

## Credit-by-Exam for Non-Madonna Students

**Why should I consider taking a DSST exam?**

The [DANTES Standardized Subject Tests](#) (DSST) aims at helping students obtain college credit for learning acquired through life learning and experiences in-and-out of the classroom. These types of exams will help students accelerate their path to degree completion while saving him/her the time it takes to sit through a course as well as the additional dollars spent on tuition.

**What are the DSST exams like?**

Specifically, the DSSTs are two-hour, computer based multiple choice tests. The test has the feature of immediate score reporting. Listed below are the passing scores for each of the exams, which are recommended by the American Council on Education (ACE) and approved by Madonna University to receive credit and course equivalency. For specific exam information, visit the DSST website.

**Do I need to speak with an Academic Advisor to determine which exam I should take?**

If you are interested in taking one or more of these exams, please contact your Academic Advisor from your institution before calling to reserve a seat for a particular exam.

**How do I register to take a DSST exam?**

We encourage students to consider taking advantage of this opportunity please contact DSST to locate an open test center near you.

**Who do I contact for further information and/or to reserve an exam seat?**

Please contact DSST to find an open test center near you and to reserve a seat

**List of DSST Exams** (To find out more information regarding the exams please visit [www.getcollegecredit.com](http://www.getcollegecredit.com) ):

**Business**

Business Ethics and Society; 3BU  
Business Law II; 3BU  
Business Mathematics; 3B  
Human Resource Management; 3B  
Introduction to Business; 3B  
Introduction to Computing; 3B  
Management Information Systems; 3BU  
Money and Banking; 3BU  
Organizational Behavior; 3B  
Personal Finance; 3B  
Principles of Finance; 3BU  
Principles of Supervision; 3B  
Principles of Financial Accounting; 3B

**Humanities**

Ethics in America; 3BU  
Introduction to World Religions; 3BU  
Principles of Public Speaking; 3B

**Math**

Fundamentals of College Algebra; 3B  
Principles of Statistics; 3B

**Social Sciences**

Substance Abuse (was Drug and Alcohol Abuse); 3BU  
Criminal Justice; 3BU  
Art of the Western World; 3B  
Western Europe since 1945; 3B  
An Introduction to the Modern Middle East; 3B  
Human/Cultural Geography; 3B  
Rise and Fall of the Soviet Union; 3BU  
A History of the Vietnam War; 3B  
The Civil War and Reconstruction; 3BU  
Foundations of Education; 3B  
Lifespan Developmental Psychology; 3B  
General Anthropology; 3B  
Introduction to Law Enforcement; 3B  
Fundamentals of Counseling; 3B

**Physical Science**

Here's to Your Health; 3BU  
Astronomy; 3B  
Environment and Humanity: The Race to Save the Planet; 3B  
Principles of Physical Science I; [Physical Geology](#); 3B

**Technology**

Technical Writing; 3B

B = Baccalaureate, BU = Upper Baccalaureate