

## American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages (ACTFL) Approved Tests and Equivalencies

Augsburg students work with [Academic Advising](#) to determine eligibility for the exams offered by American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages (ACTFL). Testing is offered in over 90 world languages.

The Academic Advising office will assist a student to register for the appropriate examination in a qualifying language. The student will be counseled on what the score means with regard to degree requirements. Augsburg grants credit for the following ACTFL examinations when a qualifying score is achieved.

Test Type	Score	Credits	Augsburg Equivalency
Speaking (OPI)	Novice High/Intermediate Low	4	MDL 111
	Intermediate Mid	8	MDL 111, 112
	Intermediate High/Advanced Low	12	MDL 111, 112, 211
	Advanced Mid	12	MDL 211, 212, 311
	Advanced High/Superior	16	MDL 211, 212, 311, 312
Writing (WPT)	Novice High/Intermediate Low	4	MDL 111
	Intermediate Mid	8	MDL 111, 112
	Intermediate High/Advanced Low	12	MDL 111, 112, 211
		or 9	MDL 111, 112 + 1 Upper Division Credit
	Advanced Mid	12	MDL 211, 212, 311
	Advanced High/Superior	16	MDL 211, 212, 311, 312
Writing & Speaking (WPT/OPI)	Novice High/Intermediate Low	8	MDL 111, 112
	Intermediate Mid	12	MDL 111, 112, 211
	Intermediate High/Advanced Low	16	MDL 111, 112, 211, 212
	Advanced Mid/Advanced High/Superior	16	MDL 211, 212, 311, 312
Reading (RPT)	Intermediate High	4	MDL 111
	Advanced Low/Advanced Mid	8	MDL 111, 112
	Advanced High/Superior	12	MDL 111, 112, 211
Listening (LPT)	Intermediate Mid/Intermediate High	4	MDL 111
	Advanced Low/Superior	8	MDL 111, 112

MDL is a generic subject code that is an abbreviation for Modern Language. If you took a test in Spanish, your Augsburg equivalents will be SPA\*\*\* rather than MDL\*\*\*. If you took a test in French, your Augsburg equivalents will be FRE\*\*\* rather than MDL\*\*\*. If you took a test in a language that is not taught at Augsburg, you will receive MDL Augsburg equivalents.

MDL 112, 211, 212, 311, and 312 will each satisfy the Modern Language 2 graduation requirement.

For more information about the languages offered, or to schedule an exam, contact Academic Advising at (612) 330-1025 or [advising@augsborg.edu](mailto:advising@augsborg.edu). For more information about all of Augsburg's Credit By Exam options, including testing centers and other helpful links, go to [www.augsburg.edu/registrar/transfercrredit/examcredit/](http://www.augsburg.edu/registrar/transfercrredit/examcredit/).