

NCCC READING AND WRITING PLACEMENT TESTS

STEP #1 ACTIVATING T-WOLVES E-MAIL



- Go to the College website: <http://www.niagaracc.suny.edu/>
- Scroll to the bottom of the page and click on "T-Wolves mail" under the "Students" column.
- Click on Enroll for First Time Users.
- Read the Niagara County Community College Student E-mail Policy and click "I Agree".
- Enter your account name and current password and set up your security questions to complete the enrollment process. Your username and password can be found on your acceptance letter.

STEP #2 LOG INTO BLACKBOARD LEARN



- Go to the website: <https://bbniagaracc.sln.suny.edu/>
- Log into Blackboard Learn using your T-wolves username and password.

STEP #3 CLICK ON THE "PLACEMENT TESTING FOR READING AND WRITING" LINK ON THE SIDEBAR.

- The tests are untimed and must be finished in one sitting; you cannot log out and then back in.
- On the sidebar, click on "Placement Tests".
- Follow instructions in your Admissions Welcome packet to take one or both tests (Reading and/or Writing).

HOW TO TAKE THE READING PLACEMENT TEST on BLACKBOARD

- Practice your skills with the links available on www.niagaracc.suny.edu/testing (See "Study Information").
- Click on "Reading Placement Test" when ready to start test.
- Read directions and click "begin" to start test.
- Click "save and submit" to finish test.
- Click "OK" to see your score. A score of 80% or higher indicates that you have met the reading competency.
- You may choose to retake the reading test once if your score is below 80; follow the steps above.

HOW TO TAKE THE WRITING PLACEMENT TEST on BLACKBOARD

- Click on "Writing Placement Test".
- Click on and read the "Sample Writing Test".
- Click on "Writing Placement Test" to take the test.
- Your test will be graded by English faculty; allow at least 3 business days for your score to post in BannerWeb. A score of 80% or higher indicates that you have met the writing competency. You must pass both the Reading and Writing waiver and/or testing competencies to enroll for ENG101.
- You may choose to retake the writing test once if your score is below 80; follow the steps above.