

PLACEMENT MEASURES

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Triton College is committed to student success by ensuring new students register for the appropriate level of coursework. Students who demonstrate math proficiency by way of the measures listed below are able to enroll in the corresponding courses. Official documentation, including high school transcripts and test scores, are required prior to matriculation.

TRITON COURSE	MATH MEASURES
MAT 131	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ACT Math score of 28-36. • SAT Math score of 640-800. • Grade of "C" or higher in appropriate math course from another accredited institution.*
MAT 124, 134	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ACT Math score of 26-27. • SAT Math score of 600-630. • Grade of "C" or higher in appropriate math course from another accredited institution.*
MAT 110, 111, 114, 116, 122** STEM Pathway	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ACT Math score of 22-25. • SAT Math score of 530-590. • MAT 122 only – SAT math score of 470-490.
MAT 101, 102, 170*** Non-STEM Pathway	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MAT 101, 102, 116, and 170 only – Appropriate high school GPA of 3.0 or higher on unweighted scale of 4.0 with successful completion of fourth year math.* • MAT 101, 102, 110, 116, 122 and 170 only – High school transition course in math with grade of "C" or higher.* • Successful completion of appropriate developmental course in math from another accredited institution pending further evaluation.* • Grade of "C" or higher in appropriate math course from another accredited institution.*

Measures for math placement are valid for 18 months from the date of achievement.

New students whose measures do not fall within those listed above are encouraged (and may be required) to complete the ACCUPLACER test to determine math placement. Students may take the ACCUPLACER test in the Triton College Testing Center.

TRITON COURSE	ACCUPLACER NEXT-GENERATION SCORES
MAT 131	276-300 in Advanced Algebra and Functions.
MAT 124, 134	263-275 in Advanced Algebra and Functions.
MAT 110, 111, 114, 116**	237-262 in Advanced Algebra and Functions.
MAT 101, 102, 170***	263-300 in Quantitative Reasoning, Algebra, and Statistics.
MAT 085	237-300 in Quantitative Reasoning, Algebra, and Statistics.
MAT 096	245-262 in Quantitative Reasoning, Algebra, and Statistics.
MAT 102 (paired with MAT 032)	237-262 in Quantitative Reasoning, Algebra, and Statistics.
MAT 080****	237-262 in Quantitative Reasoning, Algebra, and Statistics or 263-300 in Arithmetic.
MAT 055, 122	263-300 in Arithmetic.
MAT 045	200-262 in Arithmetic.

*Dependent upon math sequence/course completed/credit earned.

**MAT 110, 111, 114 are designed for students pursuing STEM careers and are used as a means of getting to calculus.

***MAT 101, 102, 170 are designed for students pursuing Non-STEM careers and do not require heavy algebra-based math backgrounds.

****MAT 080 is specifically designed for students needing to take only Non-STEM pathway courses.

All first-time college students are required to take a non-cognitive assessment test. Results may determine placement into COL 102.



TRITON COURSE	ENGLISH MEASURES
RHT 101	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ACT English score of 19-36, ACT Reading score of 19-36. • SAT Evidence-Based Reading and Writing score of 480-800. • High school GPA of 3.0 or higher on unweighted scale of 4.0. • Appropriate high school transition course in English with grade of "C" or higher.* • Successful completion of developmental course in English from another accredited institution pending further evaluation.*

Measures for English placement are valid for three years from the date of achievement.

*Dependent upon course completed/credit earned.

New students whose measures do not fall within those listed above are encouraged (and may be required) to complete **ACCUPLACER** to determine English placement. Students may take the **ACCUPLACER** test in the Triton College Testing Center.

TRITON COURSE	ACCUPLACER NEXT-GENERATION SCORES
RHT 101	Composite score of 550-600 in Reading and Writing.
RHT 097 (paired with RHT 101)	Composite score of 500-549 in Reading and Writing.
RHT 099	Composite score of 471-499 in Reading and Writing.
RHT 098	Composite score of 400-470 in Reading and Writing.

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