

ENGLISH PLACEMENT GUIDE

EFFECTIVE FOR SUMMER/FALL 2019 ENROLLMENT

Because students may place into their English courses using a number of measures, we recommend using the [English Placement Flowchart](#) when working with individual students. This document is best used for general information and comparison of multiple measures.

- ACT, SAT and GED test scores and HS GPA do not expire.
- The [writing sample and survey](#) is an option for students who:
 - Graduated from high school 3+ years ago OR
 - Have a high school GPA of at least 3.0
- The measure that achieves the highest placement for the student will be used.
- If a student cannot be placed using another measure, the writing sample and survey will be used to determine placement.
- Students who have not yet graduated from high school are not eligible to be placed using the writing sample and survey.

| HIGH SCHOOL GPA | |
|-----------------|-------------------------------|
| GPA | Course |
| Below 2.70 | ENG 99/108 |
| 2.70-3.29 | ENG 111+11 |
| 3.30-3.69 | ENG 111 |
| 3.70+ | ENG 111 - Eligible for Honors |

| SAT SCORE | | |
|------------------------|--|-------------------------------|
| Pre-2016 SAT | 2016 or later SAT Evidence-Based Reading & Writing | Course |
| Use alternate measure* | Below 480 | Use alternate measure* |
| | 480-559 | ENG 111 |
| | 560+ | ENG 111 - Eligible for Honors |

* Alternate Measures: ACT score, High School GPA, GED score, Self-inventory + Writing Sample

ACT SCORES - Both reading and English scores must come from the ACT, may not be combined with other assessments.

| | | ACT English Score | | |
|--------------------------|----------|--------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------|
| | | Below 18 | 18-23 | 24+ |
| ACT Reading Score | Below 19 | Use alternate measure* | Use alternate measure* | Use alternate measure* |
| | 19-23 | Use alternate measure* | ENG 111 | ENG 111 |
| | 24+ | Use alternate measure* | ENG 111 | ENG 111 - Eligible for Honors |

GED SCORE**

| Score | Course |
|--------------|------------------------|
| Below 175 | Use alternate measure* |
| 175+ | ENG 111 |

* **GED tests 07/2014 or later. GED tests from 2002-07/2014 w/ score of 562+ qualify students for ENG 111.