

## International Baccalaureate (IB) Equivalency Chart

**Applicability Note:** The following transfer credit equivalency is applied to all students starting from Fall 2016.

Students who take the International Baccalaureate (IB) examinations may be able to earn college credit or advanced standing at John Cabot University. Official scores must be sent directly from the testing organization to the Office of Admissions at JCU. For more information on how to request your official IB diploma/certificate, visit [www.ibo.org](http://www.ibo.org) or call 301-202-3000.

IB examinations taken at the **Higher level** are worth **6 semester hours of credit\*\***  
 IB examinations taken at the **Standard level** are worth **3 semester hours of credit**

IB Subject	Exam Score	JCU Course Equivalent
Anthropology	≥ 4	Social Science
Art	≥ 4	Fine Arts (FA)
Art & Design	≥ 4	Fine Arts (FA)
Biology	≥ 4	Science (SCI)
Business Management	≥ 4	Social Science
Business & Organization	≥ 4	Social Science
Chemistry	≥ 4	Science (SCI)
Chinese A1	≥ 4	Language (LANG)
Computer Science	≥ 4	Computer Science
Chinese A2	≥ 4	Language (LANG)
Computer Science AB	≥ 4	Computer Science
Design Technology	≥ 4	Fine Arts (FA)
Economics	≥ 4	Social Science
English A: Lang. and Literature	≥ 4	EN 101
English A: Literature	≥ 4	EN 105
English B	≥ 4	EN 105
Environmental Systems	≥ 4	Science (SCI)
Ecosystems & Societies	≥ 4	Science (SCI)
Film Studies	≥ 4	Social Science
French A1	≥ 4	FR 101
French A2	≥ 4	FR 102
French B	≥ 4	FR 201
French AB	≥ 4	FR 202
Geography	≥ 4	Social Science
German A1	≥ 4	GER 101
German A2	≥ 4	GER 102
German B	≥ 4	GER 201
Greek	≥ 4	Humanities (HUM)

IB Subject	Exam Score	JCU Course Equivalent
Italian A1	≥ 4	IT 101
Italian A2	≥ 4	IT 102
Italian B	≥ 4	IT 201
Italian AB	≥ 4	IT 202
History		Fine Arts (FA)
Africa	≥ 4	Humanities (HUM)
Asia and Oceania	≥ 4	Humanities (HUM)
East-Southeast Asia & Oceania	≥ 4	Humanities (HUM)
Europe & the Islamic World	≥ 4	Humanities (HUM)
Europe & the Middle East	≥ 4	Humanities (HUM)
Modern	≥ 4	Humanities (HUM)
South Asia & the Middle East	≥ 4	Humanities (HUM)
The Americas	≥ 4	Humanities (HUM)
World History of the 20 <sup>th</sup> Cent	≥ 4	Humanities (HUM)
Latin	≥ 4	Humanities (HUM)
Mathematics	≥ 4	Math (MA)
Music	≥ 4	Fine Arts (FA)
Oriental Studies	≥ 4	Humanities (HUM)
Philosophy	≥ 4	Humanities (HUM)
Physics	≥ 4	Science (SCI)
Psychology	≥ 4	Social Science
Social & Cultural Anthropology	≥ 4	Social Science
Spanish A1	≥ 4	SPAN 101
Spanish A2	≥ 4	SPAN 102
Spanish B	≥ 4	SPAN 201
Spanish AB	≥ 4	SPAN 202
Theatre	≥ 4	Fine Arts (FA)
Visual Arts	≥ 4	Fine Arts (FA)
World Cultures	≥ 4	Social Science

**Note:** Due to the wide range of courses offered by the International Baccalaureate organization and due to the fact that course offering varies from country to country not all possible IB examinations have been listed on this conversion chart. Please note that the Registrar's Office will take into consideration for transfer **all** examinations sustained by degree candidates.