Congratulations on having completed your English assessment. To access your test results:

1. Log onto your Pipeline account
2. Under the STUDENT tab, click on STUDENT RECORDS
3. Click on VIEW COURSE PLACEMENT AND ELIGIBILITY

Plan to register for the Reading and Writing courses listed on your Pipeline account. Save this paper as a reference.

Important: SBCC’s English Assessment gives two placements, one for Reading and one for Writing. If your reading course is at or below English 70, you must take both a reading and writing course(s) before enrolling in English 110. The fastest way to move ahead to English 110 is to take reading and writing courses simultaneously.

The English test may only be taken once per testing period. There are two testing periods per year: 1) Spring and 2) Summer/Fall. October – January is the Testing Period for Spring enrollment & February – August is the Testing Period for Summer/Fall enrollment. Additional testing will take place the first day of class, and any changes in placement will occur during the first week of class.

Please read the explanation by your course placements only:

**READING PLACEMENTS**

**ESL** Your test requires further review by the English as a Second Language Department. Contact the Assessment Office, Room SS-251 or call (805) 730-4149 for final placement.

**ENG 60** Test results indicate there is a gap between your reading level and the level needed to succeed in college classes. If you plan to take English 110, your reading skills must be at least equal to the English 103 reading course. You should register for ENG 60: Basic Reading Skills* this semester.

**ENG 70** Test results indicate that there is a gap between your reading level and the skills required for college classes. If you plan to take English 110, your reading skills must be at least equal to the English 103 reading course. You should register for ENG 70: Effective Reading Techniques.*

**ENG 103 (OPTIONAL)** Test results indicate that you are reading somewhat below college level. Because success in college relies heavily on reading skills, it is recommended (not required) that you register for ENG 103: Improvement of College Reading and Study Skills for 5.0 units of transfer credit (CSU).

**READING LEVEL SATISFIED** Test results indicate that you are reading at college level. A Reading Level Satisfied placement does not place you into or excuse you from English 110; please see your writing placement.

**WRITING PLACEMENTS**

**ENG 65** Writing scores indicate that you need work on basic writing skills and grammar. This 5.0 unit class will help you improve your sentences and paragraphs. If you plan to take English 110 (the AA/AS requirement), you must start at this level*.

**ENG 80** Writing scores indicate you need to improve your writing skills. This 5.0 unit class will prepare you for English 98 and help you develop writing skills necessary for success in other classes. If you plan to take English 110 (the AA/AS requirement), you must start at this level*. You may also be eligible to take accelerated courses to complete your English requirement more quickly. See information on Eng. 75 and Eng. 88 on the other side.

**ENG 98** Writing scores indicate a gap between your writing skills and those needed for success in college. This 5.0 unit class will prepare you for English 110. If you plan to take English 110 (the AA/AS requirement), you must start at this level*. You may also be eligible to take an accelerated course to complete your Eng. 98 and 110 in one semester. See information on Eng. 89/110 on the other side.

**ENG 110** Your writing scores and reading level* indicate that you are ready to take English 110. This class fulfills the English requirement for the Associate Degree and transfers to a four-year college. English 120, College Research Skills, is a 1-unit co-requisite to English 110. Students enrolling in English 110 need to simultaneously register in English 120.

*Enrollment in English 110 requires a reading eligibility of English 103 or Reading Level Satisfied.