

Transferring Credit

You may be eligible to transfer some or all of your prior college credits, up to a maximum of eighteen course credits. Please note that most courses in Yale College are term courses that carry one course credit. If you are offered admission to Yale College, the Yale College Dean's Office will evaluate your transcript, and if the college courses you successfully completed at your prior institution are similar to those available to Yale undergraduates, those course credits will likely be transferable. You must have taken the coursework at a fully accredited post-secondary institution, such as a public or private college/ university that grants bachelor's degrees or a community college that grants associate's degrees. Credit is not granted for online courses; Advanced Placement (AP) results; International Baccalaureate (IB) results; College Level Placement Exams (CLEP); or college credits earned while you were in high school.

At time of admission, you will receive an information packet that will include the number of terms Yale expects you to enroll to complete your bachelor's degree and an estimate of the course credits Yale will allow you to transfer. The estimate will encompass only those courses that you have taken up to the fall term of the year of application to Yale. The Yale College Dean's Office will provide a final transfer credit report if you choose to accept Yale's offer of admission and after Yale receives your official final college transcript. You must achieve a grade of A or B in at least three-quarters of your non-Yale courses, and no lower than a C grade in the remainder.