

Concordance of Standardized English Placement Tests with Academic Language Ability

For Graduate students at IUPUI

Academic Language Ability	Standardized English Placement Tests			
	IELTS	TOEFL Computer based	TOEFL Paper based	TOEFL Internet based (iBT)
Intensive ESL needed (NOT ELIGIBLE for admission)	< 5	< 173	< 500	< 61
Weak academic English; multiple IUPUI academic ESL courses likely (UNDERGRAD minimum admit scores in <i>bold italic</i> )	5 - 6	<b>173</b> - 210	<b>500</b> - 574	<b>62</b> - 78
Adequate basic language skills; 1-2 IUPUI academic ESL courses possible (GRAD minimum admit scores in <b>bold</b> )	<b>6</b> - 6.5	<b>213</b> - 233	<b>550</b> - 577	<b>79</b> - 91
Good basic language skills; could need 1 IUPUI academic ESL course in some cases	6.5 - 7	237 - 260	580 - 617	92 - 105
Strong basic language skills; additional ESL work highly unlikely	7+	263+	620+	106+