



Want to Improve Your Course Placement? Consider These Options

Additional Preparation & Testing

- If at first you don't succeed, try again! Retake the ACT (if under 21 years old) or the ASSET placement test (if 21 or over). Many students improve their scores with additional testing. PSTCC accepts the highest scores in each subject area on the ACT, so you can't place into a lower level. Contact the Learning & Testing Center (694-6454) to make a testing appointment.
- Want to better your odds? Participate in a preparation workshop before retesting. It includes an overview of the test, test-taking strategies, practice problems, and tutoring. Best of all, it's free! Contact Adult Education in the Learning & Testing Center (539-7109) for more information.
- Confirmation Testing: All students scoring below 19 on the ACT (or equivalent) in English, reading, and/or math are required to test in the appropriate area(s) to finalize course level placement. Contact the Learning & Testing Center (694-6454) for Confirmation Test dates.

Faster Completion of Refresher Courses

- Need a flexible schedule? Try the FLAG Center! The FLAG Center offers computer-based instruction for DSP courses with the assistance of on-site tutors. Advantages include flexible schedules (including starting dates), Individualized Academic Plans, and the opportunity for early completion. Contact the Reading/Writing FLAG Center (694-6461) or the Math FLAG (694-6460) for more information.
- Is your reading placement holding you back? Students with only DSPR 0800 required could be eligible to take more college-level classes by completing the reading course in the FLAG Center. The reading course will focus on improving comprehension by incorporating the textbook from one of your college-level classes. Contact the FLAG Center (694-6461) or the Student Assistance Center (694-6556) for more information.
- Is your situation unique? Make an appointment with the DSP Director or a counselor to discuss other possibilities based on your individual circumstances (694-6556).

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