

# ALEKS PPL

## MATH PLACEMENT PREPARATION & LEARNING

Your personalized  
learning pathway  
to success.

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### PERSONALIZED

Unleash your inner math hero! Tailored to your needs, ALEKS PPL guides you through personalized learning paths, ensuring you grasp every concept.

a.

Accurate placement:  
Determines your current  
knowledge and readiness  
for college math

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### BETTER PREPARED

Empower your math journey! At Black Hawk College, we're dedicated to ensuring every student has the tools they need to excel. We understand that success in math requires ongoing effort and practice.

b.

Personalized practice: You can  
refresh your skills to prepare  
for your course.

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### RETESTING

Retest, reinforce, succeed! Not satisfied with your placement results? You can work for a few hours on your learning modules to refresh some of your math skills and then take another placement test.



[www.bhc.edu/testingcenter](http://www.bhc.edu/testingcenter)



## ALEKS Placement, Preparation, and Learning (ALEKS PPL) at BHC

Not satisfied with your math placement? – Review and practice with ALEKS PPL!

MATH COURSE DESCRIPTION: [bhc.edu/mathprerequisites](http://bhc.edu/mathprerequisites)

### ALEKS PPL

1. Take an initial test at home, without a proctor, to establish a baseline for review. Or take it proctored in the Testing Center on campus.
2. Review & take up to 4 more placement tests in Testing Center, password protected. These scores may be used to determine placement.
3. Your Advisor will be able to access your score after the proctored assessment/s.
4. We Recommend 1-2 weeks for adequate review to see significant improvement before retesting.
5. Final placement MUST be completed before the class start date.

For assistance contact the mathematics department chair.

MATH Placement Score ALEKS PPL	
0-29	<b>MATH 070</b> - Topics in Developmental Math
15-45	<b>MATH 060</b> – Corequisite for Statistics (non-STEM). Must also enroll in <b>MATH 108C</b> – Statistics for General Education <b>MATH 061</b> – Corequisite for General Math (non-STEM). Must also enroll in <b>MATH 110C</b> – Mathematics for General Education
30-45	<b>MATH 091</b> – Intermediate Algebra (STEM) <b>MATH 062</b> - Corequisite for College Algebra (STEM). Must also enroll in <b>MATH 112C</b> – College Algebra
$\geq 46$	<b>MATH 108</b> – Statistics for General Education <b>MATH 110</b> – Mathematics for General Education <b>MATH 100</b> – Math for Elem Teachers I <b>MATH 112</b> – College Algebra
$\geq 61$	<b>MATH 118</b> – Precalculus <b>MATH 131</b> – Finite Mathematics <b>MATH 132</b> – Business Calculus <b>MATH 161</b> – Discrete Mathematics <b>MATH 228</b> – Probability and Statistics
$\geq 76$	<b>MATH 124</b> – Calculus I with Analytic Geometry

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**PREPARE FOR YOUR RE-TEST:** Spending just a couple of hours over a couple of days can improve your score significantly. ALEKS PPL includes tools to help with preparing and reviewing what you need to know for your next placement test.

**Step 1:** Log-in to your myBHC: [bhc.edu/mybhc-new-portal/](http://bhc.edu/mybhc-new-portal/) and click on the ALEKS tile.

**Step 2:** Take the first placement test to establish your baseline score from home. If it places you in the course you desire, then you must take it, proctored at the BHC Testing Center. (If you want the first test to count for placement you must take it proctored in the BHC Testing Center.) If wishing to place in a higher level, you may practice and review for a minimum of 3 hours and wait 48 hours before retesting for placement. You may retest up to 3 additional times. (5 tests overall)

**Step 3:** To receive placement with one of the 4 remaining placement tests you **MUST** take the assessment proctored in a BHC Testing Center.