

High School Student Pathway to college-level English placement

These measures of college readiness may be used to place high school applicants into appropriate credit-level English classes. If students do not qualify for any of these measures, they will have to take the Writeplacer test.

High School Achievement:

- ✓ Graduated from high school in the last 5 years with at least a **3.0 overall high school grade-point average**.
- ✓ Successfully completed a high school English transition course in the last 5 years.
- ✓ High school seniors may be placed using their high school GPA current through the fall semester of their senior year.

Advanced Placement (AP) English Language with a score of 3 or higher.

SAT Critical Reading or Evidence-Based Reading score of 480 or higher.
ACT Composite score of 21 or higher.

Writeplacer Test

Score range for
college-level ENG

Score range for
developmental ENG

Completion of **developmental** ENG course(s).

Actual course(s) needed depends on placement score.

All developmental courses must be completed with a grade of "C" or better in order to progress to the next developmental level or into college-level courses.

Placement in **college-level** ENG and all college course with a college-ready prerequisite in ENG

If Writeplacer was taken, actual course placement depends on placement score.

List of Chesapeake College ENG courses and associated prerequisites can be found in the [catalog](#).