Academic Placement Chart

Mathematics

Applied Algebra

Suppl. Instruction:	Course(s):	Placement / Pre-Requisites:	
Included	MATH 1203 & 0203	No Prerequisites	
Not Included	MATH 1203	ACT (A02): NG Accuplacer (ACQA): Aleks (ALEX): SAT (S12):	Math 19+ (or) QRAS 250+ (or) 35+ (or) 510+

College Algebra

Suppl. Instruction:	Course(s):	Placement / Pre-Requisites:	
Included	MATH 1213 & 0213	No Prerequisites	
Not Included	MATH 1213	ACT (A02): NG Accuplacer (ACQA): Aleks (ALEX): SAT (S12):	Math 21+ (or) QRAS 263+ (or) 46+ (or) 530+

Finite Mathematics

Suppl. Instruction:	Course(s):	Placement / Pre-Requisites:	
Included	MATH 1313 & 0313	No Prerequisites	
Not Included	MATH 1313	ACT (A02): NG Accuplacer (ACQA): Aleks (ALEX): SAT (S12):	Math 19+ (or) QRAS 250+ (or) 35+ (or) 510+

Advanced Mathematics Courses**

Course	ACT (A02)	NG Accuplacer (ACQA)	Aleks (ALEX)	SAT (S12)
Plane Trigonometry (MATH 1223)	Math 26+	QRAS 276+	61+	610+
Calculus for Non-Science Majors (MATH 2103)	Math 26+	QRAS 276+	61+	610+
Calculus I (MATH 2115)	Math 28+	N/A	76+	660+
Statistics I (MATH 2303)	Math 26+	QRAS 276+	61+	610+

English

English Composition I

Suppl. Instruction:	Course(s):	Placement / Pre-Requisites:	
Included	ENGL 1013 & 0103	No Prerequisites	
Not Included	ENGL 1013	ACT (A01): NG Accuplacer (ACWR): Old SAT (S01): New SAT (S14):	English 18+ (or) Writing 250+ (or) 500+ (or) 25+

Advanced English Courses**

Course	ACT (A01)	NG Accuplacer (ACWR)	Old SAT (S01)	New SAT (S14)
English Composition II (ENGL 1023)	English 26+	Writing 277+	620+	33+
Business and Professional Communication (ENGL 2300)[1]	English 26+	Writing 277+	620+	33+
ENGL 2XXX (not including ENGL 2300)[1]	English 32+	N/A	700+	37+

1 – ENGL 2300 will no longer be offered after Spring 2026

Other Placement Information

AP Scores*

Students may be granted credit for College Board Advanced Placement (AP) Examinations, which are taken prior to the student's high school graduation. Students must have scored at least "3" to receive course credit. Scores higher than a "3" may receive credit for additional courses. The student must request that an original transcript from the College Board be sent to the Registrar's Office for evaluation.

*AP score will grant the student a P for the indicated course(s) below.

(From "College Board Advanced Placement (AP) Examination," in RPCC General Catalog & Student Handbook)

Below are accepted AP Exams and Scores for ENGL and MATH courses at RPCC. For approval of AP Exams and Scores not on this list, the student should reach out to the Department Chair over the course for information on if the Exam and Score will be accepted:

Science – Iris Henry
Social Science – Sam Bono
Business – Eddie Bernier

RPCC Course	AP Exam	AP Score
English Composition I (ENGL 1013)	English Language and Composition	3
English Composition I (ENGL 1013) & English Composition II (ENGL 1023)	English Language and Composition	4
English Composition I (ENGL 1013) & English Composition II (ENGL 1023) & Literature Elective (ENGL 2XXX)	English Literature and Composition	4
College Algebra (MATH 1213)	Precalculus	3
Statistics I (MATH 2303)	Statistics	3

1 – A substitution for another ENGL 2XXX (not including ENGL 2300 or ENGL 2883) may be done upon request.

CLEP Scores

The awarding of credit by CLEP Examination is based on the scores earned on subject exams. RPCC honors the American Council on Education's Recommended Scores for Credit. Students must be enrolled at the time they request credit by CLEP examination. Students must submit official test scores to the Registrar's Office to receive credit.

(From "College Level Examination (CLEP) Subject Exams," in RPCC General Catalog & Student Handbook)

*Below are accepted CLEP Exams, Scores, and Eligible Credit Hours at RPCC. CLEP score will **only** grant the student a P for the indicated course below.*

RPCC Course	CLEP Exam	CLEP Score	Eligible Credit Hours
Financial Accounting (ACCT 2113)	Financial Accounting	50	3
General Biology I (BIOL 1013) & General Biology II (BIOL 1023)	Biology	50	6
Legal Environment of Business (BUSN 2003)	Introductory Business Law	50	3

Principles of Marketing (BUSN 2013)	Principles of Marketing	50	3
Chemistry I (CHEM 1123) & Chemistry II (CHEM 1133)	Chemistry	50	6
Macroeconomics (ECON 2213)	Principles of Macroeconomics	50	3
Microeconomics (ECON 2223)	Principles of Microeconomics	50	3
English Composition I (ENGL 1013)	College Composition	50	3
Major British Writers (ENGL 2123)[1]	English Literature	50	3
Major American Writers (ENGL 2173)[2]	American Literature	50	3
Introduction to Literature (ENGL 2323)	Analyzing and Interpreting Literature	50	3
History of Western Civ. I (HIST 1013)	Western Civilization I: Ancient Near East to 1648	50	3
History of Western Civ. II (HIST 1023)	Western Civilization II: 1648 to the Present	50	3
American History I (HIST 2013)	History of the US I: Early Colonization to 1877	50	3
American History II (HIST 2023)	History of the United States II: 1865 to the Present	50	3
College Algebra (MATH 1213)	College Algebra	50	3
Finite Mathematics (MATH 1313)	College Mathematics	50	3
Principles of Management (MGMT 2103)	Principles of Management	50	3
American Government (POLI 2013)	American Government	50	3
Introduction to Psychology (PSYC 2013)	Introductory Psychology	50	3
Developmental Psychology (PSYC 2113)	Human Growth and Development	50	3
Educational Psychology (PSYC 2613)	Introduction to Educational Psychology	50	3
Elementary Spanish I (SPAN 1014)	Spanish Language: Level 1	50	4
Elementary Spanish I (SPAN 1014)	Spanish with Writing: Level 1	50	4
Elementary Spanish II (SPAN 1024)	Spanish Language: Level 2	63	4
Elementary Spanish II (SPAN 1024)	Spanish with Writing: Level 2	65	4
Introduction to Sociology (SOCL 2013)	Introductory Sociology	50	3
1 - A substitution for ENGL 2103 or ENGL 2113 may be done upon request 2 - A substitution for ENGL 2153 or ENGL 2163 may be done upon request			

Advanced Mathematics and English Courses – Bypassed Credit

If a student is placed into an advanced-level course based upon a test score, the student must pass with a "C" or better in that course the first time taking it to receive credit for the bypassed (pre-requisite) course. If the student does not earn a "C" or better in the advanced-level course during the first attempt, the student must take and pass the bypassed course with a grade of "C" or higher to enroll in the advanced-level course again. Credit for bypassed courses will be recorded as a grade of "P" and will be applied toward graduation but will not be considered in computing the overall grade point average.

Mathematics Course(s) Pathway by Program

Associate of Art / Louisiana Transfer (AALT)	Associate of Science / Louisiana Transfer (ASLT)	Associate of Science in Teaching (AST)
Recommended Tracks: Criminal Justice[1]: • Finite Mathematics (MATH 1313) • Statistics I (MATH 2303) General Business: • College Algebra (MATH 1213) • Calculus for Non-Science Majors (MATH 2103) • Statistics I (MATH 2303) • Statistics II (MATH 2313) Humanities[1]: • Finite Mathematics (MATH 1313) • Statistics I (MATH 2303) Mass Communication[1]: • Finite Mathematics (MATH 1313) • Statistics I (MATH 2303) Social Sciences[1]: • Finite Mathematics (MATH 1313) • Statistics I (MATH 2303)	**Recommended Tracks:** Biological Science[1]: • College Algebra (MATH 1213) • Trigonometry (MATH 1223) Forensic Science Pathway: • College Algebra (MATH 1213) • Statistics I (MATH 2303) Physical Science: • Calculus I (MATH 2115)* • Calculus II (MATH 2125) ***Note**: College Algebra (MATH 1213) and Trigonometry (MATH 1223) are pre-requisites	**Recommended Track:** • College Algebra (MATH 1213) • Statistics I (MATH 2303) ***Note**: Will also be required to take: • Elementary Number Structure (MATH 1413) • Geometry: Elementary & Middle School Teaching (MATH 1423)

1 - **Note:** Other options for completing the AALT and ASLT are available based on the official degree listing in the catalog in combination with your anticipated major degree plan at the university

General Studies (AGS) Arts & Humanities Concentration[2]	General Studies (AGS) Business Concentration	General Studies (AGS) Entrepreneurship Concentration
Recommended Track: - Finite Mathematics (MATH 1313) - Statistics I (MATH 2303)	**Recommended Track:** - College Algebra (MATH 1213) - Statistics I (MATH 2303)	**Recommended Track:** - College Algebra (MATH 1213) - Statistics I (MATH 2303)

2 - Note: Other options for completing the AGS are listed in the College Catalog

General Studies (AGS) Medical Assistant Concentration	General Studies (AGS) Natural Science/Mathematics Concentration[2]
Recommended Course: - Finite Mathematics (MATH 1313)	**Recommended Track:** - College Algebra (MATH 1213) - Trigonometry (MATH 1223)

2 - Note: Other options for completing the AGS are listed in the College Catalog

Energy Sciences

Instrumentation and Electrical Technology (AAS)	Process Technology (AAS) [3]
Recommended Course: - Applied Algebra (MATH 1203)	**Recommended Course:** - Applied Algebra (MATH 1203)

3 - Note: Other options for completing the AAS are listed in the College Catalog

Health Sciences

Medical Coding Specialist (CAS)[4]
Recommended Course: - Applied Algebra (MATH 1203)

4 - Note: Other options for completing the CAS are listed in the College Catalog

Technical Studies

Computer Systems & Information Technology (AAS)[5]	Criminal Justice (AAS) [5]	Drafting & Design (AAS) [5]
Recommended Course: • College Algebra (MATH 1213)	**Recommended Course:** • Finite Mathematics (MATH 1313)	**Recommended Course:** • Applied Algebra (MATH 1203)
5 - Note: Other options for completing the AAS are listed in the College Catalog		

Industrial Maintenance Technology - Millwright (AAS)
Recommended Course: • Applied Algebra (MATH 1203)
Note: Other options for completing the AAS are listed in the College Catalog