

## **Policy for IB Students Admitted to Stetson University Beginning Fall 2011**

Stetson University recognizes the achievement of students who have successfully completed rigorous pre-college courses through the International Baccalaureate Program. Students earning the IB Diploma with 30 or more total points will be granted sophomore status and guaranteed 7 course units or 28 academic credits determined on the basis of their IB scores.

Students earning the IB Diploma with 24-29 points may earn course units for both Standard and Higher Level examinations with a score of 5 or higher.

Students who have not earned the IB Diploma may earn course units for scores of 5 and above on individual Higher Level examinations. See our Registrar's page for specific credit allocations. In general, a score of 5 on a Higher Level exam earns 1 unit (4 credits); scores of 6 or 7 earn 2 units (8 credits) in some disciplines.

Scores on individual Standard Level examinations, absent the IB Diploma, are not eligible for credit, but are valuable to faculty advisors in determining appropriate placement in Stetson courses.

Stetson allows a maximum of 8 units (32 credits) to be awarded on the basis of approved pre-college examinations. Credit is not awarded in the same subject for two examinations (such as AP and IB).

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