

Prerequisite Help (for currently registering students only):

If you received a ***“prerequisite not met”*** message, while registering for class, your eligibility has not been cleared in the Assessment Office. **Important:** click on [Prerequisite Requirement](#) and [Alternatives to Testing](#) to see if you qualify for an exemption to testing.

If you do not have an alternative to testing, you are required to take an assessment test prior to registration in this class. Click to view the [Testing Schedule for Summer 2008, or Fall 2008](#). If you have a qualifying transcript or test score report, you must submit it to the Assessment Office (Student Services Bldg., room 251) for review and possible exemption from testing.

You may also mail or fax your college transcript and/or test score information to Assessment (please note, all test score information must be accompanied by a high school transcript for counselor review):

Santa Barbara City College Assessment Center
721 Cliff Drive
Santa Barbara CA 93109-2394

Fax: (805) 730-5120
Phone: (805) 730-4149

More Prerequisite Information:

Prerequisite course completion is enforced at registration. Students may test into English 60-110, Math 1-150, Psychology 150 and any English-as-a Second-Language Reading, Writing or Grammar course.

If you completed your prerequisite course with a grade of ‘C’ or better at Santa Barbara City College, no action on your part is required.

If you completed your prerequisite course at another college, transcript review is required prior to registration. Beginning Fall 2008 all courses across the curriculum will have enforced prerequisites. Check specific course prerequisites in the Schedule of Classes.

English Prerequisite Policy: Any student who has not been enrolled in an English course from English 60 – 110 at Santa Barbara City College is required to place by examination prior to registration. There are [Alternatives to Testing](#), however, so you will want to access that information to determine whether or not you qualify for an exemption.

Transfer students: Freshman Composition is the only course reviewed for English placement purposes. A grade of ‘C’ or better is required on the college transcript as well as a catalog course description for out-of-state and private institutions.

Math Prerequisite Policy: Any student who has not been enrolled in a mathematics course at Santa Barbara City College is required to place by examination prior to registering in any math class from Math 1 – Math 150. Students who wish to begin at the Math 1 level may request a test waiver by contacting the Assessment or Counseling Centers. View [Alternatives to Testing](#) to determine whether or not you are required to

test. **Transfer students**, who have completed an equivalent prerequisite math course at another college, with a grade of 'C' or better, should take their college transcript to the Assessment Office for evaluation and computer clearance. A catalog course description is required for any college outside of the California Community College system.

Please note: Statistics is not a prerequisite for any math course at SBCC.

If you need to contact the Assessment Office for clarification of prerequisite information, please phone during regular business hours M-F 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. (805) 730-4149.