## STEP SIX: TSI Testing

(DUE: March 26<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup>, OR 28<sup>th</sup>, 2024)

## \*\*Middle School Spanish Only Students DO NOT need to do this step\*\*

If you properly complete steps one through four and are not exempt from PSAT scores, you will take the TSI test for admittance to Dual Credit. Your test will be on **ONE** of the dates above. You will receive a letter with details the week before the test date, through one of your classes. You will need to bring that letter along with a picture ID to the test. The test will take place in the language labs at Clark. It begins at 9:00, and you will be released to your normal schedule when you finish. If you know you are a slow test taker, you might want to bring a lunch that day.

Upon completion of the test, you will get a printout with your results as well as a page showing the needed score for each class we offer. If you did not meet the score, you will have an opportunity to retest on April 18<sup>t</sup>. More information will be given to you at a later time. **SAVE YOUR RESULTS; YOU WILL NEED THIS WHEN YOU APPLY TO COLLEGE AS A SENIOR.** 

You can find <u>study materials for the TSI test</u> as well as information on the format and what to expect by creating an Accuplacer account and utilizing the numerous resources available including practice tests. If you want more specific guides and practice for the TSI, <u>this is a wonderful resource</u>. The TSI includes the following sections: Math, Reading, Essay.

Feel free to email <u>Dlayne.kelly@nisd.net</u> if you have any questions.

## Scoring Requirements for Northwest Vista Dual Credit

College Course	High School Course	TSIA 2.0 Requirements
BIOLOGY 1406	AP Biology Dual	English Language Arts and Reading: ≥ 945 AND Essay ≥ 5OR Diagnostic Level ≥ 5 AND Essay ≥ 5 Math: ≥ 950 OR Diagnostic Level = 6
BIOLOGY 2404	Anatomy and Physiology Dual	English Language Arts and Reading: ≥ 945 AND Essay ≥ 5 —OR- Diagnostic Level ≥ 5 AND Essay ≥ 5 Math: ≥ 950 OR Diagnostic Level = 6
BIOLOGY 2406	AP Environmental Science Dual	English Language Arts and Reading: ≥ 945 AND Essay ≥ 5 —OR Diagnostic Level ≥ 5 AND Essay ≥ 5 Math: ≥ 950 OR Diagnostic Level = 6
ENGLISH 1301/1302	AP English 3 Dual English 4 Honors Dual	English Language Arts and Reading: ≥ 945 AND Essay ≥ 5 —OR Diagnostic Level ≥ 5 AND Essay ≥ 5 Math: N/A
GOVERNMENT 2305	AP Government Dual	English Language Arts and Reading: ≥ 945 AND Essay ≥ 5OR Diagnostic Level ≥ 5 AND Essay ≥ 5 Math: NA
HISTORY 1301/1302	AP US History Dual	English Language Arts and Reading: ≥ 945 AND Essay ≥ 5OR Diagnostic Level ≥ 5 AND Essay ≥ 5 Math: NA
MATH 1414	ISM – College Algebra Honors Dual	English Language Arts and Reading: N/A Math: ≥ 950 OR Diagnostic Level = 6
MATH 1442	AP Statistics Dual	English Language Arts and Reading: N/A Math: ≥ 950 OR Diagnostic Level = 6
MATH 2412	Advanced Pre-calculus Dual	English Language Arts and Reading: N/A Math: ≥ 950 OR Diagnostic Level = 6
HITT 1305	Medical Terminology Dual	TSIA 2 is for Diagnostic Purposes. No minimum scores are required, but the student must take the ELAR test.
ARTS 1301	Art Appreciation Dual	English Language Arts and Reading: ≥ 945 AND Essay ≥ 5OR Diagnostic Level ≥ 5 AND Essay ≥ 5
HAMG 1170	Culinary Arts Dual	TSIA2 is recommended but not required
WLDG 1425/1428	Welding Dual	TSIA2 is recommended but not required
SPANISH 2311	Advanced Spanish 3 Dual	Student does not need the TSI test but must pass the NISD Assessment given by Spanish 2 teacher.

\*This is not a complete list of dual credit classes offered at Clark High School. Any course not listed in the above chart requires at least one of these classes as a prerequisite.

To be exempt from the TSI, you must score a 460 on EBRW and/or 510 on MATH on your PSAT. If you think you should be exempt, please contact Q'Layne Kelly at dlayne, kelly@nisd.net.