

WRIGHT STATE WRITING PLACEMENT TEST POLICY

Admitted students place into writing courses based on ACT, SAT, or WSU's online Writing Placement Test (WPT) scores.

Those without valid scores will place into co-requisites of DEV 0920 + ENG 1100.

*Per State of Ohio mandate, College Credit Plus (CCP) applicants are asked to use WritePlacer scores as an alternative to WSU's online WPT.

COURSE	*ACT/SAT SCORE	†WSU WRITING PLACEMENT LEVEL (WPL)
ENG 1100 Academic Writing and Reading	<p>STUDENTS WITH THE FOLLOWING VALID TEST RESULTS SHOULD <u>NOT</u> TAKE THE WSU WRITING PLACEMENT TEST:</p> <p>ACT English 21 <small>OR ABOVE</small> SAT Evidence-Based Reading/Writing 550 <small>OR ABOVE</small> SAT Writing & Language 28 <small>OR ABOVE</small> SAT Reading 27 <small>OR ABOVE</small></p> <p><small>*CCP ONLY</small> WritePlacer 5 <small>OR ABOVE</small> <small>*CCP ONLY</small> ACCUPLACER Next Gen Reading 263 <small>OR ABOVE</small> <small>*CCP ONLY</small> ACCUPLACER Next Gen Writing 263 <small>OR ABOVE</small></p>	50
ENG 1100 Academic Writing and Reading for Non-Native Speakers – English/Second Language	WSU's WPT 40	40
<p>ENG 1030 English/Second Language: Advanced Writing</p> <p><small>Does not apply toward WSU Core requirements or graduation</small></p>	WSU's WPT 30	30
<p>ENG 1140 Intensive Academic Writing and Reading</p> <p><small>4-credit-hour course that meets 4 days/week</small></p>	<p>ACT English 18-20 SAT Evidence-Based Reading/Writing 490-549 SAT Writing & Language 26-27 SAT Reading 25-26</p> <p><small>*CCP ONLY</small> WritePlacer 4 <small>*CCP ONLY</small> ACCUPLACER Next Gen Reading 256-262 <small>*CCP ONLY</small> ACCUPLACER Next Gen Writing 257-262</p>	20
<p>DEV 0920 Foundations of College Reading & Writing + ENG 1100 Academic Writing & Reading</p> <p><small>ENG 1100 applies to WSU Core requirements & graduation; the DEV 0920 Accelerated Learning Program (ALP) co-requisite does not apply to Core or graduation, but credit hours earned in DEV 0920 can help students achieve full-time registration status for term.</small></p>	<p>ACT English 17 <small>OR BELOW</small> SAT Evidence-Based Reading/Writing 489 <small>OR BELOW</small> SAT Writing & Language 25 <small>OR BELOW</small> SAT Reading 24 <small>OR BELOW</small></p> <p><small>*CCP ONLY</small> WritePlacer 3 <small>OR BELOW</small> <small>*CCP ONLY</small> ACCUPLACER Next Gen Reading 255 <small>OR BELOW</small> <small>*CCP ONLY</small> ACCUPLACER Next Gen Writing 256 <small>OR BELOW</small></p>	10

† Pending system updates, students' records may display the following WPLs: 86 = ENG 1100; 84 = ENG 1140; 60 = ALP co-requisites.

POLICY INFORMATION

- WSU's Standards for Academic Conduct & Academic Integrity apply to all students engaged in testing. Consequences for misconduct may be serious: <https://www.wright.edu/student-affairs/student-life/community-standards-and-student-conduct/code-of-student-conduct/section-xii-academic-integrity> & <https://liberal-arts.wright.edu/english-language-and-literatures/university-writing-program/academic-integrity-and-plagiarism>.
- Once students start WSU's online test, they have 12 hours to upload work: <http://www.wright.edu/studentsuccess/testing/writing-placement-testing>.
- A non-refundable \$25 Writing Placement Test fee is added to tuition statement the term after score posts to Wings Express Test Scores.
- Scores are valid for two years. Readmitted students with expired WSU placement scores must retest unless prior placement was at ENG 1100 level. **Placement is determined by the highest valid non-expired score. Note:** In Spring 2016, SAT implemented a new system: Those with older SAT scores took SAT before March 2016. The scores above reflect test results of students who took the SAT starting in March 2016 → forward. Scores from 3/2016 → forward are called "SAT 2016" in Wings Express.
- Students may fulfill the Wright State Core writing requirement with previous college composition credit of a grade C or higher or posted AP credit for ENG 1100. Students with such credit should not take the WPT. Transfer students who do not have transfer credit (within two years) for equivalent coursework may use a non-expired standardized test score or take the WSU WPT.
- Per State of Ohio mandate, CCP applicants are encouraged to use WritePlacer as an alternative to WSU's online placement test.** CCP students may not register for DEV 0920/ENG 1100 co-requisites due to remediation-free standards. **For CCP admissions questions, please contact admissions@wright.edu. To reach a WSU CCP academic advisor, write to ccpadvising-uc@wright.edu.***

RETESTING

- All Writing Placement Test scores are final. There is no retest.[§]
- Non-native speakers with Writing Placement scores of 30 or 40 will take a diagnostic test on the first day of class to verify placement.
- College Credit Plus applicants who tested at least 12 months prior (1 full year) should contact testing_services@wright.edu to see if updated transcripts or additional documentation meets eligibility requirements for renewed test access.[§]

REMEDATION—FREE STANDARDS

Due to State of Ohio remediation-free standards, students with ACT English ≥ 18 or SAT Reading/Writing ≥ 490 cannot place in DEV 0920.