

NEW IBT TOEFL AND IELTS REQUIREMENTS IN EFFECT FOR SPRING 2009

Starting with spring 2009 admissions, revised IBT TOEFL and revised IELTS requirements will be applied. These changes will be applied for both undergraduate and graduate admissions.

New IBT TOEFL requirements:

IBT TOEFL	NEW REQUIREMENTS FOR UNCONDITIONAL ADMISSION	NEW REQUIREMENTS FOR PROVISIONAL ADMISSION
Total	100	84-99
Speaking	22	22
Listening	26	18-25
Reading	26	21-24
Writing	26	21-24

Students whose IBT TOEFL scores are in the provisional range must take an English exam upon their arrival on campus.

MEI REQUIRED TESTS FOR PROVISIONALLY ADMITTED STUDENTS:		
Graduate	Listening, Reading or total not met	MEIPE
	Only Writing not met	MEWT
Undergraduate	Listening, Reading or total not met	MEIPE

New IELTS requirements:

IELTS	NEW REQUIREMENTS FOR UNCONDITIONAL ADMISSION	NEW REQUIREMENTS FOR PROVISIONAL ADMISSION
Overall	7	6.5-7
Listening	7	6-7
Reading	7	6-7
Writing	7	6-7
Speaking	6.5	6-7

Students whose IELTS scores are in the provisional range must take an English exam upon their arrival on campus.

REQUIRED TESTS FOR PROVISIONAL ADMISSION:		
Graduate	Listening, Reading or total not met	MEIPE
	Only Writing not met	MEWT
Undergraduate	Listening, Reading or total not met	MEIPE

Please note you can apply to the University even if your English proficiency scores do not meet the minimum requirements. If you are admitted to the University, it will be with a provision that you will take an English proficiency exam during orientation.

Exempt from submitting English proficiency scores:

- Students who have received a degree from an institution in the U.S. do not need to submit an English proficiency exam.
- Students from: The United Kingdom, English speaking Africa, Canada and the Caribbean, Ireland, Australia and New Zealand are not required to take an English proficiency exam.
- The School of Music requires all non-native English-speaking students (including students with prior United States degrees) to submit English proficiency results.
- The School of Communication requires all non-native English-speaking students (including students with prior United States degrees) to submit English proficiency results.
- Transfer credit for an English composition course does not waive the English proficiency exam.