**Placement Guide for English and Math**

SLCC uses the highest scores within the last 5 years.

1. **Select your test.**
2. **Find your score.**
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Use your highest placement:

- **ENGLISH:**
  - Writing: 200 to 224: ENGL 0083
  - Writing: 225 to 249: ENGL 0083 OR ENGL 1010 and ENGL 0093
  - Writing: 250 +: ENGL 1010

- **Math:**
  - Algebra QAS: 200 to 249: MATH 0083
  - Algebra QAS: 250 to 262: MATH 0083 OR MATH 1105 and MATH 0093
  - Algebra QAS: 263 +: MATH 1105 OR MATH 2020 (choose 1 based on degree plan)
  - Adv Algebra AAF: 200 to 249: MATH 0083 OR MATH 1105 and MATH 0093
  - Adv Algebra AAF: 250 +: MATH 1105 OR MATH 2020 (choose 1 based on degree plan)
  - Adv Algebra AAF: 276 +: **MATH 1110** (Eligible for MATH 1105 credit; see note below.)

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- **ENGLISH:**
  - Sentence Skills: 20 to 59: ENGL 0083
  - Sentence Skills: 60 to 85: ENGL 0083 OR ENGL 1010 and ENGL 0093
  - Sentence Skills: 86 +: **ENGL 1010** (Eligible for ENGL 1010 credit; see note below.)
  - Sentence Skills: 118 +: **ENGL 1020** (Eligible for ENGL 1010 credit; see note below.)

- **Math:**
  - Elementary Algebra: 20 to 64: **MATH 0083** (Eligible for MATH 1105 credit; see note below.)
  - Elementary Algebra: 65 +: **MATH 0083** OR MATH 1105 and MATH 0093
  - College-level Math: 20 to 44: **MATH 0083** OR MATH 1105 and MATH 0093
  - College-level Math: 45 +: **MATH 1105** OR MATH 2020 (choose 1 based on degree plan)
  - College-level Math: 99 +: **MATH 1110** (Eligible for MATH 1105 credit; see note below.)

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- **ENGLISH:**
  - English: 1 to 14: ENGL 0083
  - English: 15 to 17: ENGL 0083 OR ENGL 1010 and ENGL 0093
  - English: 18 +: **ENGL 1010** (Eligible for ENGL 1010 credit; see note below.)

- **Math:**
  - Math: 1 to 17: **MATH 0083** (Eligible for MATH 1105 credit; see note below.)
  - Math: 18: **MATH 0083** OR MATH 1105 and MATH 0093
  - Math: 19 +: **MATH 1105** OR MATH 2020 (choose 1 based on degree plan)
  - Math: 25 +: **MATH 1110** or higher (Eligible for MATH 1105 credit; see note below.)
  - Math: 28 +: **MATH 2210** (Eligible for MATH 1105 & MATH 1110 credit; see note below.)

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- **ENGLISH:**
  - Evidence-based Read/Writ: 200 to 390: ENGL 0083
  - Evidence-based Read/Writ: 400 to 420: ENGL 0083 OR ENGL 1010 and ENGL 0093
  - Evidence-based Read/Writ: 430 +: **ENGL 1010**
  - Writing: 200 to 390: ENGL 0083
  - Writing: 400 to 420: ENGL 0083 OR ENGL 1010 and ENGL 0093
  - Writing: 430 +: **ENGL 1010**

- **Math:**
  - Mathematics: 200 to 420: **MATH 0083**
  - Mathematics: 430 to 490: **MATH 0083** OR MATH 1105 and MATH 0093
  - Mathematics: 500 +: **MATH 1105** OR MATH 2020 (choose 1 based on degree plan)
  - Mathematics: 630 +: **MATH 1110** or higher (Eligible for MATH 1105 credit; see note below.)
  - Mathematics: 630 +: **MATH 2210** (Eligible for MATH 1105 & MATH 1110 credit; see note below.)

**Contact registrar@solacc.edu for procedures to earn “S” credit in lower-level courses, if applicable.**

All placement scores are subject to change without notice. (Updated: 02/12/2020)
Why Do I Need Placement Scores?
Scores provide information about your math and writing skills, as well as identify the courses that are most appropriate for you.

Is Anyone Exempt from Placement Testing?
You may be exempt if you meet one of the following conditions. Submit an official transcript to the SLCC registrar’s office.
- You are pursuing a technical diploma. *(No official transcript required for this exemption.)*
- You completed the highest level remedial English and math courses at an accredited US college or university.
- You completed college-level courses equivalent to SLCC’s ENGL 1010 and MATH 1105 with minimum grades of C.
- You earned an associate degree or higher from an accredited US college or university.

How Do I Practice for the Placement Test Before Taking It?
You should prepare for the ACCUPLACER by reviewing the following websites:
- accuplacer.collegeboard.org/student/practice
- www.purplemath.com
- www.studyguidezone.com/accuplacertest.htm
- www.testprepreview.com

Can I Retake the Test?
If you are not satisfied with your ACCUPLACER scores, you can retest according to SLCC’s testing guidelines. Practicing for the test increases the likelihood of improving your scores.
- After your first attempt, we recommend you practice again and retest in 7 days.
- After your second attempt, we recommend you take more practice time using the links above.
- After your third attempt, you should register for the course indicated by your highest scores.

How Long Are My Scores Valid?
Your test scores are valid for five years for placement in SLCC courses.

What Do My Scores Mean?
Use your highest scores on SLCC’s placement guide to determine your first English and math classes. Here’s a summary:

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<td>MATH 1105</td>
<td>This college-level math course covers concepts such as equations and inequalities, functions, and number systems.</td>
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Need More Information on Placement Tests at SLCC?
For ACCUPLACER testing hours, locations, and study resources, visit splacc.edu/students/testing.

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