Substitute Assessments Standards

Current Assessments [ACT Substitute Assessments]

	STAAR Algebra I		STAAR Biology		STAAR English I		STAAR English II		STAAR U.S. History	
Substitute Assessment	Assessment	Passing Score	Assessment	Passing Score	Assessment	Passing Score	Assessment	Passing Score	Assessment	Passing Score
ACT* — September 2015	Mathematics	22	Science	23	Reading	22	Reading	22		
and After					English	18	English	18		
PreACT or PreACT					<u>Reading</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>Reading</u>	<u>20</u>		
<u>Secure in 10th Grade*</u>	<u>Mathematics</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>Science</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>English</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>English</u>	<u>15</u>		
<u>PreACT 8/9,</u> PreACT, or PreACT					<u>Reading</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>Reading</u>	<u>18</u>		
Secure in 9 th Grade*	<u>Mathematics</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>Science</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>English</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>English</u>	<u>13</u>		
SAT[†] — Administered March 2016 and After	Mathematics	530			Evidence- Based Reading and Writing	480	Evidence- Based Reading and Writing	480		
PSAT/NMSQT in 11th Grade — October 2015 and After	Mathematics	510			Evidence- Based Reading and Writing	460				

*Satisfactory scores on the ACT or the PreACT [Reading and English or Reading and Combined English/Writing] assessments may be used in place of either the STAAR English I [EOC] or the STAAR English II EOC assessment [] but not both. To use the ACT or the PreACT assessment, a student must have taken and received a satisfactory score on both sections of the ACT English language arts assessment.

[†]Satisfactory scores on the SAT [Evidence Based Reading and Writing or Critical Reading and Writing] assessment may be used in place of either the STAAR English I [EOC] or the STAAR English II EOC assessment [₂] but not both. To use the SAT administered in January 2016 or earlier, a student must have taken and received a satisfactory score on both sections of the SAT English language arts [Critical Reading and Writing] assessment.

Current Assessments (cont.) [SAT Substitute Assessments]

	STAAR Algebra I		STAAR Biology		STAAR English I		STAAR English II		STAAR U.S. History	
Substitute Assessment	Assessment	Passing Score	Assessment	Passing Score	Assessment	Passing Score	Assessment	Passing Score	Assessment	Passing Score
PSAT 10 or PSAT/NMSQT in 10 th Grade — October 2015 and After	Mathematics	480			Evidence- Based Reading and Writing	430				
PSAT 8/9 or PSAT/NMSQT in 9 th Grade — October 2015 and After	Mathematics	450			Evidence- Based Reading and Writing	410				
АР			Biology	3	English Language and Composition	3	English Language and Composition	3	U.S. History	3
IB ²			Biology	4	Language A: Language and Literature	4	Language A: Language and Literature	4	History of the Americas	4
TSIA2[¶] — January 11, 2021 <u>,</u> and After	Mathematics	950			English Language Arts Essay	945 5	English Language Arts Essay	945 5		

²The <u>satisfactory</u> [<u>set passing</u>] score for the IB [<u>substitute</u>] assessments applies to both Standard Level and Higher-Level examinations.

[¶]The TSIA2 and TSIA English language arts assessments are the only substitute assessments that may be used to simultaneously fulfill two EOC requirements. Satisfactory scores on the TSIA2 (English Language Arts and Essay) or the TSIA (Reading, Objective Writing/Sentence Skills, and Writing) may be used in place of both the STAAR English I [EOC] and the STAAR English II EOC assessment requirements in those cases described by subsection (d)(1) of this section. In all other cases, a satisfactory score on an approved substitute assessment may be used in place of only one specific STAAR EOC assessment.

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Previous Assessments [AP, IB, and TSI Substitute Assessments]

	STAAR Algebra I		STAAR Biology		STAAR English I		STAAR English II		STAAR U.S. History	
Substitute Assessment	Assessment	Passing Score	Assessment	Passing Score	Assessment	Passing Score	Assessment	Passing Score	Assessment	Passing Score
ACT* —					Reading	21	Reading	21		
June 2015 and Before	Mathematics	22			Combined English / Writing	18	Combined English / Writing	18		
PLAN	Mathematics	19								
Aspire 10	Mathematics	432								
Aspire 9	Mathematics	428								
SAT[†] — Administered	Mathematics	500			Critical Reading	500	Critical Reading	500		
January 2016 and Before	Wathematics	500			Writing	500	Writing	500		
PSAT — 2014 and Before	Mathematics	47								
SAT Subject Tests	Math Level 1 or Level 2	600	Biology-E or Biology-M	500					U.S. History	500
					Reading	351	Reading	351		
TSIA [¶] — January 10, 2021 <u>,</u> and Before	Mathematics	350			Objective Writing / Sentence Skills	340	Objective Writing / Sentence Skills	340		
					Writing	4	Writing Arts	4		

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[†]Satisfactory scores on the SAT [Evidence Based Reading and Writing or Critical Reading and Writing] assessment may be used in place of either the STAAR English I [EOC] or the STAAR English II EOC assessment [₂] but not both. To use the SAT administered in January 2016 or earlier, a student must have taken and received a satisfactory score on both sections of the SAT English language arts assessment [Critical Reading and Writing] assessment.

[¶]The TSIA2 and TSIA English language arts assessments are the only substitute assessments that may be used to simultaneously fulfill two EOC requirements. Satisfactory scores on the TSIA2 (English Language Arts and Essay) or TSIA (Reading, Objective Writing/Sentence Skills, and Writing) may be used in place of both the STAAR English I [EOC] and the STAAR English II EOC <u>assessment</u> requirements in those cases described by subsection (d)(1) of this section. In all other cases, a satisfactory score on an approved substitute assessment may be used in place of only one specific STAAR EOC assessment.