

Math Placement Website Text

For new students needing to take the Math Placement test, we recommend completing one of the following options leading up to orientation.

If you are in a program that requires the Math Placement test, we strongly encourage you to take it in advance of your orientation session so you can receive the most accurate academic advising and registration experience.

As you make plans please note that the test can last up to 1 hour and 45 minutes. Please be aware that students may only take each section twice per registration year, from March 2017 to January 2018. New chances will not be available until March 2018. For more information about the test requirements as you prepare, visit the [Math Department website here](#).

All majors within the Volgenau School of Engineering and School of Business as well as many other majors at Mason will require the Advanced Math Placement Test. If you are in a program that requires the Math Placement test, we strongly encourage you to take it in advance of your orientation session so you can receive the most accurate academic advising and registration experience.

New Student Math Placement Testing Options

1. Complete the Math Placement test during Spring Preview on April 23, 2017 between 2:00pm and 5:00pm. If you are able it is recommended you complete the test during your visit to campus by visiting Exploratory Hall, Room 4107.
2. Starting May 1, all new students are **strongly encouraged** to complete the Math Placement test on campus through the Math Department prior to the in-person orientation experience. The test is offered at various times Monday-Friday on the Fairfax campus in Exploratory Hall, Room 4107. For a schedule of testing availability and information, visit the [Math Department website here](#).
3. For freshman students hoping to complete the test at orientation there are various options to consider:
 - a. We encourage all students needing to complete the Math Placement test to do so the day before their orientation session in preparation for their advising. Tests will be given between 2:00-7:00pm in Exploratory

Hall, Room 2310 on the following dates for orientation students.
Please arrive by 6pm to begin the test.

- June 18, June 21, July 9, July 16, July 19, July 26

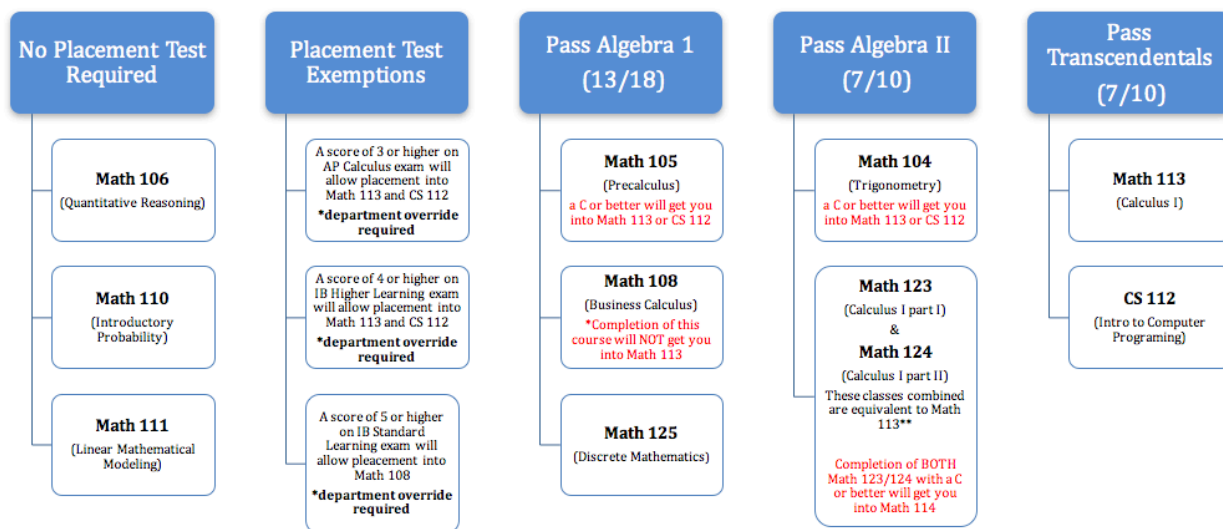
b. Complete the test on Day 1 of freshman orientation between 4:00-7:30pm in Innovation Hall during your academic advising rotation. Please note this time will overlap with dinner and additional programming. Please arrive by 6pm to begin the test.

c. Complete the test after the conclusion of Day 2 of freshman orientation between 12:00-3:00pm in Exploratory Hall, Room 2310. Please arrive by 2:00pm to begin the test.

4. Transfer students will be able to complete the test during transfer orientation between 3:00-5:00pm in Exploratory Hall, Room 4710. Please arrive by 4:00pm to begin the test.

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This flow chart shows the prerequisites required for 100-level math courses.



*For a **departmental override** please contact Christine Amaya at camaya@gmu.edu and include your name and G-number in the email.

Students who take both Math 123 and Math 124 are given credit that is equivalent to Math 113. This is a year long Calculus I sequence and after the student gets a C or better in Math 124 they are eligible to take Math 114. Math 123 is only available in the Fall semester and Math 124 is only available in the Spring semester and **students must first take Math 123, and pass with a C or better, before taking Math 124.

For additional testing dates, visit the [Math Department website here](#) or you can direct additional questions to Catherine Sausville at csausvil@gmu.edu.