

## Credit for DSST/DANTES (Defense Activity for Non-Traditional Education Support)

The DSST (previously know as the DANTES Exams) is an extensive series of 37 examinations in undergraduate courses. DANTES funds paper-based DSST testing for eligible Service members and civilian examinees at DANTES Test Centers and at national test centers (colleges and universities) offering the Internet-based (iBT) DSSTs. Information can be found at:

[http://www.dantes.doded.mil/dantes\\_web/examinations/DSST.htm](http://www.dantes.doded.mil/dantes_web/examinations/DSST.htm)

A student must be enrolled at San Bernardino Valley College to receive course credit for DANTES/DSST Examinations. Credit will not be granted for examinations in which equivalent or more advanced course work has been completed. Students will receive appropriate credit as designated on the following table. Examinations listed on the table have been reviewed by SBVC faculty.

Students should be aware of the following:

1. University of California does not accept DANTES/DSST credit.
2. DANTES/DSST Examinations may not be accepted toward CSU GE-Breadth.
3. Acceptance of DANTES/DSST Examinations varies among transfer universities and other community colleges. Students should be advised that the DANTES/DSST Examinations get re-evaluated.
4. DANTES/DSST Examinations may be under review, therefore the table below may not be inclusive of all examinations.

Any questions may be directed to the Articulation Officer in the Counseling Center, AD/SS 103.

## International Baccalaureate

A student must be enrolled at San Bernardino Valley College to receive course credit for the International Baccalaureate (IB) diploma or certificates. Scores below 4 for English A1 (HL) and 5 for Mathematics (HL) will require that students complete assessment at SBVC. Please refer to the table below for IB credit.

Examination	Score	Units	SBVC Equivalent	SBVC Graduation	CSU GE-Breadth	IGETC
Biology (HL)	5	4	BIOL 201 + 202	Category I (lab)	B2 (no lab)	Area 5B (no lab)
Chemistry (HL)	5	4	CHEM 101	Category I (lab)	B1 (no lab)	Area 5A (no lab)
Economics (HL)	5	3	ECON 200	Category II	D2	4B
English A1 (HL)	4	4	Placement into ENGL 101; credit for ENGL 015	No credit	No credit	No credit
French A1 (HL)	5	4	FRENCH 102	Category III	C2	Areas 3B and 6A
Geography (HL)	5	3	No equivalent	Category II	D5	Area 4E
History (any region)(HL)	5	3	No equivalent	Category II	C2 or D6	Area 3B or 4F
Language A1 (all except English) (HL)	5	3	No equivalent	Category III	C2	Areas 3B and 6A
Language A2 (all except English) (HL)	5	3	No equivalent	Category III	C2	Areas 3B and 6A
Language B (HL)	5	4	No equivalent	No credit	No credit	Area 6A
Mathematics (HL)	5	3	MATH 250	Category IV	B4	Area 2A
Physics (HL)	5	4	PHYSIC 101	Category I (lab)	B1 (no lab)	Area 5A (no lab)
Psychology (HL)	5	3	No equivalent	Category II	D9	Area 4I
Spanish A1 (HL)	5	4	SPAN 102	Category III	C2	Areas 3B and 6A
Theatre (HL)	4	3	No equivalent	Category III	C1	Area 3A (requires score of 5)

## Credit for Courses Taken at Other Colleges

Academic credits earned at other regionally accredited institutions are evaluated at the time of a student's graduation from SBVC. It is therefore important that the student request official transcripts from all colleges previously attended. These transcripts should be sent to the Admissions & Records Office (Administration/Student Services Building, Room 100). All religious courses taken at a denominational college need to be equated with courses at San Bernardino Valley College; otherwise, the religious courses are not allowed.

A student who has taken coursework at institutions of higher learning outside of the United States and who wishes to have that coursework considered toward his/her educational goal at San Bernardino Valley College must have the academic credentials evaluated by a bonafide independent evaluating agency. A list of recommended agencies is available in the Records Office (Administration/Student Services Building, Room 100).

DANTES/DSST Examination	SBVC Required Score	SBVC Units	SBVC Equivalent Course (to clear prerequisite requirements)	SBVC Graduation Requirement	CSU GE-Breadth Area
Ethics in America	46	3.0	None	Category III	No credit
Introduction to World Religions	46	3.0	BUSAD 100	No credit	No credit
Introduction to World Religions	48	3.0	RELIG 101	Category III	No credit
Fundamentals of College Algebra	None	None	None	No credit	No credit
Principles of Statistics	None	None	None	No credit	No credit