

Date _____

Name _____

G# _____

CLASS PLACEMENT _____

Reviewer or Counselor _____

CAÑADA COLLEGE
ENGLISH GUIDED SELF-PLACEMENT QUESTIONS

1. Are you prepared to write multiple drafts of a 4 to 6 page essay within two weeks?

YES

NO

2. Could you read 50 pages between class meetings?

YES

NO

3. Do you know what a thesis statement is?

YES

NO

4. Are you familiar with and confident writing a 5-paragraph essay?

YES

NO

5. Are you experienced in completing all the stages of the writing process including:

**brainstorming or freewriting, outlining, revising multiple drafts, editing, and proofreading
your final draft of an essay?**

YES

NO

**6. Do you feel comfortable quoting, paraphrasing, and citing sources while writing
essays?**

YES

NO

7. Do you feel confident with your grammar and punctuation when writing an essay?

YES

NO

8. When you read, are you confident determining an author's argument and main ideas?

YES

NO

9. Do you feel confident paraphrasing other authors' ideas using your own vocabulary?

YES

NO

10. Do you prefer working alone rather than working with others to develop your ideas about texts and improve your writing skills?

YES

NO

11. Are you used to managing your study schedule for every class, every week?

YES

NO

12. If you don't get a passing grade on your paper, would you go to your professor's office and the Learning Center to get help re-writing?

YES

NO

12. Do you have time and a physical space to read and work on your homework?

YES

NO

13. Have you completed an English or ESL writing-based course in the last year with an A or B?

YES

NO