Grossmont College Assessment Exemption Guide

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| **MATH** | | | |
| **Advanced Placement** | | | |
| AP Calculus AB | 3 or above | Math 280 | \*\*Credit for Math 180 |
| AP Calculus BC | 3 or above | Math 281 or 284 or 285 | \*\*Credit for Math 280 |
| *Students who have successfully passed the AP Calculus test are exempt from taking the assessment test.*  *\*\*The appropriate college credit will be awarded after submission of test scores to Admissions & Records office.* | | | |

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| **The following may be used as indicators of readiness for Math 120, 125, 160, 170, 175, 176, 178** | |
| SAT Math | 550 or above (if taken **before** March 2016) / 570 or above (if taken **after** March 2016) |
| ACT Math | 23 or above |
| ELM Math | 50 or above |

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| **Early Assessment Program – EAP**  **Placement: Math 120, 125, 160, 170, 175, 176, 178** | | |
| CAASPP (EAP) | Status: ***Ready (Score of 4/Standard Exceeded)*** |  |
| CAASPP (EAP) | Status: ***Conditional Ready (Score of 3/Standard Met)*** | Must pass with a “C” or higher in a following high school course: Trigonometry, Pre-Calculus, Calculus, AP Calculus AB or BC, AP Statistics, AP Physics |

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| **Math Articulation** | |
| **Eligibility:**  All High School graduates | Students who complete the following high school courses will be placed as follows:   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | ***HS Course*** | ***Grade*** | ***Placement*** | | *Integrated Math 1 OR Algebra I* | *C or better both semesters & cumulative GPA < 2.8* | *096; 110;120+020; 160+060* | | *C or better both semesters & cumulative GPA > 2.8* | *096; 110;120; 160* | | *Integrated Math 2*  *OR Algebra II* | *C or better both semesters & cumulative GPA < 3.3* | *120; 125; 160; 175+075; 176+076; 178+078* | | *C or better both semesters & cumulative GPA > 3.3* | *120; 125; 160; 170; 175; 176; 178* | | *B or better both semesters & cumulative GPA > 3.0* | *120; 125; 160; 170; 175; 176; 178* | | *Integrated Math 3* | *C or better both semesters* | *120; 125; 160; 170; 175; 176; 178* | | *PreCalculus* | *C or better both semesters* | *120; 125; 160; 170; 175; 176; 178* | | *C or better both semesters & cumulative GPA > 3.3* | *120; 125; 160; 170; 175; 176; 178; 180* | | *Calculus\** | *C or better both semesters* | *120; 125; 160; 170; 175; 176; 178; 180* |   *\*Calculus (for students who did not pass the AP exam or did not take the exam)*  *Exact class placement will depend upon the student’s intent* |
| **Students who would like to attempt a higher placement**  **should meet with the Math Department Chair at Grossmont College** | |

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| **ENGLISH** | | | |
| **Advanced Placement** | | | |
| AP English—Language and Composition | 3 or above | English 124 | \*\*Credit for English 120 |
| AP English—Literature and Composition | 3 or above | English 124 | \*\*Credit for English 120 and 122 |
| *Students who have successfully passed the AP English test(s) are exempt from taking the assessment test.*  *\*\*The appropriate college credit will be awarded after submission of test scores to Admissions & Records office.* | | | |

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| **Early Assessment Program - EAP** | | |
| CAASPP (EAP) | Status: ***Ready (Score of 4/Standard Exceeded)*** | Placement: English 120 |
| CAASPP (EAP) | Status: ***Conditional Ready (Score of 3/Standard Met)*** with a “C” or better in 2 semesters of ERWC, AP or IB >>Students can provisionally verify that they will pass the second semester via Infinite Campus documentation | Placement: English 120 |

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| **The following may be used as indicators of readiness for English 120.** | |
| **Test** | **Score** |
| New SAT Test (Taken **after** March 2016) | 550 or above on the Evidenced Based Reading and Writing Section |
| Old SAT Test (Taken **before** March 2016 | 500 or above on the critical reading section of the old SAT Reasoning Test |
| IB English | 4 or above (Students earn 6.0 units of college credit in area C1) |
| ACT English | 22 or above |
| EPT | 147 or above |

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| **English Articulation** | |
| **Eligibility:**  All High School graduates | Students who earned the following cumulative high school GPA will be placed as follows:   |  |  | | --- | --- | | ***HS GPA*** | ***Placement*** | | *GPA > 2.6* | *120+020; 099* | | *GPA > 2.6* | *120* | |
| **Students who would like to attempt a higher placement**  **should meet with the English Department Chair at Grossmont College** | |

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| **Assessments and courses taken at other institutions** |
| Math and English: Assessment scores (not necessarily placements) are accepted from the Accuplacer assessment test taken at any California Community College. |
| Students are exempt from the assessment if they have completed a Math or English course at an accredited institution with a “C” or better. |