

TSI Exemptions and Placement

TSI Exemptions:

Please review the chart below to see if you are eligible for an exemption from the TSI. If you do not qualify for an exemption, please contact the Registrar's Office at tsi@shsu.edu to have your TSI status updated.

Entrance Exam	Test Areas	Scores	TSI Areas of Exemption	College Level Readiness
ACT <i>*Good for 5 years</i>	English and Composite	19 and 23	R/W	College Level Ready for Reading and Writing
	Math and Composite	19 and 23	M	College Level Ready for Math
SAT <i>*Good for 5 years</i>	SAT Evidence-Based Reading and Writing	480	R/W	College Level Ready for Reading and Writing
	Math	530	M	College Level Ready for Math
STAAR EOC	English III Reading, Level II	2000	R	College Level Ready for Reading
	English III Writing, Level II	2000	W	College Level Ready for Reading and Writing
	Algebra II, Level II	4000	M	College Level Ready for Math
Military	Honorably Discharged	<i>*See VA (DD214)</i>	R/W/M	College Level Ready for Reading, Writing and Math
By Credit (Coursework, AP or CLEP)	MATH 1314, 1316, 1332, 1369, 1324, 1384, 1385, 1410, 1420, STAT 1369	C or better	M	College Level Ready for Math
	ENGL 1301 ENGL 1302	C or better	R/W	College Level Ready for Reading and Writing
	<small>ARTS 1303, ARTS 1315, BUAD 2301, BUAD 2321, CRIJ 2361, CRIJ 2362, ECON 2300, ECON 2301, ECON 2302, ENGL 2332, ENGL 2333, GEOG 1321, GEOG 2355, GEOG 2356, HIST 1301, HIST 1302, HIST 2311, HIST 2312, MUSI 2348, PHIL 1301, PHIL 2303, PHIL 2306, POLS 2305, POLS 2306, PSYC 1301, PSYC 2315, SOCI 1301, SOCI 1306, SOCI 2319.</small>	C or better	R	College Level Ready for Reading
Degree	2 year degree (Ex: AA) 4 year degree (Ex: BA, BS, BBA)	Awarded	R/W/M	College Level Ready for Reading, Writing and Math

TSI Assessment Version 2

Below you can view the TSI placement chart for TSI Assessment version 2 scores for students.

TSIA2 Exam	Math	English Language Arts and Reading (ELAR)	Placement
Passing	950	ELAR 945 and Essay Score of 5	College Level Ready
Passing	900 – 949 and Diagnostic Score of 6	ELAR 900 – 944 and Essay Score of 5 and Diagnostic Score of 5	College Level Ready
Dev. Ed. Level <i>Eligible for Co-Requisite Option</i>	900 – 949 and Diagnostic Score of 1 - 5	ELAR 900 – 944 and Essay Score of 1 – 4 and Diagnostic Score of 1 - 4	MATH 1314 & MATH N014 or MATH 1324 & MATH N024 or MATH 1332 & MATH N032 or MATH 1342 & MATH N042 or MATH 1384 & MATH N084 ENGL 1301 and INRW 0014