

Modern States offers free online courses to prepare students to earn college credit for what they already know by passing CLEP exams that are widely accepted at more than 2,900 colleges and universities. Modern States provides vouchers to cover CLEP exam fees and also reimburses the test center fees for students who complete their free online CLEP preparation courses.

What's next?

- 1. Verify that your college and/or the college that you plan to attend awards college credit for passing CLEP exams.
- 2. Create a free Modern States account at https://modernstates.org/.
- 3. Enroll in the free Modern States CLEP course that interests you. Courses, textbooks, and materials are free. All you need is internet access and your own desire to learn. Modern States also offers links to tutoring & mentoring.
- 4. Although each Modern States course is self-paced with no specific deadlines, if you commit about six(6) hours per week to the course, you could finish in about four (4) weeks.
- 5. After you complete a Modern States course, you may request a Modern States voucher to pay for the corresponding CLEP exam fee.
- 6. Next, create a CLEP account at https://clep.collegeboard.org, and purchase the CLEP exam. When prompted for payment, enter your Modern States CLEP voucher to pay the CLEP Exam fee at time of purchase. At this time, you can also request that a copy of your CLEP score report be sent to the college that you are attending or are planning to attend.
- After purchasing your CLEP exam, go to <u>http://www.southplainscollege.edu/testing/</u> to schedule a testing appointment at the Levelland Campus. A \$23 test center fee will be due and payable when you arrive on your scheduled test date.
- 8. Once you have completed testing, contact Modern States to request reimbursement of the \$23 test center fee.
- 9. Repeat this process for all CLEP exams you would like to take for college credit.