

ENGLISH PLACEMENT for Non-Native Speakers: (College Success® Test)

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TEST INFORMATION

- COST & ID:** \$20, and Photo ID is required
- TIME LIMIT:** None, test can be paused and saved for up to 30 days.
(International Students: please check program requirements.)
- LOCATION:** Proctored, and taken in the Testing Office
- FORMAT:** Computerized
3 multiple-choice sections (20 questions each)
1 short essay
- MATERIALS:** Scratch paper, pencils.
- RETAKE:** One retake is allowed within 2 years of first test, at any time.
No waiting period. (International Students: please check program policy.)
- VALID FOR:** 2 years at Seattle Central.
- TEST TIMES:** Walk – in, no appointments needed:
Please check schedule: can vary by quarter.
- SCORING:** Immediate, scores (0 – 20) for each multiple-choice section:
Listening, Writing, Reading
This test does NOT place into English 101.
(International Students: please check with program for scoring rules.)

PLACEMENTS:

If any score is at or below these minimums, the placement is

Basic & Transitional Studies classes:
Listening: 8 Grammar: 5 Reading: 9

If any score is a perfect 20, it is recommended that the student attempt the placement test for native English speakers, (called Wonderlic).

SEE REVERSE FOR ALL OTHER SCORES AND CLASS PLACEMENTS

FIRST

CHECK YOUR
GRAMMAR
SCORE:

6 – 10	➔	ESL 093
11 – 13	➔	ESL 096 & 007
14 – 19	➔	ESL 098 & 000

THEN:

CHECK YOUR
READING
SCORE:

10	➔	ESL 093
10 – 14	➔	ESL 096 & 007
15 – 19	➔	ESL 098 & 000

PLACEMENT IS LOWER
OF TWO
CLASS
SETS

