

Subject: Updated Guidance on English Language Proficiency for L&S TAs

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TO: L&S Department Chairs, Directors, and Administrators; L&S Graduate Coordinators

ACTIONS REQUESTED: Review the new [KB article](#) on spoken English proficiency for TAs

Dear colleagues,

We have recently updated the KB related to English language proficiency and the SPEAK test. Important updates include:

- Guidelines for who is required to demonstrate proficiency
- Clarification of departmental responsibilities
- Clear next steps for students who do not demonstrate proficiency

Please thoroughly [review the KB](#), and reach out to me if you have any questions.

Thank you,
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