

If you are a student with a disability who will be requesting accommodations for the Accuplacer, [please click here to create an Accommodate account](#). After you create an Accommodate account, an Accommodation Specialist will reach out to you to schedule an appointment. Please start the accommodation process as soon as possible to ensure accommodations are in place prior to taking the Accuplacer.

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What is the ACCUPLACER?

ACCUPLACER is a computer-generated assessment that will identify your academic readiness in reading, writing, and arithmetic. It is used to determine the courses you will need to take first as you begin your college studies.

ACCUPLACER is administered on a 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, you will be informed about your results and the next necessary steps to enter your program.

What kinds of questions are on ACCUPLACER?

Reading

Reading assesses ability to derive meaning from texts and to determine the meaning of words and phrases. Passages on the test cover a range of content areas, writing modes, and complexities. Both single and paired passages are included. Four broad knowledge and skills categories are assessed:

- Information and Ideas
- Rhetoric
- Synthesis
- Vocabulary

Writing

Writing evaluates ability to revise and edit multi-paragraph text. 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

Arithmetic focuses on computation, order of operations, estimation and rounding, comparing and ordering values in different formats, and recognizing equivalent values across formats. The following knowledge and skills categories are assessed:

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

NOTE: Programs that require Tech Math 1A:

Civil Engineering, Electromechanical Technology, Fabrication Technologies, Mechanical Design Technology, and Process Engineering Technology will also take:

Quantitative Reasoning, Algebra, and Statistics (QAS) assesses the following knowledge and skills:

- Rational numbers
- Ratio and Proportional Relationships
- Exponents
- Algebraic Expressions
- Linear Equations
- Linear Applications and Graphs
- Probability Sets
- Descriptive Statistics
- Geometry Concepts

Visit

- [College Board Accuplacer information](#) for more information and resources.

ACCUPLACER test preparation websites:

- [College Board Accuplacer practice](#)
- [Accuplacer practice with explanations](#) (this website offers explanations after any question is answered)
- [Practice Accuplacer Test](#)
- [Study Guide Zone Accuplacer practice](#)
- [Varsity Tutors Accuplacer practice](#)
- [Math help Accuplacer practice in math](#)