

**Department-Approved Alternative Examinations
Acceptable for Meeting Requirements for a Local or Regents Diploma**

The test score(s) indicated below are the minimum acceptable score(s) that can be substituted for a Regents Examination score of 65 for all students who have completed the course of study for that subject.

<i>Approved Alternative Examination</i>	<i>Minimum Acceptable Score</i>
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English

Advanced International Certificate of Education (AICE) English Examination	E
Advanced Placement Language and Composition Examination	3
Advanced Placement Literature and Composition Examination	3
International Baccalaureate English A1 Standard Level Examination	4
International Baccalaureate English A1 Higher Level Examination	3

Global History and Geography

Advanced Placement World History	3
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United States History and Government

Advanced Placement United States History	3
SAT Subject Test in United States History*	560

* In addition to achieving the established score, students must complete a multi-source, in-depth research project that demonstrates the ability to use primary and secondary sources.

Integrated Algebra

Advanced International Certificate of Education (AICE) Mathematics Examination	E
Advanced Placement Calculus AB Examination	3
Advanced Placement Calculus BC Examination	3

Integrated Algebra Continued

International Baccalaureate Mathematics Studies Standard Level Examination	4
International Baccalaureate Mathematics Methods Standard Level Examination	4
International Baccalaureate Mathematics Higher Level Examination	3
International General Certificate of Secondary Education (IGCSE)	A
SAT Subject Test in Mathematics Level 1	470
SAT Subject Test in Mathematics Level 2	510

Sciences**

Advanced Placement Biology	3
SAT Subject Test in Biology E/M	520
SAT Subject Test in Chemistry	540
SAT Subject Test in Physics	530

** In addition to achieving the established score, students must complete 1,200 minutes of hands-on laboratory work with satisfactory lab reports.

For additional information on the AICE and IGCSE exams, go to
<http://www.cie.org.uk/qualifications/academic/uppersec/aice>.

For additional information on the Advanced Placement or SAT exams, go to
<http://www.collegeboard.org/>.

For additional information on the International Baccalaureate Mathematics Examinations, go to
<http://www.ibo.org/>.