

EKU Academic Readiness & Course Placement Indicators for English + Reading & Math ~ AY 2020-2021

Beginning Fall 2020, ECU will use these indicators of readiness as established by the Council on Postsecondary Education as measure of college-level Academic Readiness. Upon admission to a public postsecondary institution, students scoring at or above the established benchmarks will not be required to complete Academic Readiness courses or corresponding co-requisite support courses. However, all students admitted to ECU will be allowed entry into college credit-bearing Academic Readiness coursework that counts toward credit requirements and degree completion. *Italicized notes indicate when a student should be placed into an Academic Readiness course.* Advisors and mentors are encouraged to steer students toward ECU placement testing, as needed, if students have not already completed those assessments. Remember: All admitted or enrolled ECU students may attempt ECU Placement Testing twice, even if they are attempting to place out of a failed Academic Readiness class.

ENGLISH and READING

Area	ACT Score	EKU Placement Test	GED College Readiness	KYOTE	SAT Score
English Composition ENG 101 or ENG101R*	English 101 = 18 or higher + Reading 20 or higher <i>(Score 17 or below = ENG101R)</i>	EKU Writing Placement Exam Score 101 = ENG 101 placement <i>Score 101R = ENG 101R (even if the student has no Academic Readiness Reading need)</i>	Reasoning through the Language Arts 165 or higher = ENG 101 <i>(Score 164 or below = ENG 101R)</i>	Writing 6 or higher <i>(Score 5 or below = ENG101R)</i>	Evidence-Based Reading + Writing 480 or higher or 25 on the Writing + Language Test <i>(Score 479 or below = ENG101R)</i>
Reading ENG 101 or ENG101R*	ENG 101 = Reading 20 or higher + English 18 or higher <i>(Score 19 or below = ENG101R)</i>	Nelson-Denney Reading Test Score 31 or higher + *no* English requirement = ENG 101 <i>Score 30 or below = ENG 101R (even if the student has no Academic Readiness English need)</i>	Reasoning through the Language Arts 165 or higher = ENG 101 <i>(Score 164 or below = ENG 101R)</i>	Reading 20 or higher <i>(Score 19 or below = ENG 101R)</i>	Evidence-Based Reading + Writing 480 or higher or 25 or higher on the Reading Test <i>(Score 479 or below = ENG101R)</i>

Message from the Council on Postsecondary Education: Per the College Readiness Indicators Work Group, all exam scores remain an indicator of academic readiness for a minimum of twelve (12) months from the date of administration. Individual institutions may extend the length of time scores remain indicators of academic readiness. *However, an institution shall not determine academic readiness using scores received from exams taken more than four (4) years prior. Other exams, prior college coursework, and placement exams may be used for course placement after a student is admitted to a postsecondary institution.*

**The English Department is introducing a Directed Self Placement process for students in Summer 2020, effective for Fall 2020 enrollment. Details, including appropriate placement for selected students, are available from Heather Davis (heather.davis@eku.edu) or Jill Parrott (jill.parrott@eku.edu).*

QUANTITATIVE REASONING

Area	ACT	ALEKS	EKU Placement Test	GED College Readiness	KYOTE	SAT
Mathematics: College Algebra MAT 112A and MAT 112B/114 or MAT 112A and B + 112AP/BP	Math 22 or higher = MAT 112A and MAT 112B/114 (Score 21 or below + *no* ENG101R need = MAT 112A and B + MAT 112AP and BP)	ALEKS PPL Score 46 or higher = MAT 112A and 112B/114 (Score 45 or below + *no* ENG 101R need = MAT 112A and MAT 112B + MAT 112AP and BP)	Math 112/114 Exam 14 or higher = MAT 112A and 112B/114 (Score 13 or below + *no* ENG101R need = MAT 112A and MAT 112B + MAT 112AP and BP)	Mathematical Reasoning 175 or higher = MAT 112A and MAT 112B/114 (Score 174 or below + *no* ENG101R need = MAT 112A and MAT 112B+ MAT 112AP and BP)	KYOTE Algebra Domain Test 14 or higher = MAT 112A and MAT 112B/114 (Score 13 or below + *no* ENG101R need = MAT 112A and MAT 112B + MAT 112AP/BP)	Math 530 or higher = MAT 112A and MAT 112B/114 (Score 529 or below + *no* ENG 101R need = MAT 112A and MAT 112B + MAT 112AP/BP)
Mathematics: Trigonometry MAT 120	Math 22 or higher	Not available	Not available	Not applicable as a placement score	Not available	Math 560 or higher
Mathematics: Pre-Calculus MAT 122	Math 23 or higher	Not available	Not available	Not applicable as a placement score	Not available	Math 570 or higher
Mathematics: Applied Calculus MAT 211	Math 23 or higher	Not available	Not available	Not applicable as a placement score	Not available	Math 570 or higher
Mathematics: Calculus MAT 234	Math 27 or higher	ALEKS PPL Score 76 or higher	KYOTE Calculus Domain Test 15 or higher	Not applicable as a placement score	KYOTE Calculus Domain Test 15 or higher	Math 650 or higher
Mathematics: Math with Applications MAT 105 and MAT105P OR Applied Mathematics MAT 106 and MAT 106P	Math 19 or higher = MAT 105 or MAT 106 (Score 18 or below + *no* ENG101R need = MAT 105 + MAT 105P OR MAT 106 + MAT 106P)	ALEKS PPL 30 or higher = MAT 105 or MAT 106 (Score 29 or below + *no* ENG101R need = MAT 105 + MAT 105P OR MAT 106 + MAT 106P)	EKU Online Math Placement Test (OMPT) 22 or higher = MAT 105 or MAT 106 (Score 21 or below + *no* ENG101R need = MAT 105 + MAT 105P OR MAT 106 + MAT 106P)	Mathematical Reasoning 165 or higher = MAT 105 or MAT 106 (Score 164 or below + *no* ENG101R need = MAT 105 + MAT 105P OR MAT 106 + MAT 106P)	KYOTE Math Test 22 or higher = MAT 105 or MAT 106 (Score 21 or below + *no* ENG101R need = MAT 105 + MAT 105 P OR MAT 106 + MAT106P)	Math 500 or higher = MAT 105 or MAT 106 (Score 499 or below + *no* ENG101R need = MAT 105 + MAT 105P OR MAT 106 + MAT 106P)
Statistics: Introduction to Statistical Reasoning STA 215 and STA 215P	Math 19 or higher = STA 215 (Score 18 or below + *no* ENG101R need = STA 215 + STA 215P)	ALEKS PPL 30 or higher = STA 215 (Score 29 or below + *no* ENG101R need = STA 215 + STA 215P)	EKU Online Math Placement Test (OMPT) 22 or higher = STA 215 (Score 21 or below + *no* ENG101R need = STA 215 + 215P)	Mathematical Reasoning 165 or higher = STA 215 (Score 164 or below + *no* ENG101R need = STA 215 + STA 215 P)	KYOTE Math Test 22 or higher = STA 215 (Score 21 or below + *no* ENG101R need = STA 215 + STA 215P)	Math 500 or higher = STA 215 (Score 499 or below + *no* ENG101R need = STA 215 + STA 215P)
Statistics: Applied Statistics STA 270	Math 23 or higher	N/A	Not available	Not applicable as a placement score	Not available	Math 560
Philosophy: Logic and Critical Reasoning PHI 101 and PHI 101R	Math 19 or higher = PHI 101 (Score 18 or below + *no* ENG101R need = PHI 101R)	ALEKS PPL 30 or higher = PHI 101 (Score 29 or below + *no* ENG101R need = PHI 101R)	EKU Online Math Placement Test (OMPT) 22 or higher = PHI 101 (Score 21 or below + *no* ENG101R need = PHI 101R)	Mathematical Reasoning 165 or higher = PHI 101 (Score 164 or below + *no* ENG101R need = PHI 101R)	KYOTE College Readiness Math Test 22 or higher = PHI 101 (Score 21 or below + *no* ENG101R need = PHI 101R)	Math 500 or higher = PHI 101 (Score 499 or below + *no* ENG101R need = PHI 101R)