The Learning Resource Center (LRC) provides undergraduate students with the academic help they need to transition successfully into the University. The LRC offers a portfolio of services including resources to help students think about their study habits and academic tutoring to support students in specific courses. All sessions are free and are intended to supplement a student's layered strategy for academic success. Learn more about the types of services on the LRC website <https://advising.nd.edu/academic-support/>.

Credit and/or Placement by Examination

Up-to-date information on Advanced Placement (AP), International Baccalaureate (IB), and other forms of exam-based course credit pertinent to first-year students is maintained on the Center for University Advising website at <https://advising.nd.edu/first-year-and-incoming-students/requirements-and-credits/advanced-credit-and-placements/>. (<https://advising.nd.edu/first-year-and-incoming-students/requirements-and-credits/advanced-credit-and-placements/.html>)

Advanced Placement Examinations—Notre Dame Credit

Advanced Placement Exam	AP Grade Required	Number of Credits Awarded	Notre Dame Equivalent Course	Notre Dame Exam Course Credited (if different)
Biology	5	8	Biological Sciences 10161 and 10162	Biological Sciences 10098 and 10099
Biology	4	3	Biological Sciences 10101	Biological Sciences 10091
Calculus AB	5	4	Mathematics 10550	Mathematics 10091
Calculus BC	5	8	Mathematics 10550 and 10560	Mathematics 10091 and 10092
Calculus BC/AB Subscore	5	4	Mathematics 10550	Mathematics 10091
Chemistry	5	4	Chemistry 10171	Chemistry 10097
Chemistry	4	3	Chemistry 10101	Chemistry 10091
Economics (Micro)	5	3	Economics 10010	Economics 10091
Economics (Macro)	5	3	Economics 10020	Economics 10092
English Language and Composition	4	3	Writing and Rhetoric 13100	n/a
Government (American Politics)	5	3	Political Science 10100	Political Science 10098
Government (Comparative)	5	3	Political Science 10400	Political Science 10099
History: European History	5	3	History 10020	History 10092
History: United States History	5	3	History 10010	History 10091
History: World History	5	3	History 10030	History 10093
Latin	4	8	Latin 10001 and 10002	n/a
Latin	3	4	Latin 10001	n/a
Music Theory	5	3	Music 10090	Music 10099
Physics I	5	3	Physics 10111	Physics 10091
Physics II	5	3	Physics 10222	Physics 10092
Physics C, Mechanics	5	4	Physics 10310	Physics 10093
Physics C, Mechanics	4	4	Physics 20210	Physics 10095

Physics C, Elec. & Magnetism	5	4	Physics 10320	Physics 10094
Physics C, Elec. & Magnetism	4	4	Physics 20220	Physics 10096
Psychology	5	3	Psychology 10000	Psychology 10091
Statistics	5	3	Applied and Computational Mathematics and Statistics 10140	Applied and Computational Mathematics and Statistics 10091

Advanced Placement & SAT II Subject Tests for French, German, Italian, and Spanish

French and French with listening

SAT-II Subject Test Score	Advanced Placement Text Score	Credits (Courses)	Placement Level
790–800	5	6 (20201-20202)	30310 or 30320
690–780	4	6 (20201-20202)	20300 or 20600
590–680	3	7 (10102-20201)	20202
490–580	2	8 (10101–10102)	20201 or 20215
480	1	4 (10101)	10102 or 10115 ¹ or 10110 ¹

¹ If you have received credit for 10101 and you choose to take 10110 or 10115, the AP/SAT-II credit you received for 10101 will still show on your transcript, but will no longer count in the total credits required to earn the degree. This is because the course content of 10110 and 10115 incorporates the content of 10101.

German and German with listening

SAT-II Subject Test Score	Advanced Placement Text Score	Credits (Courses)	Placement Level
790–800	5	7 (10102-20201)	20202 or 30000+
690–780	4	8 (10101-10102)	20201
570–680	3	4 (10101)	10102

Italian and Italian with listening

SAT-II Subject Test Score	Advanced Placement Text Score	Credits (Courses)	Placement Level
790–800	5	6 (20201-20202)	30310
690–780	4	7 (10102-20201)	20202
590–680	3	8 (10101-10102)	20201 or 20215
490–580	2	4 (10101)	10102

Spanish and Spanish with listening

SAT-II Subject Test Score	Advanced Placement Text Score	Credits (Courses)	Placement Level
800	5 (lang.)/4 (lit.)	6 (20201-20202)	30310 or 30320
690–790	4 (lang.)/3 (lit.)	6 (20201-20202)	20600
570–680	3 (lang.)/2 (lit.)	7 (10102-20201)	20202
460–560	2 (lang.)/1 (lit.)	8 (10101-10102)	20201 or 20215

450	1 (lang.)	4 (10101)	10102 or 10115 ¹ or 10110 ¹
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International Baccalaureate—Notre Dame Credit

IB Higher Level Exam	Grade Required	Number of Credits Awarded	Notre Dame Equivalent Course	Notre Dame Course Credited (if different)
Biology	6	6	Biological Sciences 10101 and 10107	Biological Sciences 10091 and 10097
Biology	7	8	Biological Sciences 10161/ 11161 and 10162/11162	Biological Sciences 10098 and 10099
Chemistry	6	3	Chemistry 10101	Chemistry 10091
Chemistry	7	4	Chemistry 10171	Chemistry 10097
Economics	6	6	Economics 10010 and 10020	Economics 10091 and 10092
English	6	3	Writing and Rhetoric 13100	n/a
Foreign Languages: Arabic	6	10	Arabic 10001-10002	n/a
Foreign Languages: Chinese	6	5	Chinese 10111	n/a
Foreign Languages: French	6	8	French 10101-10102	n/a
Foreign Languages: German	6	8	German 10101-10102	n/a
Foreign Languages: Greek	6	8	Greek 10001-10002	n/a
Foreign Languages: Italian	6	8	Italian 10101-10102	n/a
Foreign Languages: Japanese	6	5	Japanese 10111	n/a
Foreign Languages: Latin	6	8	Latin 10001-10002	n/a

Foreign Languages: Russian	6	8	Russian 10101-10102	n/a
Foreign Languages: Spanish	6	8	Spanish 10101-10102	n/a
History of the Americas	6	3	History 10010	History 10091
IB Math Analysis and Approaches	7	4	Mathematics 10550	Mathematics 10091
IB Math Applications and Interpretations	7	7	Mathematics 10120 and 10150	Mathematics 10088 and 10089
Physics	6	6	Physics 10111 and 10222	Physics 10091 and 10092
Physics	7	8	Physics 10310 and 10320	Physics 10093 and 10094
Psychology	6	3	Psychology 10000	Psychology 10091
Social and Cultural Anthropology	6	3	Anthropology 10109	n/a

Notre Dame Exams Course Credit

Notre Dame Course	Course Title	Notre Dame Exam Course Credited	Qualifying Score
ACMS 10140	Elements of Statistics	ACMS 10091	80%
MATH 10250	Elements of Calculus I	MATH 10090	80%
MATH 10550	Calculus I	MATH 10091	80%
MATH 10560	Calculus II	MATH 10092	80%
MATH 20550	Calculus III	MATH 10093	80%
MATH 20580	Introduction to Linear Algebra and Differential Equations	MATH 10094	80%