

ELM/EPT

The California State University requires each entering undergraduate, to take the CSU English Placement Test (EPT) and CSU Entry Level Mathematics (ELM) examination prior to registration. They are designed to identify entering students who may need additional support in acquiring college entry-level English and mathematical skills necessary to succeed in CSU baccalaureate-level courses

Study for the EPT/ELM to avoid having to take remedial English and math classes when you get to CSUSB, it is important to study for your placement tests.

- To study for the English Placement Test (EPT), visit http://www.csuenglishsuccess.org/exam_prep_esw
- To study for the Entry-Level Mathematics (ELM) exam, please visit: http://www.csumathsuccess.org/exam_prep

Schedule your test:

You can visit www.ets.org/csu/ for a full schedule of test dates and to register for the test. For more information, please call the CSUSB Testing Office at (909) 537-5045.

Exemptions from one or both tests

- 550** or higher on Math section of the SAT
- 23** on Math section of the ACT
- 3** or higher on AP Calculus or Statistics
- 500** or higher on Critical Reading part of the SAT
- 22** on English part of the ACT
- 3** or higher on AP English Lang. or English Lit.

Receiving an “**exempt**” result on Early Assessment Program test taken in the spring of your junior year, or “conditionally exempt,” provided that you complete

Test Date	Registration Date
January 4, 2014	December 20, 2013
February 8, 2014	January 24, 2014
March 15, 2014*	February 28, 2014
April 12, 2014	March 28, 2014
May 3, 2014	April 18, 2014

*Test offered at the Palm Desert Campus

Preferred Test Dates:

March 15 (register by February 28)

April 12 (register by March 28)

\$18 per test NO fee waivers

NOTE: Both the ELM and the EPT are placement tests only. They DO NOT count against your GPA or admission to the University.