

OCTECH ACADEMIC COURSE PLACEMENT CRITERIA

These scores are effective as of 01/14/19 (Rev. Date: 07.30.20)

	COURSE PLACEMENT	NEXTGEN - Accuplacer	ACCUPLACER	WORKKEYS	PSAT	ACT/SAT	HS GPA Waiver	DECISION ZONE
		Expires After 5 Yrs.	Expires After 5 yrs.	Effective Date 11/17/16 (Expires After 5 yrs.)	Does Not Expire	Does Not Expire	Weighted GPA Used in Calculation	Using Accuplacer NEXT GEN
MATH	031	AR: 200-236	Arithmetic: 20-56					AR: 197-199
	032	AR: 237-249	Arithmetic: 57-112	App Math: 3				AR: 234-236
	<u>Non-Transfer Math</u>							
	101/155	QAS: 237-249	Elementary Algebra: 25-108	App Math: 4+		ACT Math: 17 SAT Math: 480	eligible for waiver	QAS: 234-236
	102/175	QAS: 250-262	College Level Math: 20-49			ACT Math: 18 SAT Math: 515	eligible for waiver	QAS: 247-249
	<u>Transfer Math</u>							
	110/120	QAS: 263-300	College Level Math: >=50		PSAT Math: 530	ACT Math: 20 SAT Math: 515	High School Weighted GPA of 2.5 or higher with C or better in Algebra I or higher.	QAS: 260-262
	130/140	Instructor Approval	Instructor Approval					Instructor Approval
ENGLISH	031		20-40 Sentence Skills					
	RWR 032	Writing: <236	41-60 Sentence Skills	Rdg for Info: 3 & Loc Info: 3 (Must use lower of 2 scores)				Writing: 234-236
	155	Writing: 237-249	61-70 Sentence Skills	Rdg for Info: 4+ & Loc Info: 4+	PSAT Reading & Writing: 480	ACT English: 17 SAT Reading: 24	eligible for waiver	Writing: 234-236
	101	Reading: 250>	>=71 Sentence Skills		PSAT Reading & Writing: 480	ACT English: 18 SAT Reading: 26	High School Weighted GPA of 2.5 or higher with C or better in Algebra I or higher.	Reading: 247-249
READING	031		34-43 Reading					
	RWR 032	Reading: 221-249	44-70 Reading	Rdg for Info: 3 & Loc Info: 3 (Must use lower of 2 scores)				Reading: 218-220
	College Level	Reading: 250>	>=71 Reading	Rdg for Info: 4+ & Loc Info: 4+	PSAT Reading & Writing: 480	ACT Reading: 19 SAT Reading: 26	High School Weighted GPA of 2.5 or higher with C or better in Algebra I or higher.	Reading: 247-249
BIOLOGY 210 (Effective 10/25/17)	High School GPA of 3.0 or higher with successful completion of 2 high school math courses above the Algebra II level and required English courses and with a high school College Prep, Honors, AP or IB biology course; Placement into ENG 101 and successful completion of a college level laboratory science; or a 4 Year college degree with successful completion of a laboratory science.							

Students with a NextGen Reading score 220 or below, an Accuplacer Reading score of 20-33 or a COMPASS Reading score of 0-35 will be referred to Adult Education for skills upgrade.

High School Weighted GPA of 2.0 or higher with successful completion of 2 high school math courses above the Algebra II level and all 4 English courses. (April - May 2020: COVID-19 Interim measures)

AR - Arithmetic, QAS - Quantative Reasoning, Algebra & Statistics, AAF - Advances Algebra Functions