

## CREDIT BY CHALLENGE EXAMINATION

Students should consult the current undergraduate catalog.

Declared majors may challenge up to **24** credits of specific courses in their major for which an approved examination exists. All appropriate prerequisites to the course must be complete. Students may also use the Experiential Learning Assessment Credit procedure for up to **16** additional, specified credits in the major. Students must follow these procedures in order:

1. Fill out an ISU petition citing the specific course to be challenged with the ADVISOR, DEPARTMENT CHAIR and DEAN signatures showing their approval.
2. The Dean's office will forward the petition to Registration & Records. If approved, Registration & Records will record the petition, send the college, department, and student copies to the college dean's office, and fax a copy to the cashier's office for billing, unless the student makes arrangements to pick it up in person (a student has the option to walk the petition through to expedite the process).
3. The Cashier's Office bills the student for the \$69 per-credit challenge fee. Upon receipt of payment, a receipt is issued to the student. The STUDENT presents a copy of the approved petition and payment receipt to the INSTRUCTOR and takes the challenge exam. **The INSTRUCTOR is not to administer the exam without viewing the payment receipt from the cashier's office.**
4. The INSTRUCTOR grades the exam and reports the grade earned to the Registrar's Office by initiating a change of grade form.

The Sign Language Proficiency Interview (SLPI) or Specific Course Examinations are the ISU approved examinations for ASL I through ASL VI. Note that the SLPI is typically only administered in Idaho one time per year in mid-Spring. The following scores are needed to "pass" to the next level or receive an acceptable grade of "A":

CSED 151 ASL I	(4)	Novice Plus	(26-32)	"Pass" ASL I exit
CSED 152 ASL II	(4)	Survival	(33-42)	"Pass" ASL II exit
CSED 251 ASL III	(4)	Survival Plus	(43-52)	
CSED 252 ASL IV	(4)	Intermediate	(53-62)	
CSED 351 ASL V	(4)	Intermediate Plus	(63-72)	
CSED 352 ASL VI	(4)	Advanced	(73-82)	

**The RID-CI Certification Examination or Specific Course Examinations** are the approved examination(s) for the following interpreting courses:

CSED 353 Interpreting Seminar	(4)
CSED 354 Interpreting	(4)
CSED 461 The Professional Interpreter	(3)

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**The RID-CT Examination or Specific Course Examinations** are the approved examination(s) for the following transliterating courses:

- CSED 453 Transliterating (4)
- CSED 454 Interpreting & Transliterating (4)

The Educational Interpreting Proficiency Assessment (EIPA) in English Sign with a score of "3" is the approved examination for the following English sign courses:

- CSED 451 Conceptually Accurate Signed English (CASE) (3)
- CSED 452 Manually Coded English (MCE) (3)

The student is responsible for assuring that a copy of the approved petition and attached written documentation of fees paid and examination(s) passed are in the student's file in the departmental office at least **two weeks** prior to the beginning of the semester or summer term in which the course is offered.

CSED 355 Creative Signing may be waived if a student's departmental petition to substitute a comparable class is accepted, even if the comparable course is at the lower division level.

