

APPENDICES

APPENDIX B: TABLE OF PLACEMENT TEST SCORES AND CORRESPONDING REMEDIAL COURSES

FOR NON-NATIVE SPEAKERS OF ENGLISH:

Students whose native language is not English and who did not successfully complete an English Composition or equivalent course from a regionally accredited institution in the U.S., are required to take a placement test to determine the necessary level of ESL remediation. The program in English as a Second Language at ASA College offers six levels of ESL. The ESL component is extensive and covers all necessary skill areas: reading, writing (including grammar), pronunciation and diction, communication (listening and oral skills). The following table illustrates current cut-off scores **for Accuplacer/ ESL tests**:

THE FINAL LEVEL OF ESL IS DETERMINED BASED ON THE CUMULATIVE SCORE OF ALL ESL TESTS AS FOLLOWS:

ESL Level A1	Between 80-150	(Students do not take any credit bearing courses)
ESL Level A2	Between 151 and 250	(Students do not take any credit bearing courses)
ESL Level B	Between 251 and 300	(Students do not take any credit bearing courses)
ESL Level C	Between 301 and 350	(Students do not take any credit bearing courses)
ESL Level D	Between 351 and 400	(Students are allowed to take credit-bearing courses (up to 9 credits))
ESL Level E	Between 401 and 450	(Students are allowed to take credit-bearing courses (up to 12 credits))

FOR NATIVE SPEAKERS OF ENGLISH

English: Accuplacer Reading and Writing Test Scores

Reading 55 and below Writing 50 and below	Students are required to take Remedial English courses before taking college level English courses
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Mathematics: Accuplacer Pre-Algebra Test Scores

0 - 39	Students are required to take Math Skills I and Math Skills II before taking College Math
40 - 63	Students are required to take Math Skills II before taking College Math
64 and above	No Remedial Math courses are required