



Senate Bill 1720 Student Questionnaire

Date: _____

All new, current, returning, and transfer students must complete this form with an advisor.

First Name: _____ **Last Name:** _____

***Social Security Number:** _____

*In compliance with Florida Statute 119.071(5), the College will collect your social security number (SSN) for reporting and documenting testing information. Providing your SSN on this form means that you consent to the use as described. All SSNs are protected by federal regulations and will not be released to unauthorized parties. Read more about the collection of SSNs in the College Catalog.

Please check your student classification: New Current Returning Transfer

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA – Please answer the following questions to determine if you are exempt from placement testing

- 1.) Are you on Active Military Duty?
 YES: You are exempt from placement testing. Please fill out the back page.
 NO: Proceed to question #2.
- 2.) Did you start 9th grade in a Florida public high school in or after 2003?
 YES: Proceed to question #3.
 NO: You are not exempt from placement testing. Please fill out the bottom of this page.
- 3.) Did you graduate from a Florida public high school with a standard high school diploma?
 YES: You are exempt from placement testing. Please fill out the back page.
 NO: Please proceed to question #4.
- 4.) Do you anticipate graduating from a Florida public high school?
 YES: You are exempt from placement testing. Please fill out the back page.
 NO: You are not exempt from placement testing. Please fill out the bottom of this page.

If you are exempt, please proceed to the back page to complete and sign the form marked *Exempt*.

If your answers to the above questions indicate that you are not exempt, please complete the *Non-Exempt* section below.

NON-EXEMPT STUDENTS:

Students who are **NOT** exempt are required to take a common placement test to determine if they are ready for college-level courses in English and mathematics. The Postsecondary Education Readiness Test (or PERT) is used for this purpose, and the results determine the most appropriate course placement. Students who do not meet college ready scores will be required to select from among the developmental education options provided by the College.

I, _____, understand that I do not meet the exemption criteria for common placement testing and will be required to take the College's placement test (PERT). I further understand that based on the results of the placement test, I may be required to take developmental education courses in reading, writing, and/or mathematics in order to prepare for college-level course work. **I verify that the information I provided on this form is true and correct.**

STUDENT SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

PARENT SIGNATURE IF UNDER 18: _____ DATE: _____

ADVISOR SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____ CAMPUS/CENTER: _____

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EXEMPT STUDENTS:

STUDENTS WHO ARE ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY

If you are on Active Military Duty, what is your military status?

- Active duty
- Full-time training duty
- Annual duty in Coast Guard during a period of hostility
- Annual training duty and attendance while in active military status at a service school
- Active National Guard
- Reservists serving on active duty

*Please provide documentation of current active duty military status to your advisor.

Form(s) of Documentation: _____

AND/OR STUDENTS WHO ATTENDED A FLORIDA HIGH SCHOOL

Which of the following high school credentials did you earn? **Please choose ONLY one.**

- Standard High School Diploma
- GED Certificate
- Certificate of Completion

Questions Regarding Freshman Year of High School

Year you started 9th grade: _____
Name of High School where you started 9th grade:

High School Location:

City: _____ State: _____

Institution Type (check one):

Public Private

Questions Regarding Senior Year of High School

Year you graduated/will graduate: _____
Name of High School you graduated from:

High School Location:

City: _____ State: _____

Institution Type (check one):

Public Private

Exempt Students:

Pursuant to s.1008.30, F.S. and Rule 6A-10.0315, F.A.C., you are exempted from the requirements of common placement testing and developmental education. This exemption enables you to enroll in any college credit course that does not require a college-level prerequisite. You may opt to take the common placement test. Regardless of your placement test scores, you will not be required to enroll in developmental education. You may opt to enroll in developmental education to improve your skills before enrolling in college-level courses. Your advisor can provide additional information on developmental education options.

I understand that if I qualify for an exemption, but I am unsuccessful with my courses it may result in financial consequences through excess credit hour surcharge as defined under Section 1009.286, Florida Statutes. I have been provided the "Excess Credit Hour Advisory".

I, _____, have been informed by a College advisor of my options for developmental education and gateway courses. I further acknowledge that I received the opportunity to ask a College advisor questions about my course options before making my choice. **Finally, I verify that the information I provided on this form is true and correct.**

STUDENT SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

PARENT SIGNATURE IF UNDER 18: _____ DATE: _____

(Student Initials) _____ I opt to use my existing placement test scores, or I choose to take the placement test (PERT) to learn more about my current knowledge and skill levels in reading, writing, and/or math.

ADVISOR SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____ CAMPUS/CENTER: _____

For Advisor and Assessment Use Only

NON-EXEMPT: EXEMPT: if exempt, check reason: Active Duty: Meets FL HS Exemption Requirements:

PERT STATUS: – use existing PERT scores

– student opts to take the PERT placement in designated area

N/A – exempt from placement, or override existing PERT scores in designated area

MATH READING WRITING