

Frequently Ask Questions

1. **How do I know what EdReady goal key to take/use?**

Use the specific goal key for the class you are trying to get into. If you are not sure what class you should take for your major, meet with an advisor.

2. **How many times can I retake an EdReady goal key assessment?**

You may work through the lessons and retake topics and unit as many times as needed to earn a score of 90 for college level placement. Doing so may not be in your best interest if you are using VA, TA, or MyCAA education benefits, please contact MVP for more information (719-502 4100, mvp@pikespeak.edu).

3. **Do I have to pay for each EdReady key retake?**

There are no fees involved with using EdReady for placement.

4. **How long do I need to wait to retake the EdReady key assessment?**

You do not need to wait to retake the assessment, but you should spend time working through the lessons to improve your skills.

5. **What is the minimum score to pass?**

You must earn 90 to place into college level classes.

6. **Do I need to send my EdReady scores to the Testing Center?**

The Testing Center will get automatic notifications when you reach a score of 90 or higher. You do not need to send us your scores. If you score below 90 and are planning to use VA Education Benefits or Tuition Assistance to pay for college prep courses, you must send your scores directly to testing.center@pikespeak.edu from the "Student Data Export" in your EdReady account.

- Go to "My Account"
- Under "Student data export" select "Download Your Data"
- In the textbox, send a copy directly to the Testing Center: testing.center@pikespeak.edu
- The Testing Center will let you know when your scores have been entered on your student record.

7. **Can I use my EdReady scores to transfer to another college?**

No, at this time EdReady can only be used for placement at Pikes Peak State College.

Email testing.center@pikespeak.edu or call the Centennial Campus 719-502-3370 or the Rampart Range Campus 719-502-3380 if you have questions.

EdReady is a personalized, free, and self-paced learning system that is used to assess students' English and Math readiness for Pikes Peak placement. You can complete EdReady on-line from the comfort of your home.

To take advantage of this option, you will need to:

1. Go to pikespeak.edready.org and create an account.
 - Use your Pikes Peak assigned student email if you have one. If you do not have a Pikes Peak email, you should use the email you included in your Pikes Peak application.
 - Only scores from the **Pikes Peak EdReady platform** will be accepted for placement. You will know you are in the Pikes Peak platform if you see the PPSC logo.
2. Enter the Goal Key for the course you are trying to place into. See the chart below for a list of the PPSC EdReady Goal Keys.

Placement	Goal Key	Pre-Requisite Met
ENG 1021 or ENG 1031	PPSC_1021	Use this code if you are trying to register for a course with a College Reading and Writing Literacy pre-requisite
MAT 1120	PPSC_1120	
MAT 1140	PPSC_1140	
MAT 1160	PPSC_1160	
MAT 1220 or MAT 1230	PPSC_1220	
MAT 1240	PPSC_1240	Use this code if you are trying to register for a course with a College Quantitative Literacy pre-requisite
MAT 1260	PPSC_1260	
MAT 1340	PPSC_1340	Use this code if you are trying to register for a course with a MAT 0300 or College Algebraic Literacy pre-requisite
MAT 1440	PPSC_1440	Use this code to place into Pre-Calculus

As of September 2022, EdReady is approved for placement into MAT 1440. However, EdReady cannot be used to place into MAT 1420 or MAT 1400 at this time. Students may complete the Accuplacer to place into these courses. Students are encouraged to use the EdReady code PPSC_1400 to prepare for the Accuplacer

3. After adding the goal key, you will then complete the diagnostic test, work through the lessons, and retake topics and units to earn your desired score. A score of 90 is required for placement into college level courses. A score less than 90 would place you into co-req or college prep courses.
 - **Students using TA, VA, or MyCAA education benefits should take EdReady once and submit that score to the Testing Center. VA, TA, and MyCAA benefits will not pay for developmental classes (below 1000 level) if students force a score of 90+ on EdReady. Students using TA, VA, or MyCAA education benefits who earned a score of 90+, will have to pay out of pocket if they later realize they need the developmental class(es). Please contact MVP for more information (719-502-4100, mvp@pikespeak.edu).**
4. Once you have earned a 90, the Testing Center will get an automatic notification with your score report. You do not need to send us your scores. We will send you an email with placement information and with the next step to make an appointment with an Advisor and register for classes.
5. **Students using TA, VA, or MyCAA education benefits may use EdReady with a score below 90 to justify enrollment in co-requisite or prep courses. To justify enrollment in these courses, you must export your results directly to the Testing Center. To export your scores:**
 - Go to "My Account"
 - Under "Student data export" select "Download Your Data"
 - In the textbox, send a copy directly to the Testing Center: testing.center@pikespeak.edu
 - The Testing Center will let you know when your scores have been entered on your student record