

College Readiness Standards

Students entering college must meet the College Readiness standards to be eligible for college-level courses in Math, Reading and Writing. Students must take developmental courses when they enter college in any subject(s) where they do not meet the standard as defined below:

| Test | Math Exemption | Reading Exemption | Writing Exemption |
|---|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|--|
| TAKS | 2200 | 2200 | 3 |
| SAT Note: The SAT Composite is the total of Math and Reading | 500 Math and Composite 1070 | 500 Reading and Composite 1070 | 500 Reading and Composite 1070 |
| ACT Note: The ACT Composite is the Average of Math and Reading scores | 19 Math and Composite 23 | 19 Reading and Composite 23 | 19 Reading and Composite 23 |
| COMPASS | 39 | 81 | 6 (or 5 with an objective score of 40) |
| ASSET | 38 | 41 | 6 (or 5 with an objective score of 40) |
| THE/TASP (Available at ACC campuses) | 230 | 230 | 220 |

Notes:

- **Using Multiple Tests:** Students can use scores from different tests for exemption. For example, a student can qualify for math using TAKS Math. That same student can qualify for Reading using SAT Critical Reading.
- **Composite Score Explanation:** To use SAT or ACT scores, students must meet the composite score on ACT or SAT first, THEN consider the skill area.