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Texas College Is Now An Official THEA Testing Site

Texas College, Tyler, Texas, is now an official testing site for the Texas Higher Education Assessment exam, better known as the THEA exam. The THEA is a state-mandated test that provides information about the reading, writing, and math skills of students entering public and private colleges and universities. This state-wide exam is administered five to six times per year. THEA is one of many assessments used for initial testing of first-time college students. It is similar to the ACT and SAT.

The THEA test is an assessment developed specifically to evaluate the readiness of students for college-level coursework. All THEA test questions have been reviewed by committees of Texas educators to ensure content accuracy and to prevent potential bias.

Testing is mandatory and must be completed prior to enrollment in any course unless a student has been “waived” or exempted from initial testing requirements.

For more information about THEA testing, contact the Office of Academic Affairs at Texas College at (903) 593-8311, extension 2243. To find information on test dates, go to the THEA website at www.thea.nesinc.com/TA10_testdate.

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