

# Which Math class should I take first?

## 1) Case 1 – Placement into a Developmental Math class (Math 0950, 0990 or 1010)

- a) Recently (within 2 years) graduated from high school with math deficiency as indicated by High School GPA and ACT score. The combination of these two will dictate which Math class should be taken.
- b) Student placement will be placed in a developmental math class according to overall High School GPA and ACT math score.  
[http://www.weber.edu/wsuiimages/academicaffairs/Assessmentandplacement/Placement%20Version%207%20\(8-19-15\).pdf](http://www.weber.edu/wsuiimages/academicaffairs/Assessmentandplacement/Placement%20Version%207%20(8-19-15).pdf)
- c) If the student wishes to challenge his placement based off of the rubric chart, he can take the **Math Mastery Exam**. It would be wise if the student studied ahead of time before attempting the Math Mastery Exam. The exam is on the computer, but NOT multiple choice. The student must work the problem on paper and type in their answer on the computer. I believe it is a \$10 fee. The exam may be taken through a distant learning center & proctor, but must be authorized ahead of time. See <http://www.weber.edu/TestingCenter/math-mastery.html>
- d) Student graduated from High School more than 2 years ago and has need of remedial math. Placement will be decided by performance on the Math Mastery Exam.

## 2) Case 2 – Placement into a Quantitative Literacy course (Math 1030, 1040, 1050, 1060 or 1080)

- a) Recently (within 2 years) graduated from high school with math deficiency as indicated by High School GPA and ACT score. The combination of these two will dictate which Math class should be taken.
- b) If the student wishes to challenge the scheduled placement, they can take the Accuplacer test, a computerized, multiple-choice exam.

<http://www.weber.edu/TestingCenter/accuplacer.html>

## 3) Case 3 – Placement into a higher level math course (Math 1060 and up)

- a) The Accuplacer exam needs to be taken.

In Summary: Recent graduates are placed according to GPA / ACT. Otherwise placement into correct Developmental Math course is determined by the Math Mastery Exam. Placement into a non-Developmental Math course is determined by the Accuplacer Test