

Why take the WPA & Math LS?

WPA

All undergraduates must demonstrate competency in writing skills at the upper division level as a requirement for the baccalaureate degree within the CSU System. At SDSU, the **WPA** measures this competency.

Continuing students must take the WPA during the semester in which they are completing 60 units or the semester immediately following.

Transfer students must take the examination during their 1st semester at SDSU.

***Students who do not take the examination by the end of the required time frame will not be allowed to register for any courses.**

Math LS

Liberal Arts students who need to meet the **Math Placement** prerequisite for certain math and statistics classes listed in the SDSU General Catalog, need to take the **Math LS**.

Math LS meets the Math Placement prerequisite for Mathematics 311 (Statistics and Probability in Elementary Mathematics) or Mathematics 312 (Topics from Elementary Mathematics).



For payment information please contact the **Cashiers Office** at (760) 768-5514.

For registration, rescheduling, workshops and testing information, contact the **Testing Department** at (760) 768-5667.



WPA/Math LS

Sign-up Information



SDSU-IV Cashiers

Phone: (760) 768-5514
Hours: 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

How to Sign-up

Students may sign-up for the WPA or Math LS exams at the Testing Department before the test's scheduled deadlines.

The costs for each test are the following:

- **WPA - \$45.00**
- **Math LS - \$20.00**

Payments are made at the University Cashiers. Accepted payment methods are: cash, checks, cashier's checks, money orders, and debit/credit cards.

It is recommended that students register in a timely manner.

Deadlines are **STRICTLY ENFORCED** and late examinees will not be allowed to test.

***No refunds.**



WPA/Math LS Prep Workshops



To support our students, every semester the Testing Department offers free WPA/Math LS prep workshops before scheduled tests.

Workshops are open to everyone and no prior registration is required.

Study guides and other supporting documentation are also available online.

We encourage students to prepare thoroughly before the exam.

Review the testing website,

http://www.ivcampus.sdsu.edu/student_affairs/testing/

for further information.

To Reschedule

Any student registered for the mentioned exams is allowed to reschedule **ONCE** during the semester.

To reschedule, students are required to contact the **Testing Department**, at least, a **WEEK** prior to the test date.

Anyone contacting the Testing Department **LESS** than 7 days prior to the exam will be responsible for attending on the registered date.

Please keep in mind that rescheduling is allowed only for urgent matters.

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www.sa.sdsu.edu/testofc/gradwriting_reqs.htm