

## **MATH Placement Exam FAQs:**

1) If you register for MATH 1113 or MATH 1101 at UGA, can you take the placement test after registration?

After Thursday, August 1<sup>st</sup>, 2019, students who have registered for MATH 1113 will not be allowed to take the Placement Test (the Testing Center will check their schedule). The MATH department set this deadline so students will not hold seats in MATH 1113 that they may or may not need while other students are looking for those seats. The department opens MATH 1113 to non-STEM majors at the beginning of August, so they want STEM students to resolve their placement by that time.

Students who have not registered for MATH 1113 can still take the placement test after August 1st. If a student does this and places into 1113 but has trouble finding an open section, the MATH department will work with them to help them find a seat.

2) If you have transferred in a MATH credit from another institution, can you take the placement exam?

Maybe.

- If you have transfer credit for 1101, you cannot take the exam. If you have transfer credit for 1113, 2200, 2110, 2250, or 2260 you don't need to take the placement exam.
- If you have transfer credit for MATH 1060, 1TXX or 1GXX or 2TXX (but not any of the courses listed above) then you can take the placement exam.
- If you have another transfer MATH credit, please contact the math department for further instructions.

3) If you have attempted MATH 1101 or MATH 1113 at UGA (but failed or withdrawn), can you take the math placement exam?

No.

4) If you have enrolled in (but failed or withdrawn) a MATH class at another institution, can you take the math placement exam?

Maybe.

- If the class you attempted transfers to 1101, 1113, or a calculus sequence course (2200, 2250, 2260) then you cannot take the math placement exam.
- If the class you attempted transfers to 1GXX, 1TXX, or 2TXX, you can take the math placement exam.
- If the class you attempted transfers to something else please contact the math department for further instructions.

5) If you registered for a math class at another institution but didn't enroll (that is, the class doesn't appear on your transcript at all), can you take the math placement exam?

In practice, yes. As far as I know, we have no way to verify registrations outside of UGA.

5) Who verifies whether students are eligible to take the math placement exam and when does this happen?

Students self-report math credits on the University Testing Services intake form. Academic Honesty policies apply. Additional verification methods may be implemented in the future. Advisors will be notified if/when this occurs.

6) Are there any circumstances under which you can retake the math placement exam?

No.

7) What are the rules for the ALEKS placement exam?

They are the same except students can retake the ALEKS placement exam up to 5 times as long as they still qualify to take it. (In practice, this usually means "as long as you haven't registered for 1113 in the meantime.")