

College of Southern Idaho

ACT Course Placement

The use of ACT scores or successful completion of college transfer coursework indicated on official transcripts may be acceptable for course placement purposes and could exempt advisees from taking part or all of the COMPASS test sections. Placement test scores will be considered valid if scores have been taken within three years from the date of course enrollment. Contact your major advisor to determine which course path you should follow.

Mathematics

≤ 22	Advisees must take COMPASS.
≥ 23	MATH 123 OR MATH 130 OR MATH 143
≥ 26	MATH 147 OR MATH 253
≥ 27	MATH 144 OR MATH 160
≥ 29	MATH 170

Placement in math courses should be based upon both placement scores and the mathematics required within the advisee's major course of study. The scores listed above are the minimum scores required for entry into the listed courses.

English

≤ 17	Advisees must take COMPASS.
18-24	ENGL 101
25-30	ENGL 102 *(ENGL 101 Credit)
≥ 31	**Credit for ENGL 101 & 102

*Advisees must provide official evidence of ACT scores to receive credit for ENGL 101. Credits obtained in this manner may count toward credit requirements for graduation and a grade of "P" (P=Pass) is given after the course is officially transcribed.

**Advisees must provide official evidence of ACT scores to receive credit for ENGL 101 and ENGL 102. Credits obtained in this manner may count toward credit requirements for graduation and a grade of "P" (P=Pass) is given after the course is officially transcribed. If credits are granted for both ENGL 101 and ENGL 102 via placement score, the advisee will be required to successfully complete an English composition course, ENGL 201, to receive an A.A., A.S., or A.A.E. degree.

Reading

≤ 17	Advisees must take COMPASS.
≥ 18	READ 101 College Reading OR READ 122 Enhanced Reading Efficiency OR STUS 101 College Study Methods (Elective Credits)