

Placement for Composition Courses Traditional

Upon matriculation, all traditional students will be required to complete a Writing Sample, administered under timed conditions, on a topic chosen by the Composition Faculty for the purpose of confirming placement in the appropriate Composition course.

ACT/SAT and/or AP scores will be taken into account in assigning placement, but emphasis will also be placed on the writing sample. Students may be required to take ENGC 1010 (English Composition: Basic Communication Skills), designed to equip them for written performance at a university level. Assignment to this course is a means of helping students make a successful transition into college.

International students must present a TOEFL score of 600 (paper) or 100 (Internet) to be admitted directly into the regular curriculum at King University. All International students will initially be placed in ENGC 1010 (English Composition: Basic Communication Skills) by may be moved into ENGC 1110 (Composition: Writing and Speech) based on the results of the required Writing Sample.

In order to be placed in ENGC 1180 (Honors Composition), students must be accepted into the Snider Honors Program.

Students must earn a C- or higher to progress from ENGC 1110 (English Composition: Writing and Speech) to ENGC 2010 (Research and Writing). If a student earns a D or F, the instructor and Director of Composition will determine if the student must take ENGC 1010 or repeat ENGC 1110.

Any student who earns a D or F in ENGC 1010, ENGC 1110, or ENGC 1180 must repeat the class at King University. After the D or F is earned, students may not substitute credit earned at another institution.