

SEATTLE PUBLIC SCHOOLS ALTERNATIVE MATH PLACEMENT
 For Seattle Public Schools graduates who plan to take mathematics at Seattle Colleges *within one-two years of high school graduation* or for Seattle Public Schools running start students.

Student success in math courses is a paramount goal for the Seattle Colleges. Realistic placement is critical for a student's success. The Seattle Colleges use multiple methods to place incoming students into their first Math class. The following chart provides placement information based on a student's performance in their last Math class in High School.

<i>If your last math course was ...</i>	<i>And you earned a grade of _____ both semesters.</i>	<i>And you completed it within _____ of date of enrollment.</i>	<i>Your placement will be:</i>
Algebra 2A&2B (1 year) HMA2688/2690 or 2373/2374	B or B+	1 year	MATH 098
	A- or better	1 year	MATH 102, 107, 116, 131, or 146
		2 years	MATH 098
Honors Algebra 2A&2B (1 year) HMA 2689/2691 or 2375/2376 IB Math Studies A&B (1 year) HMA2225/2226	B or B+	1 year	MATH 102, 107, 116, 131, or 146
	A- or better	1 year	MATH 102, 107, 116, 131, 141 or 146
		2 years	MATH 102, 107, 116, 131, or 146
Precalculus A&B (1 year) HMA2696/2698 or 1921/1924	B or B+		
	A- or better	2 years	MATH 102, 107, 116, 131, or 146
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Honors Precalculus A&B (1 year) HMA2697/2699 or 1925/1926 IB SL 1 A&B (1 year) HMA1940/1941	B or B+		
		2 years	MATH 102, 107, 116, 131, 141, 146, or 211
Calculus A&B (1 year) HMA1927/1928 IB SL 2 C/D HMA2469/2470 AP Calculus A/B HMA1929/1932 IB HL 1 A/B HMA1942/1943 AP Calculus B/C HMA1938/1939 IB HL 2 C/D HMA2467/2468	B or better		
	(if AP nor IB final exam is NOT taken) (If AP or IB exam was taken, credit will be granted based on the specific college.)	2 years	MATH 102, 107, 116, 131, 141, 146, or 211
Prob & Statistics A&B (1 year) HMA1763/1764 AP Statistics A&B (1 year) HMA1944/1945	Placement based on course work previous to Statistics (Algebra 2, Precalculus, Calculus), whichever is most recent		

Please see notes on back

- Students who earn a B- or lower in their last Math class must use another form of placement, and should check with the Seattle College they would like to attend.
- Taking Applied Math as a third year math course in high school is not equivalent to Algebra 2 and cannot be used for math placement.
- Math 141 (College Pre-Calculus) requires significant time and effort, often considerably more than the minimum of 10 hours of out-of-class student time per week normally needed for other math classes.
- During the first week of the quarter, if you feel that your math class is too challenging, you should speak to your instructor about being placed in the correct class.
- If a student has IB Further Math A&B, HMA3247/3248*, as their last math class, they can be placed using their grade in Calculus.
- This table is for placement only. Credit may be granted by AP or IB exam scores. See the college website for more details.

Seattle Public High Schools:

Ballard
 Center School
 Chief Sealth International
 Cleveland
 Franklin
 Garfield
 Lincoln
 Nathan Hale
 Ingraham
 Interagency Programs
 Middle College
 Nova
 Rainier Beach
 Roosevelt
 Skills Center
 Seattle World School
 South Lake
 West Seattle