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ACT	ENGLISH	English: 1 to 14 English: 15 to 17 English: 18 +	ENGL 0083 OR ENGL 1010 and ENGL 0093 ENGL 1010		
		English: 28+	**ENGL 1020 (Eligible for ENGL 1010 credit; see note below)		
	MATH	Math: 1 to 17	MATH 0083		
		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.)		

ACCUPLACER	ENGLISH	Writing: 200 to 224	ENGL 0083
		Writing: 225 to 249	ENGL 0083 OR ENGL 1010 and ENGL 0093
NG		Writing: 250 +	ENGL 1010
Next Generation			
Next Generation	MATH	Algebra QAS: 200 to 249	MATH 0083
	Use your	Algebra QAS: 250 to 262	MATH 0083 OR MATH 1105 and MATH 0093
	highest	Algebra QAS: 263 +	MATH 1105 OR MATH 2020 (choose 1 based on degree plan)
	placement	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.)

SAT	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		
		Writing: 640+	**ENGL 1020 (Eligible for ENGL 1010 credit; see note below)		
	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.





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ACCUPLACER Classic Version	ENGLISH	Sentence Skills: 20 to 59 Sentence Skills: 60 to 85 Sentence Skills: 86 + Sentence Skills: 118 +	ENGL 0083 ENGL 0083 OR ENGL 1010 and ENGL 0093 ENGL 1010 ** ENGL 1020 (Eligible for ENGL 1010 credit; see note below.)
	МАТН	Elementary Algebra: 20 to 64 Elementary Algebra: 65 + College-level Math: 20 to 44 College-level Math: 45 + College-level Math: 99 +	MATH 0083 MATH 0083 OR MATH 1105 and MATH 0093 MATH 0083 OR MATH 1105 and MATH 0093 MATH 1105 OR MATH 2020 (choose 1 based on degree plan) ** MATH 1110 (Eligible for MATH 1105 credit; see note below.)

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All placement scores are subject to change without notice. (Updated: 02/23/2021)

COMPASS	ENGLISH	Writing: 1 to 59	ENGL 0083		
		Writing: 60 to 67	ENGL 0083	OR	ENGL 1010 and ENGL 0093
		Writing: 68 +	ENGL 1010		
	MATH	Algebra: 1 to 30	MATH 0083		
		Algebra: 31 to 39	MATH 0083	OR	MATH 1105 and MATH 0093
		Algebra: 40 +	MATH 1105	OR	MATH 2020
		Pre-algebra: 1 to 26	MATH 0083		
		Pre-algebra: 27 to 63	MATH 0083	OR	MATH 1105 and MATH 0093
		Pre-algebra: 64 +	MATH 1105	OR	MATH 2020

ACT, Inc. discontinued the Compass on 12/31/2016.

According to SLCC placement score guidelines, these test scores will expire after five years.

The last date Compass scores can be used for SLCC course placement is 12/31/2021.

This resource will be inactive beginning on 01/01/2022.



O 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.

O 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 admissions 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.

O Can I review the topics covered in each course to better understand what to expect?

- ENGL 0083. Master Syllabus
- ENGL 0093/ENGL 1010. Course Content
- ENGL 1010. Master Syllabus

- MATH 0083. Master Syllabus
- MATH 0093/MATH 1105. Course Content
- MATH 1105. Master Syllabus
- MATH 2020. Master Syllabus

O 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
- <u>www.purplemath.com</u>

- www.studyguidezone.com/accuplacertest.htm
- www.testprepreview.com

O 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.

O How long are my scores valid?

Test scores are valid for five years for placement in SLCC courses.

Need more information on placement tests at SLCC?

For ACCUPLACER testing hours, locations, and study resources, visit solacc.edu/students/testing.



I was placed into ENGL 1010 and ENGL 0093 or MATH 1105 and MATH 0093. What does this mean?

ENGLISH

What does it mean that I was placed in ENGL 1010 and ENGL 0093 together?

Our ENGL 1010 and ENGL 0093 classes are part of our collaborative learning program (CLP). Placement allows qualified students to enroll in composition (ENGL 1010) while also taking a support course (ENGL 0093) for assistance with composition.

What are the benefits of taking my remedial and college-level courses together?

CLP allows you to complete your remedial class and your college-level class in just one semester. This reduces your time toward graduation. Research shows that students in the program do better in college, as well as in next level English classes.

Isn't taking two English classes at the same time lots of work?

While you are registered for 2 classes (6 credits), ENGL 1010 is your main focus. ENGL 0093 provides you support to complete the assignments in ENGL 1010. Here are examples of the support course:

- answering questions left over from the 1010 class
- reviewing drafts of essays for the 1010 class
- brainstorming ideas
- working on grammar and punctuation
- discussing how to succeed as a college student
- discussing issues interfering with your progress

Do I earn grades in both classes?

Yes, you will earn separate grades in each class. Grades follow the traditional grading scale of A, B, C, D, and F. Each class is calculated in your GPA. However, only ENGL 1010 counts toward graduation and is transferable.

Do I need to register for both classes?

Yes, you must register for both ENGL 1010 and ENGL 0093 at the same time.

Is ENGL 1010 the same college-level English course that other students take?

Yes, the course covers the same material as other ENGL 1010 classes. In fact, students in your ENGL 1010 class include a combination of CLP students and non-CLP students.

MATHEMATICS

What does it mean that I was placed in MATH 1105 and MATH 0093 together?

Our MATH 1105 and MATH 0093 classes are part of our collaborative learning program (CLP). Placement allows qualified students to enroll in college algebra (MATH 1105) while also taking a support course (MATH 0093) for assistance with college algebra.

What are the benefits of taking my remedial and college-level courses together?

CLP allows you to complete your remedial class and your college-level class in just one semester. This reduces your time toward graduation. Research shows that students in the program do better in college, as well as in next level math classes.

Isn't taking two math classes at the same time lots of work?

While you are registered for 2 classes (6 credits), MATH 1105 is your main focus. MATH 0093 provides you support to complete the assignments in MATH 1105. Here are examples of the support course:

- answering questions left over from the 1105 class
- reviewing math terms needed in the 1105 class
- reviewing additional math problems
- discussing how to succeed as a college student
- discussing issues interfering with your progress

Do I earn grades in both classes?

Yes, you will earn separate grades in each class. Grades follow the traditional grading scale of A, B, C, D, and F. Each class is calculated in your GPA. However, only MATH 1105 counts toward graduation and is transferable.

Do I need to register for both classes?

Yes, you must register for both MATH 1105 and MATH 0093 at the same time.

Is MATH 1105 the same college-level math course that other students take?

Yes, the course covers the same material as other MATH 1105 classes. In fact, students in your MATH 1105 class include a combination of CLP students and non-CLP students.