

CBC Math Placement Results Guide

DIRECTED SELF-PLACEMENT (DIRPLA) - Valid for 24 months from test date			
SCORE	PLACEMENT	TEST ID	TEST COMPONENT
01	ABE 52: Math Level 2*	WA190	190DM
11	MATH 108: Math for Early Childhood Ed, MATH 50: Quant Lit, or lower	WA190	190DM
21	MATH& 146: Intro to Stats, MATH& 107: Math in Society, MATH 60: Alg I, MATH 62: Alg I Supp, MATH 106: Bus Math, or lower	WA190	190DM
31	MATH 70: Alg II, MATH 72: Alg II Supp, or lower	WA190	190DM
46	MATH& 141: Pre-Calc I, MATH& 171: Math for Elem Ed, MATH& 148: Bus Calc, MATH 147: Finite Math, MATH 113: Geom/Trig, or lower	WA190	190DM
56	MATH& 144: Pre-Calc I & II, MATH& 142: Pre-Calc II, or lower	WA190	190DM
70	MATH& 151: Calc I or lower	WA190	190DM
COMPREHENSIVE ADULT STUDENT ASSESSMENT SYSTEMS (CASAS) - Valid for 12 months from test date			
SCORE	PLACEMENT	TEST ID	TEST COMPONENT
01	ABE 52*	WA190	190TM
02	MATH 72, MATH 70, or lower	WA190	190TM
HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT (HSGPA)** - Accepted up to 2 years post-graduation - Valid for 60 months post-graduation			
SCORE	PLACEMENT	TEST ID	TEST COMPONENT
1	ABE 52*	WA190	190HM
11	MATH 108, MATH 50 or lower	WA190	190HM
21	MATH& 146, MATH& 107 MATH 60, MATH 62, MATH 106, or lower	WA190	190HM
31	MATH 70, MATH 72, or lower	WA190	190HM
46	MATH& 141, MATH& 171, MATH& 148, MATH 147, MATH 113, or lower	WA190	190HM
56	MATH& 144, MATH& 142 or lower	WA190	190HM
70	MATH& 151 or lower	WA190	190HM
RECIPROCITY - Placement scores from another Washington community or technical college within the past 12 months - Valid for 24 months from test date			
SCORE	PLACEMENT	TEST ID	TEST COMPONENT
1-70	Scores will align with high school transcripts, DSP, and ALEKS course placement.	WA190	190RM
SMARTER BALANCED ASSESSMENT (SBA) - Grades 10 & 11 eligible - Valid for 24 months from test date			
SCORE	PLACEMENT	TEST ID	TEST COMPONENT
01	MATH& 146, MATH& 107 MATH 106, or MATH 108	SBA	SBAMP
02	MATH& 141, MATH& 171, MATH 147, MATH 113, or those indicated on the line above.	SBA	SBAMP
BRIDGE TO COLLEGE (BTC) - Valid for 24 months from course completion			
SCORE	PLACEMENT	TEST ID	TEST COMPONENT
22	MATH& 146, MATH& 107, MATH 106, or MATH 108 (NO calculus or STEM pathway)	WA190	190BM
ALEKS - Valid for 24 months from test date			
SCORE	PLACEMENT	TEST ID	TEST COMPONENT
1-10	ABE 52*	ALEKS	BASMT
11-20	MATH 108, MATH 50 or lower	ALEKS	BASMT
21-30	MATH& 146, MATH& 107 MATH 60, MATH 62, MATH 106, or lower	ALEKS	ALGB
31-45	MATH 70, MATH 72, or lower	ALEKS	ALGB
46-55	MATH& 141, MATH& 171, MATH& 148, MATH 147, MATH 113, or lower	ALEKS	PCAL
56-69	MATH& 144, MATH& 142 or lower	ALEKS	PCAL
70-100	MATH& 151 or lower	ALEKS	CAL
ACT - Grades 10 & 11 eligible - Valid for 24 months from test date			
SCORE	PLACEMENT	TEST ID	TEST COMPONENT
19-21	MATH& 146 or MATH& 107	ACT	MATH
22-23	up to MATH& 141	ACT	MATH
24-25	up to MATH& 142	ACT	MATH
26-36	up to MATH& 151	ACT	MATH
SAT - Grades 10 & 11 eligible - Valid for 24 months from test date			
SCORE	PLACEMENT	TEST ID	TEST COMPONENT
520-530	MATH& 146 or MATH& 107	SAT	SATM
540-560	up to MATH& 141	SAT	SATM
570-600	up to MATH& 142	SAT	SATM
610-800	up to MATH& 151	SAT	SATM
GED (2014 Version) - Valid for 24 months from test date			
SCORE	PLACEMENT	TEST ID	TEST COMPONENT
≥145	MATH& 146 or MATH& 107	GED	MATH
≥165	MATH& 141 or any listed on the line above	GED	MATH

*Students placing into ABE 52 must complete an additional CASAS assessment to determine final placement and classroom support. To finalize placement and continue the Getting Started steps, contact Transitional Studies now at 509-542-4701 or transitionalstudies@columbiabasin.edu to schedule your CASAS test.

**Second term grades required for placement. Students who graduated from a Washington State high school within the past two years and earned at least 21 credits may place using a cumulative GPA of ≥3.0.

ALEKS: Students with current math placement can retake ALEKS in person to improve results. Call 509-542-4860 or email testingcenter@columbiabasin.edu to sign up. Prepare at ALEKS.com.

CBC English & Reading Placement Results Guide

DIRECTED SELF-PLACEMENT (DIRPLA) ENGLISH - Valid for 24 months			
SCORE	PLACEMENT	TEST ID	TEST COMPONENT
01	ABE 62: ABE English Level 2 (English Language Arts) *	WA190	190DE
03	ENGL& 101: English Composition I plus ABE 90**	WA190	190DE
04	ENGL& 101: English Composition I	WA190	190DE
DIRECTED SELF-PLACEMENT (DIRPLA) READING - Valid for 24 months			
SCORE	PLACEMENT	TEST ID	TEST COMPONENT
01-05	RDG 091: Reading Skills	WA190	190DR
06-11	RDG 099: College Reading Skills	WA190	190DR
12-20	Reading considered at College Level; no course required.	WA190	190DR
COMPREHENSIVE ADULT STUDENT ASSESSMENT SYSTEMS (CASAS) ENGLISH - Valid for 24 months from test date			
SCORE	PLACEMENT	TEST ID	TEST COMPONENT
03	ABE ENGL& 101 IBEST: English Composition I plus ABE 90**	WA190	190TE
RECIPROCITY ENGLISH - Placement scores from another Washington community or technical college within the past 12 months - Valid for 24 months from test date			
SCORE	PLACEMENT	TEST ID	TEST COMPONENT
01-04	Scores will align with DSP course placement.	WA190	190RE
RECIPROCITY READING - Placement scores from another Washington community or technical college within the past 12 months - Valid for 24 months from test date			
SCORE	PLACEMENT	TEST ID	TEST COMPONENT
01-20	Scores will align with DSP course placement.	WA190	190RR
SMARTER BALANCED ASSESSMENT (SBA) ENGLISH - Grades 10 & 11 eligible - Valid for 39 months from test date			
SCORE	PLACEMENT	TEST ID	TEST COMPONENT
3-4	ENGL& 101: English Composition I	SBA	SBAEP
SMARTER BALANCED ASSESSMENT (SBA) READING – Grades 10 & 11 eligible – Valid for 39 months from test date			
SCORE	PLACEMENT	TEST ID	TEST COMPONENT
3-4	Reading considered at College Level; no course required.	WA190	190SR
BRIDGE TO COLLEGE (BTC) ENGLISH - Valid for 24 months from course completion			
SCORE	PLACEMENT	TEST ID	TEST COMPONENT
11	ENGL& 101: English Composition I	WA190	190BE
BRIDGE TO COLLEGE (BTC) READING - Valid for 24 months from course completion			
SCORE	PLACEMENT	TEST ID	TEST COMPONENT
11	Reading considered at College Level; no course required.	WA190	190BR

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**Placement is considered college level, however, does NOT satisfy college level placement for Running Start eligibility.

AP SCORES: Equivalency scores may be found at columbiabasin.edu/ACPL.

For more information about the assessment, retake eligibility, and expiration policies, visit [Placement Options](#).

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