

4235 – Credit for Prior Learning

Students may earn academic credit for prior learning experiences, including work at other schools, work experience, military training, volunteer work and independent study. The Vice President of Instructional Services and Vice President of Student Services shall collaborate to establish administrative procedures and specific criteria to implement this policy.

Credit for Prior Learning (CPL) allows students to demonstrate their mastery of subject matter through various means, including but not necessarily limited to: Transcript evaluation, CPL Portfolio, Course Challenge Exams, College Level Examination Program (CLEP) Exams, Advanced Placement (AP) and International Baccalaureate (IB) Scores, American Council on Education (ACE) guidelines for military credit, and articulation of professional and industry licenses and certifications.

Legal Reference(s):

1. Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities, Standard 1.C.8
2. ORS 350.417 (Advanced Placement Exams)
3. ORS 250.110 (Credit for Prior Learning)
4. ORS 341.506