Navarro College Dual Credit Testing Requirements

As part of the Student Success Initiative, Texas state law requires that students be tested in the areas of reading, writing, and mathematics prior to enrolling in college courses. Listed below are acceptable dual credit admissions tests for **Dual Credit Students** set by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board (**Texas Administrative Code Rules 4.85 & 4.54**):

TEST	Score Explanation/Requirements
TSI Assessment	 <u>College Readiness cut scores for each area of the TSI Assessment:</u> <u>TSIA 2.0</u> TSIA 2 Math College Ready Scores: CRC 950-990 or CRC 910-949 <u>AND</u> Diagnostic Level 6 TSIA 2 ELAR College Ready Scores: CRC 945-990 <u>AND</u> Essay 5-8 or CRC 910-944 <u>AND</u> Diagnostic Level 5 – 6 <u>AND</u> Essay 5-8
ACT	Administered prior to February 15, 2023: A composite score of 23 with a minimum of 19 on the English test shall be exempt for both the reading and writing sections of the TSI Assessment, and/or 19 on the mathematics test shall be exempt for the mathematics section of the TSI Assessment. Administered on or after February 15, 2023: a combined score of 40 on the English and Reading (E+R) tests shall be exempt for both reading and writing or ELAR sections of the TSI Assessment. A score of 22 on the mathematics test shall be exempt for the mathematics section of the TSI Assessment. There is no composite score.
SAT	A minimum score of 480 on the Evidenced-Based Reading and Writing (EBRW) test shall be exempt for both reading and writing sections of the TSI Assessment; a minimum score of 530 on the mathematics test shall be exempt for the mathematics section of the TSI Assessment. <i>There is no</i> <i>combined score</i> .

9th & 10th grade students are required to take the TSI Assessment and be college ready in writing and reading prior to enrollment approval.

Career and Technical Dual Credit: (Workforce Education) (Texas Administrative Code Rule 4.85):

A high school student is eligible to enroll in workforce education dual credit courses contained in a Level 1 certificate program, or a program leading to a credential of less than a Level 1 certificate, at a public junior college or public technical institute and shall not be required to provide any additional demonstration of college readiness. Students enrolling in workforce education dual credit courses contained in a Level 2 certificate or applied associate degree program with be required to meet testing requirements outlined above; relevant to the courses to be attempted.

TSI Assessment Information:

Navarro College administers the TSI Assessment test. Check with each campus testing center to find out testing availability. The TSI Assessment costs \$35.00. If the students wish to retest, the TSI Assessment can be taken again upon availability of space; however, the student must pay each time he or she takes the test. Students must place into college-level coursework relevant to the courses to be attempted.

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