



The TSI (Texas Success Initiative) exam is a legislatively mandated program designed to guide Texas public institutions of higher education in helping determine whether entering, non-exempt students are ready for entry-level college coursework in the areas of English Language Arts Reading (ELAR) and mathematics.

Before entering some of the available college courses students must show academic proficiency by passing designated portions of the TSI exam.

ELAR: A score in the range of 945–990 on the ELAR CRC Test and a score of at least 5 on the Essay Test or an ELAR CRC Test score below 945 and an ELAR Diagnostic Test score of 5 or 6 and an Essay Test score of 5 or higher.

Mathematics: A score in the range of 950–990 on the Mathematics CRC Test or a Mathematics CRC Test score below 950 and a Mathematics Diagnostic Test score of 6.



TSI testing will run throughout the school year.

Students are pulled in groups of 10-20 to complete their test in the CCR room on Tuesdays to Thursdays 1:30 pm -3:00 pm.

If you are interested in taking the TSI or need to retake the TSI please sign up using the QR code provided here or in the morning announcements.

Before taking the exam, the first time or a retake, you should visit Accuplacer and utilize the free [study material and practice exams](#).

In addition to the Accuplacer website test prep students should attend on-campus Math and ELAR tutoring, and/or, join our [TSI prep Google Classroom](#). If you are struggling with the Math TSI we have added a course to assist you in reaching your goals.

Dates for campus and state tests beyond the TSI:

Testing Date	Assessment Description
August 28 - September 1	iReady Diagnostic Reading and Math K-8, NWEA Algebra I, English I, English 2 (Complete by September 8)
September 5 - October 6	PreK Gold Assessment, K-2 DIBELS, NWEA Grade 5 Science, Grade 8 Science, Biology
October 16 - 20	iReady Growth Monitoring K-8 Reading and Math
November 6 - December 19	TEA - Interim Assessment Window #1: 3-8 Reading, 3-8 Math, Algebra I, English I, English II
November 27 - December 1	iReady Growth Monitoring K-8 Reading and Math
December 5 - December 15	TEA - STAAR December EOC: Algebra I, English I, English II, US History, Biology
January 8 - January 12	iReady Diagnostic Reading and Math K-8
January 16 - January 18	PreK Gold Assessment, K-2 DIBELS
February 5 - 9	TEA Required Stand Alone Field Test: Subject Areas to Include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • RLA grades 3–8 • English I and English II • Spanish RLA grades 3–5
February 12 - February 16	TEA - Interim Assessment Window #2: Grade 5 Science Grade 8 Science, Biology, US History, Grade 8 Social studies
February 19 - March 29	TEA - TELPAS/TELPAS ALT
February 26 - March 1	iReady Growth Monitoring K-8 Reading and Math
March 25 - April 26	TEA - STAAR ALT 2 (Preview March 11)
April 9 - April 19	TEA - STAAR 3-8 RLA, English I, English II
April 16 - April 26	TEA - STAAR Grade 5 Science, Grade 8 Science, Grade 8 Social Studies, Biology, US History
April 23 - May 3	TEA - STAAR 3-8 Math, Algebra I
May 13 - May 24	iReady Diagnostic K-8 Reading and Math, NWEA Map Algebra 1, English I, English II, Grade 5 Science, Grade 8 Science, Biology
May 20 - May 24	PreK Gold Assessment, K-2 DIBELS
June 18 - June 28	TEA - STAAR EOC: Algebra 1, English I, English II, Biology, US History