

# CBC Placement Results Guide

TEST ID	COMPONENT	DESCRIPTION	SCORE	PLACEMENT RESULTS
<b>ALEKS</b> – Test date: First day of the month in which the student tested. Valid for 12 months.				
ALEKS	BALG	BEGINNING ALGEBRA	1-12	MATH 040: Pre-Algebra or MATH 100: Algebraic Tools for Vocational Apps* ( <i>requires dual enrollment in MATH 048</i> )
	ALGB	ALGEBRA	13-21	MATH 062: Algebra I Supported, MATH 050: Quantitative Literacy, MATH 100*, <b>or lower</b>
			22-30	MATH 060: Algebra I, MATH 062, MATH 050, MATH 100*, <b>or lower</b>
			31-38	MATH 072: Algebra II Supported, MATH 062, MATH 050, MATH 100*, <b>or lower</b>
			39-45	MATH 070: Algebra II, MATH 072, MATH 062, MATH 050, MATH 100*, <b>or lower</b>
	BASMT	BASIC MATH	46-55	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, <b>or lower</b>
	PCAL	PRE-CALCULUS	56-69	<b>up to MATH&amp; 142:</b> Pre-Calculus II
CAL	CALCULUS	70-100	<b>up to MATH&amp; 151:</b> Calculus I	
<b>HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT (HSGPA)</b> – Test date: First day of APRIL of Junior (11 <sup>th</sup> ) year. Valid for 39 months.				
WA190	190HM	HIGH SCHOOL MATH TRANSCRIPT	1	MATH 040: Pre-Algebra <sup>1</sup>
			11	MATH 062: Algebra I Supported, MATH 050: Quantitative Literacy, <b>or lower</b> <sup>2</sup>
			21	MATH 060: Algebra I, MATH 062, MATH 050, <b>or lower</b> <sup>3</sup>
			31	MATH 072: Algebra II Supported, MATH 070: Algebra II, <b>or lower</b> <sup>4</sup>
			46	<b>up to MATH&amp; 171:</b> Math for Elementary Education <sup>5</sup>
			56	<b>up to MATH&amp; 142:</b> Pre-Calculus II <sup>6</sup>
			70	<b>up to MATH&amp; 151:</b> Calculus I <sup>7</sup>
<b>DIRECTED SELF-PLACEMENT ENGLISH/READING</b> – Test date: First day of the month in which the student tested. Valid for 24 months.				
WA190	190DE	DIRPLA ENGLISH	01	ENGL 091: Grammar Skills
			02	ENGL 098: Writing Prep I
			03	ENGL 099: Writing Prep II
			04	ENGL& 101: English Composition I
	190DR	DIRPLA READING	01-05	RDG 091: Reading Skills
			06-11	RDG 099: College Reading Skills
			12-20	Reading considered at College Level, no course required.
<b>DIRECTED SELF-PLACEMENT MATH</b> – Test date: First day of the month in which the student tested. Valid for 12 months.				
WA190	190DM	DIRPLA MATH	01	MATH 040: Pre-Algebra
			11	MATH 062: Algebra I Supported, MATH 050: Quantitative Literacy, <b>or lower</b>
			21	MATH 060: Algebra I, MATH 062, MATH 050, <b>or lower</b>
			31	MATH 072: Algebra II Supported, MATH 070: Algebra II, <b>or lower</b>
			46	<b>up to MATH&amp; 171:</b> Math for Elementary Education
			56	<b>up to MATH&amp; 142:</b> Pre-Calculus II
			70	<b>up to MATH&amp; 151:</b> Calculus I

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

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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<b>SMARTER BALANCED ASSESSMENT (SBA)</b> – Test date: First day of the month in which the student tested. Valid for 39 months.					
SBA	SBAEP	ENGL PLCMT	3-4	ENGL& 101: English Composition I	
WA190	190SR	READING PLCMT	3-4	Reading considered at College Level, no course required.	
	190SA	SBA 3-4 & HS ALG B≥	5	MATH 100: Algebraic Tools for Voc. Apps*, MATH 106: Business Math, MATH 108: Math for Early Childhood Education, MATH& 107: Math in Society, <b>or</b> MATH& 146: Intro to Statistics	
	190SC	SBA 3-4 & HS CALC B≥	6	MATH 113: Geometry/Trigonometry, MATH& 141: Pre-Calculus I, MATH 147: Finite Math, MATH& 171: Math for Elementary Education, <b>or</b> those indicated on the line above.	
<b>BRIDGE TO COLLEGE (BTC)</b> – Test date: First day of JUNE or JANUARY of Senior (12 <sup>th</sup> ) year. Valid for 12 months.					
WA190	190BE	COLL LVL ENG PL	11	ENGL& 101: English Composition I	
	190BR	COLL LVL READ PL	11	Reading considered at College Level, no course required.	
	190BM	COLL LVL MATH PL	22	MATH 100: Algebraic Tools for Voc. Apps*, MATH 106: Business Math, MATH 108: Math for Early Childhood Education, MATH& 107: Math in Society, <b>or</b> MATH& 146: Intro to Statistics (NO calculus or STEM pathway)	
<b>STANDARIZED TESTS</b> – Test date: First day of the month in which the student tested. Valid for 39 months.					
ACT	MATH	MATH	≥22	MATH& 107: Math in Society, MATH& 146: Intro to Statistics, <b>or</b> MATH 147: Finite Math	
SAT	SATM	MATHEMATICS	≥520	MATH& 107: Math in Society, MATH& 146: Intro to Statistics, <b>or</b> MATH 147: Finite Math	
			≥580	MATH& 141: Pre-Calculus I <b>or</b> those indicated on the line above.	
<b>ACCUPLACER</b> – Test date: First day of the month in which the student tested. Valid for 24 months. English placement is determined by the combination of essay & reading scores.					
R E T I R E D	ACPLC	ESSAY	WRITEPLACER	SEE →	Essay: 1-8 and Reading: 200-219 → Minimum reading score of 220 required for placement.
					Essay: 1-2 and Reading: 220-249 → ENGL 091: Grammar Skills
					Essay: 3-4 and Reading: 220-249 → ENGL 098: Writing Prep I
					Essay: 5-8 and Reading: 237-249 <b>OR</b> Essay: 4 and Reading: 250-300 → ENGL 099: Writing Prep II
					Essay: 5-8 and Reading: 250-300 → ENGL& 101: English Composition I
	NGREA	NEXT-GENERATION READING	200-219	Minimum reading score of 220 required for placement.	
			220-236	RDG 091: Reading Skills	
			237-249	RDG 099: College Reading Skills	
			250-300	Reading considered at College Level, no course required.	

\* Scores are considered at college level, however, do NOT satisfy college level math for Running Start eligibility.

**AP SCORES:** Equivalency scores may be found at [columbiabasin.edu/ACPL](http://columbiabasin.edu/ACPL). **RUNNING START REQUIREMENTS:** Students must place into college-level reading, English, or math to qualify.

**DIRECTED SELF-PLACEMENT:** Available for traditional and Running Start students, this placement option is a free and simple self-assessment that can be completed online anytime, anywhere, to help determine which math, reading and English courses you can enroll in. For more information about the assessment, retake eligibility, and expiration policies, visit [Placement Options](#).

**ALEKS:** Students with a current math placement may take the ALEKS test in-person to increase their placement results. ALEKS sessions are available on the Pasco campus by appointment only. To join a session, call 509-542-4860 or email [testingcenter@columbiabasin.edu](mailto:testingcenter@columbiabasin.edu). To learn more about the test and access study materials, visit [ALEKS.com](http://ALEKS.com).

**ALEKS PREP & LEARNING MODULE:** After receiving your first placement, access your customized learning module by logging into [ALEKS.com](http://ALEKS.com). You will have one year, which begins when you click “start”, to practice in your Prep & Learning Module. Login at [ALEKS.com](http://ALEKS.com) using the login generated for you at the top of your score report and the password you created. Click on your current cohort name in the blue box. Do not push “add class code”. Once on your dashboard, click the button noted with a light bulb that say “Knowledge Check”.

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