Are you exempt from taking the ELM?

All entering undergraduates must take the ELM exam before enrolling in a course that satisfies the college-level mathematics requirement of the General Education-Breadth program. Exemptions from the test are given only to those students who can present proof of one of the following:

- A score of “Ready for California State University (CSU) or participating California Community College (CCC) college-level mathematics courses” on the CSU Early Assessment Program (EAP), taken in grade 11 in conjunction with the California Standards Test (CST) in Summative High School Mathematics or Algebra II

- A score of “Ready for CSU or participating CCC college-level mathematics courses - Conditional” on the CSU EAP taken in grade 11 along with the California Standards Test in Summative High School Mathematics or Algebra II, provided successful completion of a CSU-approved grade 12 math course that requires Algebra II as a prerequisite

- A score of 550 or above on the mathematics section of the College Board SAT Reasoning Test

- A score of 550 or above on a College Board SAT Subject Test in Mathematics (level 1 or level 2)

- A score of 23 or above on the ACT Mathematics Test

- A score of 3 or above on the College Board Advanced Placement (AP) Calculus AB or Calculus BC exam

- A score of 3 or above on the College Board AP Statistics examination

- Completion and transfer to CSU of a college course that satisfies the requirement in Quantitative Reasoning, provided such a course was completed with a grade of C or better