International Baccalaureate Exams (IB)

- Column 1 Applied to Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) certification with a score of 5, 6, or 7.

 Column 2 Applied to California State University General Education (CSU GE) certification with a score of 5, 6, or 7 unless otherwise noted.

 Column 3 Applied to Associate Degree general education area at Cañada College, College of San Mateo, and Skyline College with a score of 5, 6, or 7 unless otherwise noted.

IB Exam – HL EXAMS	Column 1 Application to IGETC Certification	Column 2 Application to CSU GE Certification	Column 3 Application to SMCCCD Associate
	3 semester units toward IGETC Area	3 semester units toward CSU GE	Degree General Education 3 semester units toward AA/AS GE
BIOLOGY HL	IGETC Area 5B	CSU GE Area B2	Natural Science Area
CHEMISTRY HL	IGETC Area 5A	CSU GE Area B1	Natural Science Area
ECONOMICS HL	IGETC Area 4	CSU GE Area D	Social Science Area
GEOGRAPHY HL	IGETC Area 4	CSU GE Area D	Social Science Area
HISTORY HL (ANY REGION)	IGETC Area 3B or Area 4	CSU GE Area C2 or Area D	Humanities or Soc Sci Area
LANGUAGE A1 HL (ANY LANGUAGE)	IGETC Area 3B and, for any language other than English, credit for Area 6A is also applied	with a passing score of 4 CSU GE Area C2	with a passing score of 4 Humanities Area
LANGUAGE A2 HL (ANY LANGUAGE)	IGETC Area 3B and, for any language other than English, credit for Area 6A is also applied	with a passing score of 4 CSU GE Area C2	with a passing score of 4 Humanities Area
LANGUAGE B HL (ANY LANGUAGE)	IGETC Area 6A	NA	NA
MATHEMATICS HL	IGETC Area 2	with a passing score of 4 CSU GE Area B4	with a passing score of 4 Math Competency is met. Need math placement test for course placement.
PHYSICS HL	IGETC Area 5A	CSU GE Area B1	Natural Science Area
PSYCHOLOGY HL	IGETC Area 4	CSU GE Area D	Social Science Area
THEATRE HL	IGETC Area 3A	with a passing score of 4 CSU GE Area C1	with a passing score of 4 Humanities Area