



Cowley College Dual Enrolled High School Students Admissions and Assessment Guidelines

Program admissions requirement: A permission form signed by parents, the principal, and the counselor is required each academic semester.

General Education/Transfer Pathways: High School Seniors, Juniors, Sophomores, or a 'gifted' Freshman

- HS GPA of 2.75 or higher with College Level Reading assessment of 18 ACT in Reading or NexGen Accuplacer of 255 or higher or meet course placement guidelines using high school criteria listed below

OR

- HS GPA of 3.0 on pre-college curriculum (will not require reading assessment)

Career & Technical Education Programs: High School Seniors, Juniors, Sophomores (most programs have selective admittance)

- GPA of 2.0 or higher, College Level Reading assessment of NexGen Accuplacer of 224

ENGLISH PLACEMENT

| | ACT Score | SAT Score (Reading and Writing) | Accuplacer Next-Generation | High School Criteria |
|----------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|
| Composition I | 18+ Reading And 18+ English | 500+ in SAT ERW | 255 + Reading And 255+ Writing | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.0+ high school cumulative unweighted GPA after five or more semesters; • OR: 16+ ACT Reading AND ACT English AND B or higher (not B-) in most recent high school English course; • OR: 2.7+ high school cumulative unweighted GPA after 5 or more semesters AND B or higher (not B-) in most recent high school English course |

MATH PLACEMENT

| | ACT Score | SAT Score (Reading and Writing) | Accuplacer Next-Generation | High School Criteria |
|------------------------------|-----------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------|--|
| Contemporary Math | 19+ | 510+ | 255+ (QAS) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.00 cumulative GPA (unweighted) AND C- (or higher) in the second semester of Algebra 2 or Integrated Math 3 |
| Elementary Statistics | 19+ | 510+ | 255+ (QAS) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.00 cumulative GPA (unweighted) AND C- (or higher) in the second semester of Algebra 2 or Integrated Math 3 |
| College Algebra | 22+ | 540+ | 263+ (QAS) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.25 cumulative GPA (unweighted) AND B- (or higher) in the second semester of Algebra 2 or Integrated Math 3 |

For transfer purposes, College Algebra, Contemporary Math, & Elementary Statistics is the lowest math level a high school student can enroll in, with the exception of Technical Math for CTE program students. (ALL with Review classes are not available to HS Students)

| Programs with additional requirements | ACT Score | Accuplacer Next-Generation | Other Criteria |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|-------------------------------|--|
| CNA | 16+ Reading | 224+ Reading | Must be at least 16 years or older |
| HHA / CMA | 16+ Reading | 224+ Reading | Must have CNA prior to start of class |
| EMT | 16+ Reading | 224+ Reading | Must be at least 17 years or older |
| Cosmetology | 18+ Reading | 255+ Reading | Open to high school seniors or juniors; Must be at least 17 years or older |