

# Faculty of Liberal Education

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## □ Information about Placement Test for International Students Entering in 2016

1. Objectives of Placement Test: Level placement in English, Mathematics, and Physics courses.

### 2. Students and Tested Subjects

A. Subjects: English (TEPS), Mathematics, Physics

#### B. Students

(1) English (TEPS): All freshmen

- Students without a TEPS score cannot take College English courses. Therefore, students without a valid TEPS score (acquired within 2 years from the admission date, Mar. 1, 2016) must take the TEPS Placement Test (scheduled on Feb. 16, 2016) and obtain a score. (TOEFL or TOEIC scores are not accepted.)

\* Valid TEPS scores: acquired scores from 181st TEPS (on March 9, 2014) to 210st TEPS (on January 9, 2016)

- Students who already have a valid TEPS score of 901 and above (acquired within 2 years from the admission date), and students under special treatment or with special needs are exempt from taking the TEPS Placement Test.
- A list of the exempt students will be announced at the TEPS Placement Test website (<http://snu.teps.or.kr>) at 10 am on Feb. 12 (Fri.), 2016.

(2) Mathematics: Entering students of the College of Natural Sciences, College of Engineering, College of Agriculture and Life Sciences (excluding Dept. of Agricultural Economics and Rural Development), College of Education (Mathematics or Science related), College of Veterinary Medicine (Pre-vet), College of Medicine (Pre-med), College of Liberal Studies, and the School of Dentistry's Bachelor-specialized Master Integrated course (Bachelor course).

(3) Physics: Entering students of the College of Natural Sciences, College of Engineering, College of Education (Mathematics or Science related) and all other colleges, who wish to take *Honor Physics 1, 2* courses.

### 3. Placement Test Schedule and Information

#### A. Registration

- (1) English (TEPS): Individual registration is not required (All entering students of 2016 are automatically registered).
- (2) Mathematics: Individual registration is not required (All entering students of 2016 of above-mentioned Colleges and Departments).
- (3) Physics: Individual registration is required.
  - Registration Period: Feb. 1 (Mon.) – Feb. 12 (Fri.), 2016.
  - Online Registration: Department of Physics website (<http://physics.snu.ac.kr/exam/gpa/writeform.php>)

#### B. Venue Notification and Distribution of ID Verification Slip

- (1) English (TEPS)
  - Venue: will be announced at the TEPS website (<http://snu.teps.or.kr>) at 10 am on Feb. 12, 2016.
  - ID Verification Slip: printable at TEPS website from 10 am on Feb. 12, 2016. Students must bring it on the test day.
- (2) Mathematics
  - Venue: 10:00, Feb. 12, 2016, announced at the Department of Mathematics website (<http://www.math.snu.ac.kr/taoffice/calculus/mathpretest/main.html>).
  - ID Verification Slip: 10:00, Feb. 6, 2016, printable at the Department of Mathematics website (<http://www.math.snu.ac.kr/taoffice/calculus/mathpretest/main.html>).
- (3) Physics
  - ID verification slip will not be provided. Notification will be updated at 10:00, Feb. 12, 2016, at the Department of Physics website (<http://physics.snu.ac.kr>).

#### C. Test Schedule

Index	Subjects	Date	Time	Details	Note
Placement Test for Regular Admission Students	English (TEPS)	Feb. 16th, 2016 (Tues.)	09:00–09:30 (30 mins)	Instructions, Listening, Grammar, Vocabulary, and Reading Comprehension	
	Lunch		09:30–11:50 (140 mins)		
	Math		12:00–13:00 (60 mins)	High school math + Calculus + Elementary matrix algebra	
	Physics		13:00–14:30 (90 mins)	Physics	
			15:00–16:00 (60 mins)		

#### D. Test Results Notification: 10:00, Feb. 22 (MON.), 2016

- (1) English (TEPS): TEPS website (<http://snu.teps.or.kr>)
  - Notification of the student's highest TEPS score (among scores acquired at the TEPS Placement Test and within 2 years from the admission date; taken between 181st and 210th TEPS) and College English course the student should take according to his/her highest
- (2) Math: Academic Achievement Test for Math website (<http://www.math.snu.ac.kr/taoffice/calculus/mathpretest/main.html>)
  - Based on the result of the test, students must take one of the following calculus courses :
    - ① <Honor Calculus 1>
    - ② <Calculus 1>, <Calculus for Life Science 1>, or <Differential and Integral Calculus 1> (ask your department for details)
    - ③ <Basic Calculus 1> with one of the courses in ②
    - ④ <Elementary Calculus>
- (3) Physics: Department of Physics in College of Natural Sciences website (<http://physics.snu.ac.kr>)
  - Notification of the student's eligibility to take *Honor Physics 1, 2* according to the student's test result.

#### 4. Other

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  - Department of Physics and Astronomy Office (Tel. 02-880-6587, 6588)