



TSI Student Reference 2019-2020

Texas Success Initiative (TSI) Exemptions

1. **STAAR EOC** – Algebra II score 4000, English III score 4000
2. **SAT** – (prior to March 5, 2016) combined score of 1070 with a 500 on the math and/or 500 ELA/critical reading or (on or after March 5, 2016) 530 on mathematics and/or 480 evidenced based reading and writing (EBRW)
3. **ACT** - a composite score of 23 with a 19 on the Math and/or 19 on English
4. Students who have satisfactorily completed college-level coursework (as determined by the receiving institution); at SPC, this is a grade of C or better in a related college-level course.
5. A student who is enrolled in a certificate program of one year or less (Level-One certificates, 42 or fewer semester credit hours or the equivalent) at a public junior college, a public technical institute, or a public state college. *Please check with the technical department at each institution for more information.*

TSI Assessment

Math	350
Reading	351
Writing	340 MC + 4 Essay or Less than 340 MC + 4 Diagnostic Level + 5 Essay

PSAT/NMSQT (~~PSAT-10~~)

460	Evidenced Based Reading & Writing (EBRW)
510	Mathematics

STAAR EOC Scores (Junior Year Only)

Algebra I 4000 & Passing Grade on Algebra II High School Class
You could be exempt in Math for the following year based on your prior college coursework.

STAAR EOC Scores (Junior Year Only)

English II 4000
You could be exempt in Reading & Writing for your senior year based on prior college coursework.

TSI Restrictions for Dual Credit Courses

Courses	Reading Restricted	Writing Restricted	Math Restricted
ACCT 2301 & 2302	No	No	No
AGRI 1231, 1329, 1419 & 2321	No	No	No
ANTH 2351	Yes	No	No
ARTS 1301	No	No	No
BIOL 1308, 1408 & 1409	Yes	No	No
BCIS 1305 (ITV & Campus)	No	No	No
BCIS 1305 (Online)	No	No	No
BUSI 1301 & BUSG 1304	No	No	No
CHEM 1411	No	No	No
ECON 2301 (ITV & Campus)	No	No	No
ECON 2301 (Online)	Yes	No	No
ENGL 1301 & 1302	Yes	Yes	No
ENGL 2332 & 2333	Yes	Yes	No
GEOG 1303	No	No	No
GOVT 2305 & 2306 (ITV & Campus)	Yes	No	No
GOVT 2305 & 2306 (Online)	Yes	Yes	No
HECO 1322	No	No	No
HIST 1301 & 1302 (ITV & Campus)	Yes	No	No
HIST 1301 & 1302 (Online)	Yes	Yes	No
HITT 1305	Yes	No	No
HUMA 1301, 2319 & 2323	Yes	No	No
ITSE 1311 & 1329	No	No	No
LATI 1412, 2311 & 2312	No	No	No
MATH 0120	No	No	Yes
MATH 1314 & 1316	No	No	Yes
MATH 1324 & 1442	No	No	Yes
MATH 2412	No	No	Yes
MUSI 1306	No	No	No
PHYS 1401, 1402, 1425 & 1426	No	No	No
POFT 1325	No	No	No
PSYC 2301 & 2314	Yes	No	No
SOCI 1301, 2301 & 2336	Yes	No	No
SPAN 1412, 2311 & 2312	No	No	No
SPCH 1311, 1315 & 1321	No	No	No

Courses in the dual credit chart above that list “No” in every category require students to pass only one area of TSI to be eligible to enroll; and that area is non-specific.

TSI Restrictions for Workforce Dual Credit Courses

Courses	Reading Restricted	Writing Restricted	Math Restricted
AUMT 1410, 1201, 1316, 1407 & 1345	No	No	No
CDEC 1317, 2322 & 2324	Yes	Yes	No
CSME 1401, 1443, 1310 & 1405	No	No	No
EMSP 1401	Yes	No	No
WLDG 1428, 1430, 1412 & 1457	No	No	No

Courses in the workforce chart above that list “No” in every category are TSI waived for Certificate Programs.