



iTEP Speak Test Policy

January 2, 2023

(Avail. test dates for Su/Fall '24)

The iTEP Speak Test has been adapted to assess graduate level students' English language proficiency. This policy provides the parameters for test registration, test score results, course prerequisites, fees, and retesting.

SPEAK Test Registration

Auburn Global is requesting all Speak Test registration requests be communicated through each department's Graduate Program Officer (GPO), or designated personnel beginning **January 2, 2023**. Requests made by students within a given program will no longer be accepted.

Please include the following information when requesting a testing date via email:

- **GPO's Name or Designated Personnel's Name**
- **Department & Major**
- **Student's Banner Number**
- These requests should be forwarded to Auburn Global's English Program Supervisor, Jessica Shelton – jessica.shelton@auburnglobal.org and Cc'd to Auburn Global's Academic Director, Dr. Robert Weigel – weigerg@auburn.edu. **Student's Name**

Testing will be available to each department on two specified dates at the beginning and end of each semester. Please take note of the dates for the upcoming academic year below:

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| • <u>Spring 2024 – January</u> | <u>Summer/Fall 2024 – August</u> |
| Mon, Jan. 8 th 2-4p | Thurs, Aug. 1st 10-12p; 2-4p |
| Tues, Jan. 9 th 2-4p | Tues, Aug. 6 th 10-12p; 2-4p |
| Weds, Jan 10 th 10-12p; 2-4p | Mon, Aug. 12 th 10-12p; 2-4p |

iTEP Score Results, Course Prerequisite, and Fees

Students who do not meet **score requirements of 4.5** within



their programs will be required to enroll in **INTL 1820** for the semester at a cost of **\$500** (to be charged to the department). **Note: This is a one-time fee.**

- **INTL 1820 Course Objective/Course Prerequisite**

This course is designed for graduate level international student teaching assistants to develop skills related to effective teaching, intercultural communication within the U.S. university classroom, and oral proficiency.

Retesting

iTEP retests will no longer be administered as of January 2, 2023.