

- Board Scholastic Advanced Placement Program
- Completion of a course that transfers to a CSU and satisfies the requirement in Qualitative Reasoning, provided such a course was completed with a grade of C or better
- A result of Standard Exceeded: Ready for CSU college-level coursework in English on the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP) exam

The following Conditionally Ready statuses require students to continue their preparation in the 12th grade by completing an approved English course with a grade of C or better. Students that do not meet the conditional requirement will need to participate in the CSU's Early Start Program, unless exemption was met through another pathway.

- 460-490 on the Critical Reading portion of the SAT Reasoning Test
- 19-21 on the English portion of the ACT Test
- A result of Standard Met: Conditionally Ready for college-level coursework in English on the CAASPP exam

Students who cannot demonstrate basic competence on the EPT exam are required to enroll in ENGL 1L in conjunction with ENGL 5B or 10, or if they are nonnative speakers of English, in LING 6. ENGL 1L must be completed with a credit grade by the end of the first year of enrollment.

Beginning in May 1998, SAT II: Writing Test scores were increased about 10 to 20 points. The adjustment was made to make writing test scores more comparable to scores on other SAT II subject tests. Although scores are higher, their relative rank compared to scores for tests taken before May 1998 remain the same.

Entry-level Mathematics Exam

The Entry Level Mathematics (ELM) Examination is designed to assess and measure the mathematics skills acquired through three years of rigorous college preparatory mathematics coursework (Algebra I and II, and Geometry) of students entering the California State University (CSU). The CSU ELM must be completed by all non-exempt entering undergraduates prior to enrollment in any course, including developmental courses. Students who score 50 or above on the ELM will be placed in college-level mathematics classes. Exemptions from the ELM are granted only to those who present proof of one of the following:

- A score of 550 or above on the Mathematics section of the College Board SAT Reasoning Test
- A score of 550 or above on a College Board SAT Subject Test in Mathematics (level 1 or level 2)
- A score of 23 or above on the American College Testing (ACT) Mathematics Test
- A score of 3 or above on the College Board Advanced Placement Calculus AB or Calculus BC exam
- A score of 3 or above on the College Board Advanced Placement Statistics examination
- Completion and transfer to CSU of a college course that satisfies the requirement in Quantitative reasoning, provided such a course was completed with a grade of C or better
- A result of Standard Exceeded: Ready for CSU college-level coursework in mathematics on the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP) exam

The following Conditionally Ready statuses require students to continue their preparation in the 12th grade by completing an approved math course with a grade of C or better. Students that do not meet the conditional requirement will need to participate in the CSU's Early Start Program, unless exemption was met through another pathway.

- 490-540 on the Mathematics portion of the SAT Reasoning Test
- 20-22 on the Mathematics portion of the ACT exam
- A result of Standard Met: Conditionally Ready for college-level coursework in mathematics on the CAASPP exam

EPT and ELM

These tests must be taken and scores must be received prior to enrollment.

It is the students' responsibility to confirm exemption from either the EPT or ELM exam by contacting the Admissions/Records Office, North Lobby, Joyal Administration Building.

Information bulletins and registration materials for the EPT and ELM may be obtained from the Office of Testing Services.

Credit by Examination

Students may challenge courses by taking examinations developed at California State University, Fresno. Credit shall be awarded to those who pass them successfully.

Credit for Non-collegiate Instruction. Fresno State grants undergraduate degree credit for successful completion of non-collegiate instruction, either military or civilian, appropriate to the baccalaureate degree, which has been recommended by the Commission on Educational Credit and Credentials of the American Council on Education. The numbers of units allowed are