

Placement Test Fact Sheet

If you need special accommodations to take the placement test, please contact the Access Center (AC) at 773-481-8015 or by emailing Sophie Levandoski, at slevandoski@ccc.edu to schedule an intake session before you take your placement test(s).

If you have any specific testing questions, please contact Ivan Urbano, at iurbano2@ccc.edu

ALEKS Math Placement Test

- You may take the Math placement test up to 5 times.
- Your first attempt can be completed off-campus on a desktop or laptop using the portal.
- Do not use a tablet or phone to take the placement test.
- You must complete 3 hours of prep and learning between each attempt.

Note: The first attempt of the ALEKS Math exam and the 3-hour prep and learning modules do not have to be completed in one sitting. You may take break and go back to where you left off.

- A placement test waiver can be issued if you have the following score on either your individual ACT/SAT or AP Math exams:
 - ACT: 21 or higher within the last 4 years
 - SAT: 530 or higher within the last 4 years
 - AP: 3 or higher on AP college level Math exam

English Placement Test

- You only have one attempt per year.
- Scores are valid for two years.
- A placement test waiver can be placed if you have the following score on either your individual ACT/SAT or AP English exams:
 - ACT: 21 or higher within the last 4 years
 - SAT: 540 or higher within the last 4 year
 - AP: 3 or higher on AP English and Composition exam

Note: Students who score between 480 or above on the SAT but under 540 or a 19-20 on the ACT English exam will be required to take the English placement test as part of the enrollment process.

Documentation to satisfy a placement test waiver should be sent to wradmissions@ccc.edu. For additional questions regarding the placement test, please contact the Testing Office by calling at (773) 481-8304