

RISE Reinforced Instruction for Student Excellence

Terminology

- **Gateway course:** ex. ENG 111 or MAT 143
- **Co-requisite course:** ex. ENG 011 or MAT 043
- **Transition course:** ex. BSP 4002 (ENG 002) and BSP 4003 (MAT 003).
Transition courses are taught and registered through Basic Skills (Con. Ed.)
- Tier 1 **passed** equals P1, Tier 2 passed equals P2 and so forth. R equals an **unsuccessful** attempt

Placement

- **GPA is the first placement measure:**
 - HS GPA ~~within 10 years of enrollment date:~~ **No 10 year limit at this time.**
 - Must have attended a US high school
 - No 4th math requirement
- **Other placement measures:**
 - SAT, ACT, GED, HiSET, RISE Placement Test scores, and previous DRE/DMA work
 - Earned Associate Degree or higher (Bachelors/Masters/PhD) exempts the student from transition/co-req. courses
 - **See the RISE Placement Guide by Measure at the end of this document**

English

HS GPA 2.8 or above	HS GPA 2.2-2.799	HS GPA below 2.2
Gateway English course: ENG 111	Gateway English course (ENG 111) with ENG 011 co-req.	BSP 4002 (Tier 1) Unit 1-6 for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ENG 111 with co-requisite course
		BSP 4002 (Tier 1 & 2) Unit 1-10 for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ENG 111 with no co-requisite course

Math

HS GPA 2.8 or above	HS GPA 2.2-2.799	HS GPA below 2.2
Gateway math course: MAT 110, 143, 152 or 171	Gateway math course with corresponding co-requisite course: MAT 010, 043, 052, or 071	BSP 4003 (Tier 1) Unit 1-8 for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MAT 110 with no co-requisite course • MAT 143 or 152 with corresponding co-requisite course if BSP 4002 (T1 & T2) completed or bypassed.
		BSP 4003 (Tier 1 & 2) Unit 1-12 for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MAT 143 or 152 with no co-requisite course if BSP 4002 (T1 & T2) completed or bypassed. • MAT 171 with corresponding co-requisite course.
		BSP 4003 (Tier 1-3) Unit 1-17 for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MAT 171 with no co-requisite course.

RISE Placement Test

- **Only individuals who meet the following requirements will be allowed/required to take the RISE Placement Test:**
 - ~~Students with GPA older than 10 years:~~ **Rule suspended for now.**
 - Students without a GPA or Foreign students
 - GED students (GED < 170 on any tests)
 - HiSET score (< 15 on **any** of the subject tests or < 4 on the Essay)
 - Some homeschooled students

- Based on the students score, they will be placed in:
 - Gateway math course
 - Gateway English course
 - Gateway math course with co-requisite course
 - Gateway English course with co-requisite course
 - Transition English BSP 4002 (ENG 002) or Transition Math BSP 4003 (MAT 003) or both

DRE/DMA Crosswalk Information for Bypass Purposes

DRE/DMA Crosswalk Bypass			
DRE 097	BSP 4002 (ENG 002)	Tier 1	Units 1-6
DRE 098	BSP 4002 (ENG 002)	Tier 2	Units 7-10
DMA 010-030	BSP 4003 (MAT 003)	Tier 1	Units 1-8
DMA 010-050	BSP 4003 (MAT 003)	Tier 2	Units 9-12
DMA 010-080	BSP 4003 (MAT 003)	Tier3	Units 13-17

Gateway Courses & Co-Requisites

Gateway Course	Tier Required	
	With Co-Requisite	Without Co-Requisite
ENG 111	Tier 1 English P1	Tier 2 English P2
MAT 110 *	Within 10 yr. HS GPA > 2.2 only. Otherwise, take BSP 4003 and earn Tier 1 Math P1 before attempting	Tier 1 Math P1
MAT 143	Tier 1 Math P1 & Tier 2 English P2	Tier 2 Math P2 & Tier 2 English P2
MAT 152	Tier 1 Math P1 & Tier 2 English P2	Tier 2 Math P2 & Tier 2 English P2
MAT 171	Tier 2 Math P2	Tier 3 Math P3

*MAT 110 is a special case

- **After summer 2020, DMA & DRE courses will no longer be offered.**
 - To bypass BSP 4002 (ENG 002) Tier 1, you must have completed DRE 097 **prior** to the start of fall 2020.
 - To bypass BSP 4002 (ENG 002) Tier 1 & 2, you must have completed **both** DRE 097 & DRE 098 prior to the start of fall 2020.

- To bypass BSP 4003 (MAT 003) Tier 1, you must have completed through DMA 030 **prior** to the start of fall 2020.
- To bypass BSP 4003 (MAT 003) Tier 1 & 2, you must have completed through DMA 050 **prior** to the start of fall 2020.
- To bypass BSP 4003 (MAT 003) Tier 1-3, you must have completed through DMA 080 **prior** to the start of fall 2020.
- DMA & DRE course work will not be accepted for credit as of **fall 2025**.

Note: RISE Placement Test score of 70 to earn tier credit (not 75 as listed below)

Reinforced Instruction for Student Excellence (RISE) Placement Guide by Measure

High School Measures			
HS GPA	Placement Description	English Courses	Math Courses
< 2.2	Transition English and Math	ENG-002(CU) or BSP-4002(BSP)	MAT-003(CU) or BSP-4003(BSP)
2.2 - 2.799	Gateway English and Math with a Co-requisite	ENG-111 + ENG-011	Gateway <u>with</u> Co-Req
≥ 2.8	Gateway English and Math without a Co-requisite	ENG-111 Only	Gateway Only

SAT*					
Pre-December 2011		January 2012 - February 2016		March 2016 - Present	
Reading	510 or higher	Critical Reading	500 or higher	Evidence-Based Reading & Writing	480 or higher
Writing	510 or higher	English	500 or higher	Mathematics	530 or higher
Mathematics	510 or higher	Mathematics	500 or higher		

ACT**					
Pre-December 2011		January 2012 - February 2014		March 2014 - Present	
English	22 or higher	English	18 or higher	English	Score - Course Placement 16-17 - ENG-111 + ENG-011 18 or higher - ENG-111 Only
Reading	22 or higher	Reading	21 or higher	Reading	20-21 - ENG-111 + ENG-011 22 or higher - ENG-111 Only
Mathematics	22 or higher	Mathematics	22 or higher	Mathematics	20-21 - Math <u>with</u> Co-req 22 or higher - Math Only

General Education Development (GED)		
Test	Validity Date	Passing Score
Mathematical Reasoning Reading Through Language Arts Social Studies Science	1/1/2014 to Present	170 or higher on <u>all</u> tests.

High School Equivalency Test (HiSET)

Test	Validity Date	Passing Score
Language Arts-Reading Language Arts-Writing Essay Mathematics Science Social Studies	1/1/2014 to Present	15 or higher on <u>all</u> subject tests, with a minimum of 4 on the Essay.

RISE Placement Tests

Test	Validity Date	Passing Score	Course Eligibility
RISE English Tier 1	10/1/2018 to Present	75 or higher	ENG-111 + ENG-011
RISE English Tier 2	10/1/2018 to Present	75 or higher	ENG-111 Only
RISE Math Tier 1	10/1/2018 to Present	75 or higher	MAT-110; MAT-143 + MAT-043; MAT-152 + MAT-052
RISE Math Tier 2	10/1/2018 to Present	75 or higher	MAT-110; MAT-143; MAT-152; MAT-171 + MAT-071; MAT-121 + MAT-021
RISE Math Tier 3	10/1/2018 to Present	75 or higher	Any Gateway Math without a Co-requisite

Previous Developmental Coursework

Development Education	Multiple Measures	RISE	Course Eligibility
ENG-070 & RED-070 or ENG-075	DRE-096	--	ENG-002 or BSP-4002
ENG-080 & RED-080 or ENG-085	DRE-097	ENG-002, grade of <u>P1</u>	ENG-111 + ENG-011
ENG-090 & RED-090 or ENG-095	DRE-098	ENG-002, grade of <u>P2</u>	ENG-111 <u>Only</u>
MAT-060	DMA-010, 020, 030	MAT-003, grade of <u>P1</u>	MAT-110 <u>Only</u>
MAT-060	DMA-010, 020, 030	MAT-003, grade of <u>P1</u>	MAT-143 + MAT-043
ENG-080 & RED-080 or ENG-085	DRE-097	ENG-002, grade of <u>P1</u>	MAT-152 + MAT-052
MAT-070	DMA-010, 020, 030, 040, 050	MAT-003, grade of <u>P2</u>	MAT-110 <u>Only</u>
ENG-080 & RED-080 or ENG-085***	DRE-097***	ENG-002, grade of <u>P1</u> ***	MAT-143 <u>Only</u> MAT-152 <u>Only</u>
MAT-080	DMA-010, 020, 030, 040, 050, 060, 070, 080	MAT-003, grade of <u>P3</u>	MAT-121 + MAT-021 MAT-171 + MAT-071
MAT-080	DMA-010, 020, 030, 040, 050, 060, 070, 080	MAT-003, grade of <u>P3</u>	Gateway Math <u>Only</u>

*Passing scores on the SAT allows students to register for gateway English or Math courses without a Co-Requisite required.

**Passing scores for the ACT prior to March 2014 allows students to register for gateway English or Math courses without a Co-Requisite required.

***English requirements relate only the MAT-143 and MAT-152. MAT-121 and MAT-171 only have math prerequisites.

For placement into MAT-271, the direct placement policy applies. See "Additional Course Information" in the NCCCS Combined Course Library (CCL).

