



NEW College Success Foundations Course Requirement

Please read this notice carefully regarding changes in admissions requirements for students who have not yet met the score requirements to enter college-level general education courses.

College Success Foundations (CDEV 115) is a NEW 5 credit course starting spring quarter designed to help students develop behavioral skills critical for academic success. In this course students will learn about and practice personal responsibility, self-motivation, time-management, teamwork, self-awareness, emotional intelligence, self-advocacy and lifelong learning. Classes are learner-centered and highly participatory. It is highly recommended that all new students enroll in CDEV 115 to aid in program success.

Effective January 2011 any student who completes testing in 2011 and places into any of BTC's three developmental courses listed below **will be required to take CDEV 115 as a prerequisite or corequisite** for:

- Reading Skills (RDG 085)
- Fundamentals of English (ENGL 092)
- Prealgebra (MATH 090)

If students improve course placement by re-testing (one re-test per subject allowed per 12 months), placing out of RDG 085 and ENGL 092 and MATH 090, then CDEV 115 will no longer be required. Tuition charges are \$408.60 and financial aid is available for eligible students.

Please view the chart below to see the criteria for the CDEV 115 requirement.

Placement Status	CDEV 115 Required	CDEV 115 Waived
Reading Comprehension test score between 0-70	√	
Sentence Skills test score between 0-70	√	
Arithmetic test score between 0-49	√	
Placement into RDG 085 or ENGL 092 or MATH 090	√	
Currently on a program ready/wait list		√
Placement into or completion of COM 170 and MATH 100		√
Testing/placement prior to January 2011 – <u>See Notice Below</u>		√

IMPORTANT - After Fall quarter 2011, any student **REGARDLESS** of testing date who is not on a wait list or who has not placed into college-level general education must enroll in CDEV 115.

NEXT STEPS

General registration to enroll in CDEV 115 will begin February 28th. Students are encouraged to register online or in person. Registration by phone or fax is available as an alternative. For assistance, contact the Registration office via email at registration@btc.ctc.edu or call 360.752.8350. To schedule a placement re-test or to receive additional information, please call Admissions at 360.752.8345. Thank you for your continued interest in our programs!