

Texas Success Initiative Assessment

Understanding Your Scores

What is the TSIA2?

The TSI Assessment 2 (TSIA2) is part of the Texas Success Initiative program designed to help your college or university determine if you are ready for college-level course work in the general areas of reading, writing, and mathematics. This program also will help determine what type of course or intervention will best meet your needs to help you become better prepared for college-level course work if you are not ready.

	ELAR (English Language Arts & Reading)	Math
Your Scores	CRC Score: Diagnostic: Essay (WritePlacer):	CRC Score: Diagnostic Score:
	Note : Diagnostic scores will not be present for students who achieved a CRC score of 945 or above.	Note : Diagnostic scores will not be present for students who achieved a CRC score of 950 or above.
College Ready	College Readiness Classification (CRC) score of 945+ and an essay score of at least 5; or CRC score between 910-944 and a Diagnostic level of 5 or 6 and an essay score of at least 5.	College Readiness Classification (CRC) score of at least 950; or CRC score between 910-949 AND Diagnostic level of 6.

How To View Scores Online:

- 1. Go to www.accuplacer.org
- 2. Click "Information for Students"
- 3. Click "Your ACCUPLACER Score Report."
- 4. Your Student ID will be your TSDS ID #.
- 5. You will be emailed a link to view and print your results.
- 6. See attached documents titled Steps to Access Your Test Scores from the Student Portal to help you.

<u>Do NOT contact RPHS for your scores. RPHS cannot and will NOT send scores to a college.</u> <u>You must write them down on this paper and/or look them up in ACCUPLACER.</u>

FAQ's:

I am college ready in both areas, now what?

If you are college ready in both areas, you will need to send your scores to your college and work on completing the remainder of your college admissions file. Including, but not limited to:

- Send TSIA2 scores
- Request HS transcripts in SchooLinks
- Submit your bacterial meningitis records
- Sign up for new student orientation
- Meet with an academic advisor at the college

How do I send my scores to the college I plan to attend?

It is your responsibility to contact the school to determine how the school will receive the scores. Scores can be shared through the Accuplacer Student Portal (see the Access Your Test Scores from the Student Portal document attached). Most colleges have a form (Cross Institutional Reporting Form) that students need to fill out in order for the college to pull your TSIA score report.

For your college to pull your TSIA score report you will need to provide the college with the following information: First and Last name (as you entered it when taking the exam), DOB, TSDS ID# (see top of page), Test Center Location: Fort Bend Independent School District (THIS IS NOT "RIDGE POINT HIGH SCHOOL").

What if I did not meet the college readiness standards on the TSIA?

If you would like to retake the TSIA2, you may retake the TSIA2 at any time before you register for classes. However, before you attempt to retest, it is strongly recommended that you set aside time for additional study. Check with the testing center at the college for study options or visit the TSIA page on Mrs. J's website (www.fortbendisd.com/rphsccr).

Where can I retake the test?

You will need to contact the testing center of the college you plan to attend to schedule the exam. The college will charge you between \$29 - \$50 to retest. Or you can take the TSIA at a local community college (HCC or WCJC) and send your scores to your college. Contact the testing center to schedule the test.

I don't want to re-test; can I still register for classes?

For most colleges, YES! However, you will be required to enroll in college readiness (remedial) classes, you will not be eligible to enroll in college level courses. Upon earning a grade of "C" or higher in the college readiness course, you may be deemed "college ready" and could become eligible to register for college level courses the following semester.

- College readiness courses are not transferable and do not earn college credit towards a degree.
- College readiness courses are eligible to be paid for by financial aid