

Columbia Basin College Placement Results Guide

Math

DIRECTED SELF-PLACEMENT (DIRPLA) <i>Valid for 12 months</i>		WA190-190DM
01	ABE 040: Pre-Algebra ⁺	
11	MATH 062: Algebra I Supported, MATH 050: Quantitative Literacy, MATH 100: Algebraic Tools for Vocational Apps*, or lower	
21	MATH 060: Algebra I, MATH 062, MATH 050, or lower	
31	MATH 072: Algebra II Supported, MATH 070: Algebra II, or lower	
46	MATH 106: Business Math, MATH 108: Math for Early Childhood Education, MATH& 107: Math in Society, MATH 113: Geometry/Trigonometry, MATH& 141: Pre-Calculus I, MATH& 146: Introduction to Statistics, MATH 147: Finite Math, MATH& 148: Business Calculus, MATH& 171: Math for Elementary Education, or lower	
56	up to MATH& 142: Pre-Calculus II	
70	up to MATH& 151: Calculus I	

COMPREHENSIVE ADULT STUDENT ASSESSMENT SYSTEMS (CASAS) <i>Valid for 12 months</i>		WA190-190TM
01	ABE 040 ⁺	
02	MATH 072, MATH 070, or lower	

HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT (HSGPA) <i>Valid for 39 months</i>		WA190-190HM
1	ABE 040 ⁺ ¹	
11	MATH 062, MATH 050, or lower ²	
21	MATH 060, MATH 062, MATH 050, or lower ³	
31	MATH 072, MATH 070, or lower ⁴	
46	up to MATH& 171 ⁵	
56	up to MATH& 142 ⁶	
70	up to MATH& 151 ⁷	

SMARTER BALANCED ASSESSMENT (SBA) <i>Valid for 39 months</i>		WA190-190SA/SC
5	MATH 100*, MATH 106, MATH 108, MATH& 107, or MATH& 146	
6	MATH 113, MATH& 141, MATH 147, MATH& 171, or those indicated on the line above.	

BRIDGE TO COLLEGE (BTC) <i>Valid for 12 months</i>		WA190-190BM
22	MATH 100*, MATH 106, MATH 108, MATH& 107, or MATH& 146 (NO calculus or STEM pathway)	

ALEKS <i>Valid for 12 months</i>	
1-12	ABE 040 ⁺
13-21	MATH 062, MATH 050, MATH 100*, or lower
22-30	MATH 060, MATH 062, MATH 050, MATH 100*, or lower
31-38	MATH 072, MATH 062, MATH 050, MATH 100*, or lower
39-45	MATH 070, MATH 072, MATH 062, MATH 050, MATH 100*, or lower
46-55	up to MATH& 171
56-69	up to MATH& 142
70-100	up to MATH& 151

ACT <i>Valid for 39 months</i>	
≥22	MATH& 107, MATH& 146, or MATH 147

SAT <i>Valid for 39 months.</i>		SATM
≥520	MATH& 107, MATH& 146, or MATH 147	
≥580	MATH& 141 or those indicated on the line above.	

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

+ Students placing into Pre-Algebra are required to complete an additional assessment for final placement. The Comprehensive Adult Student Assessment Systems (CASAS) test determines additional classroom support. To finalize placement and continue with the Getting Started steps, contact Transitional Studies **now** at 509-542-4701 or transitionalstudies@columbiabasin.edu and schedule your CASAS test.

ALEKS: Students with a current math placement may take the ALEKS test in-person to increase their placement results. To join a session, call 509-542-4860 or email testingcenter@columbiabasin.edu. To learn more about the test and access study materials, visit ALEKS.com.

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Cum GPA of 2.2 or below 2. Cum GPA of 2.2 or below & any grade in Intermediate Algebra 3. Cum GPA of 2.3 or higher & a grade less than "C" (2.0) in Geometry 4. Cum GPA of 2.3 or higher & a grade of "C" (2.0) or higher in Geometry
OR Cum GPA of 2.3 or higher & any grade in Intermediate Algebra | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 5. Cum GPA of 3.0 or higher & a grade of "C" (2.0) or higher in Intermediate Algebra
OR Cum GPA of 2.3 or higher & a grade of "C" (2.0) or higher in Pre-Calculus 6. Cum GPA of 3.0 or higher & a grade of "C" (2.0) or higher in Pre-Calculus 7. Cum GPA of 3.0 or higher & a grade of "C" (2.0) or higher in Calculus AB and/or BC |
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English & Reading

DIRECTED SELF-PLACEMENT ENGLISH <i>Valid for 24 months</i>		WA190-190DE
01	ENGL: Intermediate English Language Acquisition (ELA) ⁺	
03	ENGL& 101: English Composition I plus ABE 90*	
04	ENGL& 101: English Composition I	
DIRECTED SELF-PLACEMENT READING <i>Valid for 24 months</i>		WA190-190DR
01-05	RDG 091: Reading Skills	
06-11	RDG 099: College Reading Skills	
12-20	Reading considered at College Level; no course required.	

COMPREHENSIVE ADULT STUDENT ASSESSMENT SYSTEMS (CASAS) ENGLISH <i>Valid for 24 months</i>		WA190-190TE
03	ABE ENGL& 101 IBEST: English Composition I plus ABE 90*	

SMARTER BALANCED ASSESSMENT (SBA) ENGLISH <i>Valid for 39 months</i>		SBAEP
3-4	ENGL& 101: English Composition I	
SMARTER BALANCED ASSESSMENT (SBA) READING <i>Valid for 39 months</i>		WA190- 190SR
3-4	Reading considered at College Level; no course required.	

BRIDGE TO COLLEGE (BTC) ENGLISH <i>Valid for 12 months</i>		WA190-190BE
11	ENGL& 101: English Composition I	
BRIDGE TO COLLEGE (BTC) READING <i>Valid for 12 months</i>		WA190-190BR
11	Reading considered at College Level; no course required.	

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+ Students placing into Intermediate ELA are required to complete an additional assessment for final placement. The Comprehensive Adult Student Assessment Systems (CASAS) test determines additional classroom support. To finalize placement and continue with the Getting Started steps, contact Transitional Studies **now** at 509-542-4701 or transitionalstudies@columbiabasin.edu and schedule your CASAS test.

RUNNING START REQUIREMENTS: Students must place into college-level reading, English (ENGL& 101) or math to qualify.

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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