

Undergraduate Admissions

The downtown Denver campus of UCDHSC seeks to identify applicants who are likely to be successful in an academic program of study.

Admission decisions are based on many factors, the most important being:

- level of previous academic performance
- evidence of academic ability and accomplishment as indicated by scores on national aptitude tests
- evidence of maturity, motivation, and potential for academic success

UCDHSC may deny admission to new applicants or readmission to former students whose credentials indicate an inability to assume obligations of performance and behavior deemed essential by the university.

After completing the application process, official notification of one's admissions status as an undergraduate, graduate, or non-degree student is provided by the Office of Admissions. Letters from various schools and colleges indicating acceptance into a particular program are pending, subject to official notification of admission to the institution by the admissions office.

Students who are admitted pending receipt of additional documents or with unofficial documents will be permitted one term to submit the documents. If temporarily waived official documents are not received by the end of the initial term of attendance, registration for subsequent terms will be denied. If at any time additional credentials are received that affect the student's qualifications, the university reserves the right to change the admission decision.

Applicants who have not decided upon a major field of study will be considered for admission to the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences as undetermined majors. Students admitted as undetermined majors should declare a major as quickly as possible and no later than the end of their sophomore year.

All questions and correspondence regarding admission to the downtown Denver campus of UCDHSC and requests for application forms should be directed to:

Office of Admissions
University of Colorado at Denver and Health Sciences Center
Campus Box 167, P.O. Box 173364
Denver, CO 80217-3364
303-556-2704
admissions@cudenver.edu

Admission Deadlines

The university may change document/credential deadlines in accordance with enrollment demands. For the best scholarship and registration time considerations, applicants should apply and be admitted as early as possible. For an applicant to be considered for a specific term, all documents required for admission must be received in the Office of Admissions by the deadline for that term. Applicants who are unable to meet the deadline may elect to be considered for a later term. Transfer students are reminded that they should allow sufficient time to have transcripts sent from institutions they have previously attended. Advanced planning and early application are necessary for the timely admission of international students. International students are advised that it usually takes 60 days for credentials to reach admissions in the Office of International Education from international locations. International transfer students should complete the transfer information request form found in the application packet.

Application Deadline for Priority Consideration

<i>Fall</i>	<i>Spring</i>	<i>Summer</i>
July 22	December 1	May 3

Minimum Academic Preparation Standards (MAPS)

Students entering the University of Colorado who graduated from high school in 1988 or later are required to meet the following minimum academic preparation standards:

COLLEGE OF ARTS & MEDIA	<i>Years</i>
English (literature, composition, grammar), one year	
of speech/debate strongly recommended	4
Mathematics (excluding business and consumer mathematics)	3
Natural science	3
Social science	2
Foreign language (all units must be in a single language)	2
Academic elective	1
Total	15

BUSINESS SCHOOL	<i>Years</i>
English (one year of speech/debate and two years	
of composition are strongly recommended)	4
Mathematics (including at least two years	
of algebra and one year of geometry)	4
Natural science (including two years of laboratory science)	3
Social science (including history)	2
Foreign language (all units must be in a single language)	2
Academic electives (additional courses in English,	1
foreign language, mathematics, natural or	
social science, not to include business courses)	
Total	16

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING AND APPLIED SCIENCE	<i>Years</i>
English (literature, composition, grammar), one year	
of speech/debate strongly recommended	4
Mathematics distributed as follows:	
Algebra	2
Geometry	1
Trigonometry and Analytical Geometry	1
Natural sciences (to include 1 unit physics and	3
1 unit chemistry; also to include 2 units	
of laboratory science)	
Foreign language	2
Social science	2
Electives	1
Total	16

COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS AND SCIENCES	<i>Years</i>
English (literature, composition, grammar),	4
one year of speech/debate strongly recommended	
Mathematics (excluding business and consumer mathematics)	3
Natural science	3
Social science	2
Foreign language (all units must be in a single language)	2
Academic elective	1
Total	15

Students with MAPS deficiencies may be admitted to the university provided they meet the other admission standards (e.g., test scores, rank in high school class, grade point average) and provided they make up any deficiencies prior to graduation from the university. Two levels of deficiency will be recognized.

1. One unit of deficiency will be allowed, provided the student meets other admission standards and provided the student makes up the deficiency before graduation from the university. Courses taken to

make up a deficiency will count toward graduation, provided the downtown Denver campus school or college accepts those course credits toward graduation.

2. A student having more than one unit of deficiency may be admitted, provided that the student meets other standards of the university. The student must make up additional deficiencies before graduation. The student may satisfy the MAPS requirements by successful completion of:
 - courses taken at CU
 - courses taken at other institutions of higher education
 - additional high school credits
 - credit-by-examination programs
 - other requirements as approved by each college on the downtown Denver campus

Admission Requirements for Freshmen

Freshman admission standards define the level of success and achievement necessary to be admitted to the University of Colorado at Denver and Health Sciences Center and include factors that predict academic success, such as scores on the ACT or SAT, high school course-work, and the grade point average. Both the subjects the student has studied and how the student has performed will be factors that determine admission to the university.

New freshmen may apply for admission to the Colleges of Arts & Media, Engineering and Applied Science, Liberal Arts and Sciences, and the Business School.

The applicant must be a high school graduate or have been awarded a High School Equivalency Certificate by completing the General Education Development (GED) test.

Preference for admission is given to applicants who rank in the top 30 percent of their high school graduating class and present a composite score of 21 or higher on the American College Test (ACT) or a combined score of 950 or higher on the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT).

Business applicants will receive priority consideration if they graduated in the top 25 percent of their high school class and achieved a composite score of at least 26 on the ACT or 1100 on the SAT. Applicants who do not meet the admission requirements for direct admission to the Business School will be automatically considered for admission as prebusiness majors in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences.

Engineering applicants will receive priority consideration if they graduated in the top 25 percent of their high school class and achieved a composite score of at least 26 on the ACT, with 28 on the mathematics section, or 1100 total on the SAT, with 600 on the mathematics section. Applicants who do not meet the admissions requirements for direct admission to the College of Engineering will be automatically considered for admission as pre-engineering majors in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences.

All music majors in the **College of Arts & Media** (except music industry studies) are expected to have had previous experience in an applied music area. For performance students, two years of prior piano training are recommended. An audition is required, but can be deferred for students in the MIS track. Applicants may substitute audio recordings (about 10 minutes in length) and a statement of excellence from a qualified teacher in lieu of the personal audition. Interested students should contact the Department of Music at 303-556-2279, for audition information and applications.

Applicants for all departments who do not satisfy the requirements for priority consideration are reviewed on an individual basis.

HOW TO APPLY

1. Students should obtain an application for undergraduate admission from a Colorado high school counselor, from the downtown Denver campus Office of Admissions, or at www.cudenver.edu.

2. The application must be completed and sent to the Office of Admissions with a \$50 (subject to change) nonrefundable fee. For applicants who are granted admission but are unable to enroll for that term, the \$50 application fee will remain valid for 12 months, provided the Office of Admissions is informed of the intent to enroll for a later term.
3. Students are required to have their high school send an official transcript of their high school grades, including class rank, to the Office of Admissions. Official transcripts are those sent by the issuing institution *directly* to: Office of Admissions, University of Colorado at Denver and Health Sciences Center, Campus Box 167, P.O. Box 173364, Denver, CO 80217-3364
Hand-carried or faxed copies are not official.
4. Students who did not graduate from high school are required to have a copy of their GED test scores and GED certificate sent directly from the certifying agency to the downtown Denver campus Office of Admissions. Official high school transcripts must also be submitted but are not the basis of an admission decision.
5. Students are required to take either the ACT or the SAT and request that test scores be sent to UCDHSC's downtown Denver campus (ACT code 0533 or SAT code 4875). High school students may obtain ACT and SAT test dates and locations from their counselors. Students who took one of these tests while in high school may use the test scores reported on their official high school transcripts as an official test score report. Applicants who took one of these tests and did not designate UCDHSC as the recipient of the scores must notify the testing agency to send scores to the downtown Denver campus. A request for additional score report may be requested from any of the offices listed below.

American College Testing Program
(ACT)
P.O. Box 168
Iowa City, Iowa 52243
(319) 337-1270

The College Board
(SAT)
P.O. Box 6201
Princeton, New Jersey 08541-6201
(609) 771-7600
6. Students who completed college course work while in high school must have an official transcript sent from each college or university attended.
7. International students must submit an international student application for admission and provide additional documentation (see the "Requirements for International Students" section).

APPLICANTS NOT GRANTED ADMISSION

An applicant who is not granted admission as an entering freshman may wish to consider transferring to the university after successful study elsewhere. The Office of Admissions urges such students to complete at least one full semester (13 minimum credit hours) of college-level course work at another college or university, giving special attention to courses that will provide sound academic preparation for future transfer to UCDHSC. These courses should include any minimum academic preparation standards (MAPS) not met in high school (see the MAPS requirements).

Freshman students who are not admissible will be encouraged to participate in a partners program that UCDHSC has established with Colorado community colleges.

All credentials presented for admission become the property of the University of Colorado and must remain on file.

Students who knowingly falsify transcripts or test scores or who fail to indicate all previously attended institutions will be denied admission to, or will be disenrolled from, the university.

New Student Orientation

A welcome and general information program open to all new students is held at the beginning of the fall and spring semesters. The program provides an introduction to the campus, information about student services and student activities available through UCDHSC, and services provided to all students on the Auraria campus, including information on getting an ID and parking.

New freshmen will also receive information regarding academic advising and specific orientation sessions for students and parents, which are held at various times during the year. Transfer and graduate students should contact their schools and colleges for additional information on academic advising, as well as special orientation sessions that may be held for a particular program.

For more information, call 303-352-3520 or visit North Classroom, Room 1503.

Admission Requirements for Transfer Students

Applicants are considered as transfer students for admission purposes if they have completed any number of college courses since graduating from high school. Applicants with any number of college courses taken only prior to high school graduation are considered as freshmen for admission purposes and should consult the “Admission Requirements for Freshmen Students” section of this catalog. College credit taken before high school graduation can be considered for transfer to the downtown Denver campus.

For students with 12 or fewer semester credit hours of completed college-level course work at the time of application, admission consideration is based on high school grade point average (GPA), quality of courses taken, rank in class, ACT or SAT scores, and college or university GPA.

For students with 13 to 23 semester credit hours of completed college-level course work at the time of application, admission consideration is based primarily upon performance in college courses, but high school transcripts are still required. ACT or SAT scores are desirable, but not required.

For students with 24 or more semester credit hours of completed college-level course work at the time of application, consideration for admission is made based upon college course work alone. High school records and ACT or SAT scores are not required.

For all students, the cumulative grade point average is calculated as or converted to a 4.0 scale and will include all college or university course work attempted at any regionally accredited institution of higher education or comparable foreign institution.

Admission Criteria by Academic Program

College of Arts & Media and College of Liberal Arts and Sciences: A minimum 2.4 cumulative GPA is required, but anyone with at least a 2.0 cumulative GPA may be considered. Music majors have a required audition (applicants for music industry studies may request a deferment), and admission to the recording arts emphasis in music or music industry studies is selective and consideration occurs after the completion of prescribed courses at the downtown Denver campus.

The Business School: Students must have a 3.0 cumulative GPA on at least 24 credits that apply to the business degree program, or a 3.0 in the 24 most recent credits that apply to the business degree program. Students with at least a 2.6 cumulative GPA are considered on an individual basis. Students with fewer than 80 college credits who are not offered admission to the Business School will be automatically considered for “prebusiness” admission in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences.

College of Engineering and Applied Sciences: A full year of college calculus and calculus-based physics or calculus-based physics I and general college chemistry I must be completed with “B” or better grades. Grades of “B” are required in all other math and science courses and the cumulative GPA must be at least 2.75. Students meeting most, but not all of these

standards are fully considered. Students with fewer than 80 college credits who are not offered admission to the College of Engineering and Applied Science will be automatically considered for “pre-engineering” admission in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences.

HOW TO APPLY

1. Obtain an application for undergraduate admission from the UCDHSC Office of Admissions or submit an electronic application at www.cudenver.edu/admissions.
2. Complete and return the application along with the required nonrefundable \$50 application fee (subject to change). If applying online, mail the application fee directly to the Office of Admissions according to Web instructions.
3. Request that two official transcripts be sent directly from each college or university attended, including foreign institutions, directly to the downtown Denver campus Office of Admissions. Transcripts are considered official only if received in this manner. If not in English, a certified English translation must accompany each official transcript. Official Transcripts should be sent to:
Office of Admissions
UCDHSC Downtown Denver Campus
Campus Box 167
PO Box 173364
Denver, CO 80217-3364
4. If fewer than 13 college-level semester credit hours are completed at the time of application, submit official high school transcripts and ACT or SAT scores. ACT or SAT scores recorded on the high school transcript are considered official.
5. If between 13 and 23 college-level semester credit hours are completed at the time of application, submit official high school transcripts.

If a student is enrolled at a college or university at the time of application, official transcripts showing course work completed to date should be sent as indicated above. Two official final transcripts must also be requested by the student and sent directly to the Office of Admissions when grades are recorded after the student’s final semester.

All credentials presented for admission consideration become the property of the University of Colorado and will not be copied for or returned to the student.

The University of Colorado at Denver and Health Sciences Center reserves the right to deny admission to transfer students not deemed to have completed college-level course work at the sending institution, and/or those who are not eligible to return to their previous college or university campuses.

Students who knowingly falsify transcripts or test scores or who fail to indicate all previously attended institutions will be denied admission to, or will be disenrolled from, the university.

TRANSFER OF COLLEGE-LEVEL CREDIT

Course work taken at any regionally accredited institution of higher education will be considered for transfer to UCDHSC. Courses are considered for transfer on the basis of having similar content to those offered by UCDHSC. Statewide guaranteed transfer courses (GT Pathways) are always accepted and apply to requirements. Developmental, remedial, vocational, technical, religious doctrinal, orientation, independent study, special topics, and cooperative education courses are not accepted. Only courses in which a grade of C- or better was earned are considered for transfer. Courses in which a grade of Pass (P) was earned are considered for transfer only if a grade of Pass at the sending institution is defined as a C- or better. Students wishing to appeal transfer credit decisions should contact their academic department.

After all official transcripts have been received and the student is admitted as a degree student, the Office of Admissions will prepare a transfer credit report indicating which courses have been accepted in

transfer by UCDHSC. A copy of this report is mailed to the student as well as to the student's academic department on the downtown Denver campus. Upon receipt of this transfer credit report, students should contact their academic department to meet with an advisor, who will determine how transferred credit applies to specific degree requirements.

The Office of Admissions considers course work for transfer regardless of the age of the academic credit. State guaranteed general education courses will be accepted in transfer and applied to graduation requirements for a period of at least 10 years after course completion. Individual departments, however, may have specific guidelines and policies about age of credit for courses not listed as "state guaranteed" and make the final decision about application of credit toward a degree program. Students are expected to have current working knowledge of prerequisite courses, regardless of when prerequisite courses were taken.

The Business School generally limits its transfer of business course credits to those that are offered as lower division courses at the downtown Denver campus. Students who have taken upper division business courses from an American Assembly of Collegiate Schools of Business accredited college of business may request review of these courses for possible transfer by contacting the Business School advising office. All courses taken in the business area of emphasis must be completed at the downtown campus.

The College of Engineering and Applied Science, in general, requires that engineering course transfer credit must come from an Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology—accredited engineering program to be acceptable for degree purposes. Engineering technology courses are not considered equivalent to engineering courses.

A maximum of 60 semester hours is acceptable in transfer from community or junior colleges. A maximum of 90 semester hours is acceptable from four-year institutions or a combination of two- and four-year institutions.

Colorado Community College Transfer

In compliance with Colorado's Statewide Transfer Policy, students may transfer credit from a Colorado community college on a course-by-course basis or by completing an associate of arts (AA) or associate of science (AS) degree. Students who complete an AA/AS degree may be guaranteed full transfer of the associate degree (60 credits maximum) and completion of a BA/BS degree in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences or the College of Arts & Media with 60 additional credits at UCDHSC. This guaranteed transfer program is referred to as the "60 plus 60" transfer program.

The 60 plus 60 program applies only to students who began Colorado community college studies in fall 2003 or later and who meet the following requirements:

- complete an AA/AS degree, which includes 31-35 credits of state-guaranteed general education courses
- earn credit only at Colorado community colleges within the last 10 years
- earn a grade of C- or better in each course
- follow the downtown Denver campus transfer guide, which lists required courses to be taken as part of the AA/AS degree
- declare a major in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences or the College of Arts & Media (changes of major and/or completion of professional prerequisites or minors are not included in this program)

Statewide articulation agreements are in place governing transfer of students from Colorado community colleges into programs in the Business School, the College of Engineering and Applied Science, and the Elementary Education Teacher Licensure program.

Transfer advising plans for Colorado Community College students are available from the Office of Admissions and at www.cudenver.edu. In addition, an admissions representative can assist students with planning a transfer program. Representatives regularly visit Colorado community colleges. Call the transfer service coordinator at 303-556-4950 or email transfer@cudenver.edu for additional information.

Advanced Placement Program

The Advanced Placement Program of the College Entrance Examination Board (CEEB) allows students to take advanced work while in high school and then be examined for credit at the college level. Students who take advanced placement courses and subsequently receive scores of 4 or 5 on the CEEB Advanced Placement Examination are generally given college credit for lower-level courses in which they have demonstrated proficiency. Credit is also granted for scores of 3 plus a course grade of A- in the corresponding subject. For more information, contact your academic advisor and see the chart on page 14 of this catalog.

College-Level Examination Program

Incoming students may earn university credit by examination in subject areas in which they have demonstrated college-level proficiency. Interested students may take approved examinations through the College-Level Examination Program (CLEP) of the College Entrance Examination Board (CEEB) testing service.

Acceptable CLEP examinations and credit awards are outlined in the chart on page 16 of this catalog.

International Baccalaureate Diploma Program

The International Baccalaureate Diploma Program (IB), available at select high schools, is a rigorous, pre-university course of study emphasizing liberal arts from an international perspective.

In accordance with HB 03-1108, the University of Colorado at Denver and Health Sciences Center will grant at minimum 24 semester hours of credit for any student who has graduated from high school having successfully completed an International Baccalaureate (IB) diploma program. Credit may be granted for most individual IB courses where examinations are completed with at least a score of 4 for students who do not complete an IB diploma program. For additional information, students should contact their academic advisors and refer to the chart on page 17 of this catalog.

Military Service and Schooling

To have credit for educational experience evaluated, applicants with military experience should submit the Smart Transcript.

Credit will be awarded as recommended by the Commission on the Accreditation of Service Experiences of the American Council on Education, to the extent that the credit is applicable to the degree the student is seeking at UCDHSC.

Credit for courses completed through the U.S. Armed Forces Institute will be evaluated on the same basis as transfer credit from collegiate institutions.

Reserve Officers' Training Corps (ROTC)

Students enrolled in Army or Air Force ROTC programs should consult with their college or school regarding the application of ROTC course credit toward graduation requirements. The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences allows a maximum of 6 semester hours of ROTC credit to be applied toward baccalaureate degree requirements. The Business School stipulates that ROTC courses may be used for credit only for nonbusiness elective requirements and that no credit may be given for freshman and sophomore ROTC courses. Furthermore, a maximum of 12 semester hours may be applied toward baccalaureate degree requirements in business, and then only if the ROTC program is completed.

Intra-University Transfer

Students on the downtown Denver campus may change colleges or schools within campus provided they are accepted by the college or school to which they wish to transfer. Intra-university transfer forms

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TRANSFER OF AP, CLEP, AND IB CREDIT

University of Colorado at Denver and Health Sciences Center

Advanced Placement (AP):				
DUPLICATE CREDIT FOR EXAMS AND/OR COLLEGE COURSES WITH SIMILAR CONTENT IS NOT AWARDED				
Subject Area:	Examination Title:	Minimum Score:	Credit Hours Awarded:	UCDHSC Equivalent Course:
Art	Art History	5, 4, 3 (See Note 1)	6	FA 2600, FA 2610
	Studio Art – Drawing Portfolio	5, 4, 3 (See Note 1)	3	FA 1100
	Studio Art – 2-D Design Portfolio	5, 4, 3 (See Note 1)	3	FA 1400
	Studio Art – 3-D Design Portfolio	5, 4, 3 (See Note 1)	3	FA 1500
Biology	Biology – Exam only (See Note 2)	5, 4	6	BIOL 2051, BIOL 2061
	Biology – Exam and full-year AP course (See Note 3)	5, 4, 3 (See Note 1)	8	BIOL 2051, BIOL 2061, BIOL 2071, BIOL 2081
Chemistry	Chemistry – Exam only (See Note 2)	5, 4	6	CHEM 2031, CHEM 2061
	Chemistry – Exam and full-year AP course (See Note 3)	5, 4, 3 (See Note 1)	9	CHEM 2031, CHEM 2038, CHEM 2061, CHEM 2068
Computer Science	Computer Science A	5, 4, 3 (See Note 1)	3	(See Note 4)
	Computer Science A,B	5, 4, 3 (See Note 1)	6	(See Note 5)
English	Composition/Literature	5, 4, 3 (See Note 1)	6	ENGL 1020, None
	Language/Composition	5, 4, 3 (See Note 1)	6	ENGL 1020, None
Economics	Economics: Macro	5, 4, 3 (See Note 1)	3	ECON 2012
	Economics: Micro	5, 4, 3 (See Note 1)	3	ECON 2022
Environmental Science	Environmental Science – Exam only	5, 4	3	None
	Environmental Science – Exam and full-year AP course	5, 4, 3 (See Note 1)	4	ENVS 1042
French	French Language	5	6	FR 2120, None
	French Language	4	6	FR 2110, FR 2120
	French Language	3 (See Note 1)	3	FR 2110
	French Literature	5	6	None
	French Literature	4	3	None
	French Literature	3 (See Note 1)	3	FR 2120
Geography	Human Geography	5, 4, 3 (See Note 1)	3	GEOG 1302
German	German Language	5	6	GR 2120, None
	German Language	4	6	GR 2110, GR 2120
	German Language	3 (See Note 1)	3	GR 2110
Government – (Political Science)	Government and Politics (US)	5, 4, 3 (See Note 1)	3	P SC 1101
	Government and Politics (Comparative)	5, 4, 3 (See Note 1)	3	P SC 1001
History	American History	5, 4, 3 (See Note 1)	6	HIST 1361, HIST 1362
	European History	5, 4, 3 (See Note 1)	6	HIST 1211, HIST 1212
	World History	5, 4, 3 (See Note 1)	6	HIST 1016, HIST 1026
Latin/Classics	Latin Vergil	5, 4	6	LATN 2010, LATN 2020
	Latin Vergil	3 (See Note 1)	3	LATN 2010
	Latin Catullus Horace	5, 4	6	None
	Latin Catullus Horace	3 (See Note 1)	3	None

Subject Area:	Examination Title:	Minimum Score:	Credit Hours Awarded:	UCDHSC Equivalent Course:
Math-Calculus	Calculus AB	5, 4, 3 (See Note 1)	4	MATH 1401
	Calculus (EN) AB	5, 4, 3 (See Note 1)	4	MATH 1401
	Calculus BC	5, 4, 3 (See Note 1)	8	MATH 1401, MATH 2411
	Calculus (EN) BC	5, 4, 3 (See Note 1)	8	MATH 1401, MATH 2411
Music	Music Theory	5, 4, 3 (See Note 1)	3	PMUS 1100 (See Note 6)
Physics	Physics B – Exam Only (See Note 2)	5, 4	8	PHYS 2010, PHYS 2020
	Physics C – Exam Only (Mechanics) (See Note 2)	5, 4	4	PHYS 2311
	Physics C – Exam Only (Elec/Mag) (See Note 2)	5, 4	4	PHYS 2331
	Physics B – Exam and full-year AP course (See Note 2)	5, 4, 3 (See Note 1)	10	PHYS 2010, PHYS 2020, PHYS 2030, PHYS 2040
	Physics C (Mechanics) (See Note 3)	5, 4, 3 (See Note 1)	4	PHYS 2311, PHYS 2321
	Physics C (Elec/Mag) (See Note 3)	5, 4, 3 (See Note 1)	4	PHYS 2331, PHYS 2341
Psychology	Psychology	5, 4, 3 (See Note 1)	3	PSY 1000 or 1005 or Elective
Spanish	Spanish Language	5	6	SPAN 2120, None
	Spanish Language	4	6	SPAN 2110, SPAN 2120
	Spanish Language	3 (See Note 1)	3	SPAN 2110
	Spanish Literature	5	6	None
	Spanish Literature	4	3	None
	Spanish Literature	3 (See Note 1)	3	SPAN 2120
Statistics	Statistics	5, 4, 3 (See Note 1)	3	MATH 2830 or QUAN 2010

Note 1: An AP exam score of 3 requires a minimum grade of 'A' in the second semester of the high school AP course for credit to be awarded.

Note 2: Students may take the corresponding CU-Denver laboratory course to meet a lab science core curriculum or major requirement. See the academic department for additional information.

Note 3: Students must meet the major department's laboratory proficiency standards before enrolling in additional laboratory courses. See the academic department for additional information.

Note 4: Computer Science majors who demonstrate proficiency in C++ programming will receive credit that substitutes for C SC 1410. Business majors will receive credit that substitutes for ISMG 2200.

Note 5: Computer Science majors who demonstrate proficiency in C++ programming will receive credit that substitutes for C SC 1410 and C SC 2421. Business majors will receive credit that substitutes for ISMG 2200 and three elective credits.

Note 6: Students must pass a proficiency exam before enrolling in PMUS 1200. Contact CAMadvising@cudenver.edu for information.

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4875

OFFICIAL SCORE REPORTS ARE REQUIRED FOR TRANSFER CREDIT EVALUATION

SEND TO:

UCDHSC

Office of Admissions, Box 167

P.O. Box 173364

Denver, CO 80217-3364

OFFICIAL SCORE AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION MAY BE OBTAINED BY CONTACTING

The College Board

AP Services

P.O. Box 6671

Princeton, NJ 08541-6671

(888) 225-5427

www.collegeboard.com

Important Note: Credit award and course equivalencies listed in this table apply only to degree programs at the downtown Denver campus. Students planning to complete degrees at other institutions and/or fulfill professional program prerequisites should contact the respective institution or program directly for AP policies and information.

College Level Examination Program (CLEP):

DUPLICATE CREDIT FOR EXAMS AND/OR COLLEGE COURSES WITH SIMILAR CONTENT IS NOT AWARDED

CLEP Examination Title: <i>(Only the following exams are accepted by CU-Denver)</i>	Credit Hours Awarded w/50th percentile min. score:	UCDHSC Equivalent Course:
COMPOSITION & LITERATURE		
American Literature	6	None
Analyzing and Interpreting Literature	3	None
Composition, Freshman College	3	ENGL 1020
English Literature	6	None
SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS		
Algebra – College	3	MATH 1110
Trigonometry	3	MATH 1120
Algebra – Trigonometry, College	6	MATH 1110, MATH 1120
Calculus	4	MATH 1401
Biology (See Note 1)	6	BIOL 2051-3, BIOL 2061-3
Chemistry (See Note 1)	6	CHEM 2031-3, CHEM 2061-3
SOCIAL SCIENCE AND HISTORY		
American Government	3	P SC 1101
History of U.S. I	3	HIST 1361
History of U.S. II	3	HIST 1362
Macroeconomics, Principles of	3	ECON 2012
Microeconomics, Principles of	3	ECON 2022
Psychology, Introductory	3	PSY 1000
Sociology, Introductory	3	SOC 1001
Western Civilization I	3	HIST 1211
Western Civilization II	3	HIST 1212
BUSINESS		
Accounting, Principles of	3	ACCT 2200
Information Systems and Computer Applications	3	ISMG 2000

Note1: Students may take the corresponding CU-Denver laboratory course to meet a lab science core curriculum or major requirement. See your advisor for additional information.

Note 2: MATH 1075 at CU-Denver is required in addition to CLEP award to receive credit that substitutes for MATH 1070.

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International Baccalaureate (IB):

(minimum of 24 credit hours awarded with IB diploma and a score of 4 on each exam)

DUPLICATE CREDIT FOR EXAMS AND/OR COLLEGE COURSES WITH SIMILAR CONTENT IS NOT AWARDED

IB Examinations (Other IB exams may be considered for credit with a minimum score of 4.)	Minimum Exam Score	Standard Exam		Higher Exam	
		UCDHSC Equivalent Course	Credit Hours Awarded	UCDHSC Equivalent Course	Credit Hours Awarded
Anthropology	4	ANTH 2102	3	ANTH 2102, None	6
Art (Visual)	4	FA 1001	3	FA 1001, None	6
Biology	4	BIOL 2051/2071	4	BIOL 2051/2071, BIOL 2061/2081	8
Chemistry	4	CHEM 2031/2038	4	CHEM 2031/2038, CHEM 2061/2068	9
Computer Science	4	(See Note 1)	3	(See Note 2)	6
Design Technology	4	Not Acceptable (See Note 3)		Not Acceptable (See Note 3)	
Economics	4	ECON 2012	3	ECON 2012, ECON 2013	6
English	4	ENGL 1020	3	ENGL 1020, None	6
French (A-1)	4	FREN 2110, FREN 2120	6		
French (A-1)	4			None	6
French (B)	4	FREN 1010, FREN 1020	10	FREN 2110, FREN 2120	6
History of Europe	4	HIST 1211	3	HIST 1211, HIST 1212	6
History of the Americas	4	HIST 1361	3	HIST 1361, HIST 1362	6
History (other)	4	None	3	None	6
Latin	4	LATN 1010, LATN 1020	10	LATN 2010, LATN 2020	6
Mathematics	Academic credit will be awarded for any IB examination in mathematics with a minimum score of "4." IB credit in mathematics is presently under departmental review.				
Music	4	P MUS 1001	3	P MUS 1001, None	6
Philosophy	4	PHIL 1012	3	PHIL 1012, None	6
Physics	4	PHYS 2010/2030	5	PHYS 2010/2030, PHYS 2020/2040	10
Psychology	4	PSY 1000	3	PSY 1000, PSY 1005	6
Russian (B)	4	None	10	None	6
Spanish (A-1)	4	SPAN 2110, SPAN 2120	6		
Spanish (B)	4	SPAN 1010, SPAN 2010	10	SPAN 2110, SPAN 2120	6
Theatre	4	THTR 1001	3	THTR 1001, None	6

Note 1: Computer Science majors who demonstrate proficiency in C++ programming will receive credit that substitutes for C SC 1410. Business majors will receive credit that substitutes for ISMG 2200.

Note 2: Computer Science majors who demonstrate proficiency in C++ programming will receive credit that substitutes for C SC 1410 and C SC 2421. Business majors will receive credit that substitutes for ISMG 2200 and three elective credits.

Note 3: Not acceptable unless part of minimum 24 hours awarded with diploma.

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4875

OFFICIAL SCORE REPORTS ARE REQUIRED FOR TRANSFER CREDIT EVALUATION
SEND TO:

UCDHSC, Office of Admissions, Box 167, P.O. Box 173364, Denver, CO 80217-3364

OFFICIAL SCORE AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION MAY BE OBTAINED BY CONTACTING
International Baccalaureate Organization

Phone: 212-696-4464 Web site: www.ibo.org Email: transcripts.ibna@ibo.org

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may be obtained from the student's school or college or the registrar's office. Decisions on intra-university transfers are made by the college or school to which the student wishes to transfer.

Students in continuing and professional studies programs wishing to enroll in regular courses or degree programs on the downtown campus should contact the Office of Admissions for a degree application.

Re-admission Requirements for Former Students

UCDHSC students who have not registered and attended classes on the downtown Denver campus for one year or longer and who have not attended another institution since CU are considered returning students and must formally apply for re-admission. An additional application fee is required only if you are changing from undergraduate to graduate or nondegree to degree status. Application forms are available at the Office of Admissions and at www.cudenver.edu.

Students who have attended another college or university since last attending the University of Colorado must apply as transfer students and meet the admission criteria and transfer student deadlines for receipt of documents. This requires payment of the \$50 (subject to change) nonrefundable application fee and submission of two official transcripts from all colleges and universities previously attended. Transcripts must be sent *directly* from the issuing institution to:

Office of Admissions
University of Colorado at Denver and Health Sciences Center
Campus Box 167, P. O. Box 173364
Denver, CO 80217-3364

Students who last attended another CU campus must formally apply for admission and meet the admission criteria of the downtown Denver campus. An application fee is not required unless you are going from undergraduate to graduate or from nondegree to degree status. Application forms are available from the Office of Admissions and at www.cudenver.edu.

Admission for Nondegree Students

Persons who have reached the age of 20 and who want to take university courses, but do not plan to work toward a University of Colorado degree, may be admitted as nondegree students provided they are eligible to return to all collegiate institutions previously attended. A 2.0 cumulative grade point average for all institutions attended is required to be a nondegree student. Questions regarding admission as a nondegree student should be directed to the Office of Admissions. Each school/college limits the number of semester hours taken as a nondegree student that may be transferred to a degree program.

Students considering changing from nondegree to degree status will need to meet the admission requirements for degree-seeking students and will be required to submit high school transcripts and ACT/SAT scores in addition to official college transcripts from each institution attended. Students should follow the application procedure as outlined on the application form.

Courses taken for credit as a nondegree student can be used for transfer to other institutions (if acceptable) or for professional development.

Note: International students are not admitted as nondegree students.

Students with a baccalaureate degree who are not accepted to specific degree programs may enroll for course work as *nondegree* students. They must complete a nondegree application for admission. Students in a nondegree status who have a previous degree pay graduate tuition rates.

To apply for admission as a nondegree student, obtain a nondegree student application form from the Office of Admissions. Return the completed application by the deadline for the term desired. A \$25 (subject to change) nonrefundable application fee is required. No additional credentials are required. *Nondegree students are advised that registration for courses is on a space-available basis.*

Continuation as a nondegree student with no prior undergraduate degree is contingent upon maintaining an overall grade point average of 2.0 upon completion of 12 or more semester hours.

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Admission for Students Seeking a Second Undergraduate Degree

Students who already hold a bachelor's degree may apply for admission to a program in which they can earn a second undergraduate degree. Applicants for a second undergraduate degree must meet UCDHSC admissions standards. These students may apply to the College of Arts & Media, College of Engineering and Applied Science, or the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences. Persons who already hold an undergraduate degree in any discipline generally may not apply for a second undergraduate degree in business. Rather, they should apply to a graduate MBA or MS business program. Contact the Business School at 303-556-5900. Students interested in education should contact the School of Education & Human Development office for information, 303-556-2717.

HOW TO APPLY

1. Obtain an application for undergraduate admission from the Office of Admissions or at www.cudenver.edu.
2. Complete the application and send it to the Office of Admissions with a \$50 (subject to change) nonrefundable application fee.
3. Have two official transcripts sent to the Office of Admissions from each collegiate institution attended. Official transcripts are those sent by the issuing institution *directly* to:
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Denver, CO 80217-3364
Hand-carried or faxed copies are not official.

Transcripts from the institution where the first undergraduate degree was earned must have final grades posted for the semester that the student graduated and have the official notation of the degree awarded.

All credentials presented for admission become the property of the University of Colorado and must remain on file. Students who do not declare all previously attended institutions are subject to disciplinary action and/or dismissal.

Students who knowingly falsify transcripts or test scores will be denied admission to, or will be disenrolled from, the university.

High School Concurrent Enrollment

High school juniors and seniors with demonstrated academic abilities may be admitted to UCDHSC with special approval for one term only. This approval may be renewed. Credit for courses taken may subsequently be applied toward a university degree program. For more information and application instructions, contact the Office of Admissions, 303-556-2873.

Admission Requirements for International Students

The University of Colorado at Denver and Health Sciences Center is proud to have a diverse population of international students coming from nearly 90 countries. Instructions for international students and international application forms are accessible on the International Admissions Web site at www.internationaladmissions.cudenver.edu.

Application Deadlines

Semester	Undergraduate	Graduate*
Summer	May 3	January 15
Fall	July 22	March 15
Spring	December 1	October 1

*Graduate admission deadlines may vary by department.

Undergraduate

SAT or ACT scores are required only for freshman applicants to the College of Engineering and Applied Science. International students are required to submit a complete application form, complete official high

school/college transcripts, a \$75 international application fee, proof of English proficiency, and proof of financial resources if immigration documents need to be issued by UCDHSC.

Both Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) and International English Language Testing System (IELTS) scores are accepted at UCDHSC as proof of English proficiency. For undergraduate applicants, the minimum TOEFL score is 197 computer-based, 525 paper-based test or 71 IBT; and the minimum IELTS score is 6.0.

Graduate

International students who wish to pursue graduate study at UCDHSC must have earned an undergraduate bachelor's degree or its equivalent, and must fulfill all other requirements of the graduate program to which they are applying. International students whose first language is not English are required to submit either TOEFL or IELTS scores as proof of English language proficiency. Minimum TOEFL/IELTS scores may vary by department. Please contact the international admission office for more information.

Phone: 303-315-2230

Fax: 303-315-2246

Web: www.internationaladmissions.cudenver.edu

E-mail: international@cudenver.edu

Live-In Requirement for International Students

UCDHSC downtown Denver campus requires that all first-time international undergraduate and graduate students live in the Campus Village at Auraria apartments. Additional information about the facilities, policies and programming at Campus Village are available in the “Student Housing” section of this catalog.

First-time international students wishing to live with parent(s) or legal guardian(s) or who meet at least one of the exemptions must submit a special exemption form to be considered for exception from the live-in policy.

Exemptions to the international student live-in requirement will be considered for those who are:

- living at home with parent(s) or legal guardian(s)
- married and living with your spouse
- married or a parent with dependent(s)
- deemed medically excusable by the Office of Student Life (must be supported in writing by a doctor and with appropriate medical documentation)

Exemptions to these policies will be evaluated and made on a case-by-case basis. Exemption forms are available through the Office of Student Life, Tivoli room 303, or online at <http://thunder1.cudenver.edu/housing/exemptionform.html>. For further information, please call the Office of Student Life at 303-556-3399 or via e-mail at housing@cudenver.edu.