



TOEFL Score requirement if English is your second Language:

Who should take the TOEFL?

Nonnative English speakers at the 11th-grade level or above should take the TOEFL to provide evidence of their English proficiency before beginning academic work. The test content is considered too difficult for students below 11th grade.

Many institutions, including Mount Mary College report that they frequently do **not** require TOEFL test scores of certain kinds of international applicants. These include:

- nonnative speakers who hold degrees or diplomas from postsecondary institutions in English-speaking countries (e.g., the United States, Canada, England, Ireland, Australia, New Zealand)
- nonnative speakers who have successfully completed at least a two-year course of study in which English was the language of instruction
- transfer students from institutions in the United States or Canada whose academic course work was favorably evaluated in relation to its demands and duration
- nonnative speakers who have taken the TOEFL test within the past two years
- nonnative speakers who have successfully pursued academic work at schools where English was the language of instruction in an English-speaking country for a specified period, generally two years.

Time frame for Valid Scores

- TOEFL scores are valid for **two years** from the test date.
- If it has been more than two years since you last took the TOEFL test, you must take it again to have scores reported.

TOEFL offers 3 different options:

minimum score requirement for Mount Mary College

	Undergraduate prg.	Graduate programs
TOEFL CBT (Computer based test)	173	250
TOEFL PBT (Paper based test)	500	600
TOEFL iBT (Internet based test)	61	100

Mount Mary College's TOEFL code = 1490

Info about TOEFL is available on line at <http://www.ets.org>