Placement Test Validation Timelines

English Reading and Writing (Companion/Accuplacer)

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	Summer	Fall	Summer	Fall	Summer	Fall
Start Date	2011	2011	2016	2016	2021	2021
	Summer	Spring	Summer	Spring	Summer	Spring
Due Date	2011	2012	2016	2017	2021	2022
Disproportionate						
Impact	✓		✓		\checkmark	
Consequential						
Validation		\checkmark		\checkmark		✓

Math (MDTP)

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	Summer	Fall	Summer	Fall	Summer	Fall
Start Date	2011	2011	2016	2016	2021	2021
	Summer	Spring	Summer	Spring	Summer	Spring
Due Date	2011	2012	2016	2017	2021	2022
Disproportionate						
Impact	\checkmark		\checkmark		\checkmark	
Consequential						
Validation		\checkmark		✓		\checkmark

ESOL (CELSA)								
	Summer	Fall	Summer	Fall	Summer	Fall		
Start Date	2011	2011	2016	2016	2021	2021		
	Summer	Spring	Summer	Spring	Summer	Spring		
Due Date	2011	2012	2016	2017	2021	2022		
Disproportionate								
Impact	\checkmark		\checkmark		✓			
Consequential								
Validation		\checkmark		\checkmark		\checkmark		

All validation tests will be facilitated and analyzed by the District Office of Institutional Research and Planning.

The Consequential Validity tests will be conducted via an in-class survey administered to both faculty and students in the math, English and ESOL classes. The survey will ask the faculty and students opinion about the appropriacy of their placement.

The Disproportionate Impact tests will be conducted by examining the average placement rate across all ethnic groups then multiplying the average by 80% (the acceptable threshold). Groups falling below the 80% threshold indicate disproportionate impact.