School of Languages and Cultures

Placement Credit Policy

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Earning Departmental Credit through Placement

The School of Languages and Cultures does not offer credit by exam for language placement results. Students who place into a language sequence may earn departmental credit for courses passed over in placement by successfully completing their placement course. In order to earn departmental credit for courses skipped in the 10100-20200 sequence, students must:

1. enroll in their placement course on the Purdue West Lafayette Campus, and

2. successfully complete the placement course with a C- or higher or with a P.

The School of Languages and Cultures asks the Registrar to issue credit accordingly for each language listed below when students satisfy the above grade requirement in their placement course and do not already have the credit for the previous courses in the 10100, 10200, 20100, and 20200 sequence, or for the 10500 and 20500 intensive courses:

American Sign Language

ASL 10200: 3 departmental credits ASL 10100

ASL 20100: 6 departmental credits ASL 10100, 10200

ASL 20200: 9 departmental credits ASL 10100, 10200, 20100

ASL 30100 **or** ASL 30200: 12 departmental credits ASL 10100, 10200, 20100, 20200

Arabic

ARAB 10200: 3 departmental credits ARAB 10100

ARAB 20100: 6 departmental credits ARAB 10100, 10200

ARAB 20200: 9 departmental credits ARAB 10100, 10200, 20100

ARAB 30100 **or** ARAB 30200: 12 departmental credits ARAB 10100, 10200, 20100, 20200

Chinese

CHNS 10200: 4 departmental credits CHNS 10100

CHNS 20100: 8 departmental credits CHNS 10100, 10200

CHNS 20200: 12 departmental credits CHNS 10100, 10200, 20100

CHNS 22400: 12 departmental credits CHNS 10100, 10200, 20100

CHNS 30100 **or** CHNS 30200 **or** CHNS 313000 **or** CHNS 40100 **or** CHNS 40200: 16 departmental credits CHNS 10100, 10200, 20100, 20200

French

FR 10200: 3 departmental credits FR 10100

FR 10500: 3 departmental credits FR 10100

FR 20100: 6 departmental credits FR 10100, 10200

FR 20200: 9 departmental credits FR 10100, 10200, 20100

FR 20500: 9 departmental credits FR 10100, 10200, 20100

FR 22400: 12 departmental credits FR 10100, 10200, 20100, 20200

FR 30100 **or** FR 30200 **or** FR 40100 **or** FR 40200: 12 departmental credits FR 10100, 10200, 20100, 20200

German

GER 10200: 3 departmental credits GER 10100

GER 10500: 3 departmental credits GER 10100

GER 20100: 6 departmental credits GER 10100, 10200

GER 20200: 9 departmental credits GER 10100, 10200, 20100

GER 20500: 9 departmental credits GER 10100, 10200, 20100

GER 22300: 9 departmental credits GER 10100, 10200, 20100

GER 22400: 9 departmental credits GER 10100, 10200, 20100

GER 30100 **or** GER 30200 **or** GER 40100 **or** GER 40200: 12 departmental credits GER 10100, 10200, 20100, 20200

Greek

GREK 10200: 3 departmental credits GREK 10100

GREK 10500: 3 departmental credits GREK 10100

GREK 20100: 6 departmental credits GREK 10100, 10200

GREK 20200: 9 departmental credits GREK 10100, 10200, 20100

Hebrew

HEBR 10200: 3 departmental credits HEBR 10100

HEBR 12200: 3 departmental credits HEBR 12100

HEBR 20100: 6 departmental credits HEBR 10100, 10200

HEBR 20200: 9 departmental credits HEBR 10100, 10200, 20100

HEBR 22100: 6 departmental credits HEBR 12100, 12200

HEBR 22200: 9 departmental credits HEBR 12100, 12200, 22100

Italian

ITAL 10200: 3 departmental credits ITAL 10100

ITAL 10500: 3 departmental credits ITAL 10100

ITAL 20100: 6 departmental credits ITAL 10100, 10200

ITAL 20200: 9 departmental credits ITAL 10100, 10200, 20100

ITAL 20500: 9 departmental credits ITAL 10100, 10200, 20100

ITAL 30100 **or** ITAL 30200 **or** ITAL 34100 **or** ITAL 34200: 12 departmental credits ITAL 10100, 10200, 20100, 20200

Japanese

JPNS 10200: 4 departmental credits JPNS 10100

JPNS 20100: 8 departmental credits JPNS 10100, 10200

JPNS 20200: 12 departmental credits JPNS 10100, 10200, 20100

JPNS 30100 **or** JPNS 30200 **or** JPNS 40100 **or** JPNS 40200: 16 departmental credits JPNS 10100, 10200, 20100, 20200

Korean

KOR 10200: 4 departmental credits KOR 10100

KOR 20100: 8 departmental credits KOR 10100, 10200

KOR 20200: 12 departmental credits KOR 10100, 10200, 20100

KOR 30100 **or** KOR 30200: 16 departmental credits KOR 10100, 10200, 20100, 20200

Latin

LATN 10200: 3 departmental credits LATN 10100

LATN 10500: 3 departmental credits LATN 10100

LATN 20100: 6 departmental credits LATN 10100, 10200

LATN 20200: 9 departmental credits LATN 10100, 10200, 20100

Portuguese

PTGS 10200: 3 departmental credits PTGS 10100

PTGS 10500: 3 departmental credits PTGS 10100

PTGS 20100: 6 departmental credits PTGS 10100, 10200

PTGS 20200: 9 departmental credits PTGS 10100, 10200, 20100

PTGS 30100 **or** PTGS 30200: 12 departmental credits PTGS 10100, 10200, 20100, 20200

Russian

RUSS 10200: 4 departmental credits RUSS 10100

RUSS 20100: 8 departmental credits RUSS 10100, 10200

RUSS 20200: 12 departmental credits RUSS 10100, 10200, 20100

RUSS 30100 **or** RUSS 30200 **or** RUSS 40100 **or** RUSS 40200: 16 departmental credits RUSS 10100, 10200, 20100, 20200

Spanish

SPAN 10200: 3 departmental credits SPAN 10100

SPAN 10500: 3 departmental credits SPAN 10100

SPAN 20100: 6 departmental credits SPAN 10100, 10200

SPAN 20200: 9 departmental credits SPAN 10100, 10200, 20100

SPAN 20500: 9 departmental credits SPAN 10100, 10200, 20100

SPAN 22400: 9 departmental credits SPAN 10100, 10200, 20100

SPAN 30100 **or** SPAN 30200: 12 departmental credits SPAN 10100, 10200, 20100, 20200

SPAN 30500: 12 departmental credits SPAN 10100, 10200, 20100, 20200

SPAN 30800 **or** SPAN 40100 **or** SPAN 40200: 12 departmental credits SPAN 10100, 10200, 20100, 20200

Note: We do not award back credit for the 10100-20200 language sequence to native speakers of that language.

For other questions regarding placement, please contact the School of Languages and Cultures Placement Testing Team at slcplace@purdue.edu

Thank you!