

Non-native speakers of English applying for admission to SUNY Oswego at the undergraduate level must submit proof of their English language proficiency for consideration by the college's Office of Admissions. A list of all English proficiency scores and programs currently considered is found below. Note that SUNY Oswego only accepts English proficiency scores that were taken within two years of the submission date.

Don't see your program or exam on this list? Other English proficiency exams may be considered on a case-by-case basis. Exemptions are possible under certain circumstances; contact iss@oswego.edu to see if you qualify.

Exam or Program	Minimum Score (Full Admission)
TOEFL iBT (Home Edition, Test Center)	71
TOEFL PBT	550
TOEFL Essentials	8
IELTS	6.0
PTE Academic	55
iTEP	80% or higher on the final level
ELS	Level 112
Skills for English B2	Pass with Merit
LanguageCert Academic	65
ISE	ISEII with minimum of Merit in all categories
CEFR	B2
ACT	Average score of 19 in both English and Reading components
Michigan English Test	52
SAT I (Critical Reading Section)	500
SAT I (Evidenced - Based Reading and Writing section)	500
IGCSE First Language English	C
Cambridge English Proficiency (CPE)	180
Cambridge English Advanced (CAE)	180
IB Higher Level English A Literature	4
IB Higher Level English A Language and Literature	4
AS Level or A Level English or English Language Subject	C
DUOLINGO	100

SUNY Oswego also offers conditional admission to undergraduate degree programs based on successful completion of the university's Intensive English Program: oswego.edu/extended-learning/