



What is the ACCUPLACER Next Generation?

ACCUPLACER Next Gen is a computer generated assessment. It was developed to help insure that students entering college can progress toward achieving their educational goals.

ACCUPLACER Next Gen is a tool that will identify your academic readiness in reading, writing, and math. It is used to determine the courses you will need to take first as you begin your college studies.

ACCUPLACER Next Gen is administered on a personal computer. You will read the instructions and questions on the computer monitor and will select your answers using the computer keyboard or mouse.

After completing ACCUPLACER Next Gen, you will be informed about your results and about the next necessary steps to take as you prepare to enter your program.

The fee to complete the ACCUPLACER Next Gen is \$15.00. **You must register for the ACCUPLACER** by calling **1-800-472-4554** or register and pay in-person with any Student Services Representative at any of the three campuses. If you are a student who would like to request accommodations, you will arrange your test day and time through Disability Resources (please see more information below under **testing accommodations**).

What kinds of questions are on the ACCUPLACER?

Reading

Next-Generation Reading assesses the test-taker's ability to derive meaning from a range of texts and to determine the meaning of words and phrases in short and extended contexts. Passages on the test cover a range of content areas, writing modes, and complexities. Both single and paired passages are included. A total of 20 questions are asked. Four broad knowledge and skills categories are assessed:

- Information and Ideas
- Rhetoric
- Synthesis
- Vocabulary

Writing

Next-Generation Writing evaluates a test-taker's ability to revise and edit multi-paragraph text. A total of 20 questions cover two broad knowledge and skills categories, each containing three subcategories:

Expression of Ideas

- Development
- Organization
- Effective Language Use

Standard English Conventions

- Sentence Structure
- Usage
- Punctuation

Arithmetic

Next-Generation Arithmetic focuses on computation, order of operations, estimation and rounding, comparing and ordering values in different formats, and recognizing equivalent values across formats. A total of 25 questions are asked. The following knowledge and skills categories are assessed:

- Whole Number Operations
- Fraction Operations
- Decimal Operations
- Percent
- Number Comparisons and Equivalents

Quantitative Reasoning, Algebra, and Statistics (QAS)

The QAS test targets students who are entering STEM fields of study or who are undecided on a major. Questions focus on the following knowledge and skill categories: rational numbers, ratio & proportional relationships, exponents, algebraic expressions, linear equations, linear applications & graphs, probability sets, descriptive statistics and geometry concepts. This area consists of 20 questions.

Assistance with studying for the ACCUPLACER is available on each Moraine Park Technical College campus by calling the Student Success Center at 920-924-3207.

Testing accommodations will be made for students with disabilities.

If you are a student with a disability who will be requesting accommodations for the Next-Generation Accuplacer, please make an appointment with an Accommodation Specialist. Please allow 6-8 weeks to arrange accommodations. You will arrange test day and time through the Disability Resource department. You will pay the \$15.00 fee in-person with any Student Services Representative at any of the three campuses.

Accommodation Specialist Contact Information:

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All campuses can be reached toll free: **1-800-472-4554**

TTY/VP: Use Relay/VRS

ACCUPLACER test preparation websites:

Sites to use when preparing for the ACCUPLACER are:

<https://accuplacerpractice.collegeboard.org/login> (Must set up a FREE account)

<https://uniontestprep.com/accuplacer-test/practice-test> (this website is excellent; it offers explanations)

<https://accuplacer.collegeboard.org/student/practice>

<http://www.testprepreview.com>

<http://demo-test.accuplacer-test.com>

<http://www.mometrix.com/academy/accuplacer-test/>

<http://www.studyguidezone.com/accuplacertest.htm>

<http://www.mathisfun.com>

<http://www.accuplacertestquestions.com>

<http://www.kahnacademy.org>

<http://www.varsitytutors.com/practice-tests>

<http://www.math.com/>

<http://www.mathhelp.com/accuplacer-math-test-prep/>

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