

SCC College Placement Test Scores

➔ PRIOR to June 1, 2007 - Test Cut-Off Scores and Class Placement

The NCCCS has adopted a revised Placement Testing Policy which includes revised placement test cut-off scores. The new scores will be the same for all programs, at all community colleges in NC and will impact all first-time students enrolling for Fall Semester 2007.

Valid placement test scores will be determined by the date the test is taken.

1. **Test Scores taken prior to June 1, 2004**
 - First-time students with test scores dated prior to June 1, 2004 - **MUST RETEST**.
2. **Test Scores taken between June 1, 2004 to May 31, 2007**
 - First-time students with placement test scores dated between June 1, 2004 to May 31 2007 will be placed according to the test cut-off scores in the chart below.
3. **Test Scores beginning June 1, 2007**
 - ALL students testing after May 31, 2007 will be subject to the new test cut-off scores.

Test Cut-Off Scores and Class Placement prior to June 1, 2007 - Please use this page prior to June 1, 2007 to determine placement needs of ALL students with valid test scores.

READING COMPREHENSION - CPT.RDG (IIPS)	
<u>CPT Raw Score</u>	<u>Class to Assign</u>
80 or below	RED 090
81 or above	ENG 111 - if student places out of ENG 090
If 70-80 & student is capable	ENG 095 - combines RED 090 & ENG 090 – limited sections
SENTENCE SKILLS/WRITING - CPT.WT (IIPS)	
<u>CPT Raw Score</u>	<u>Class to Assign</u>
86 or below	ENG 090 & 090A
87 or above	ENG 111 - if student places out of RED 090
If 76-86 & student is capable	ENG 095 - combines RED 090 & ENG 090 – limited sections
ARITHMETIC - CPT.MAT (IIPS)	
<u>CPT Raw Score</u>	<u>Class to Assign</u>
57 or below	MAT 060
58 or above	see elementary algebra placement guidelines below to determine need for MAT 070 or 080
ELEMENTARY ALGEBRA - CPT.ALG (IIPS)	
College Transfer Students	
<u>CPT Raw Score</u>	<u>Class to Assign</u>
below 50	MAT 070
50 but less than 76	MAT 080
76 or above	appropriate college level math
Computer Engineering Technology, Electronics Engineering Technology	
<u>CPT Raw Score</u>	<u>Class to Assign</u>
below 44	MAT 070
44 but less than 50	MAT 080
50 or above	MAT 121
All Other Majors	
<u>CPT Raw Score</u>	<u>Class to Assign</u>
below 44	MAT 070
44 or above	appropriate college level math
above 50 with interest in transferable math	see college transfer guidelines

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All programs will use the same test cut-off scores with no difference for specific programs as was the case in the past.

Advisors are to disregard the information about required developmental courses that are listed in IIPS on page 7 and under the test scores on the student print out.

SCC will accommodate students transferring from other community colleges who have ASSET and COMPASS test scores. Students submitting these scores who desire to retest will be tested using the Accuplacer Placement Test and will be subject to the dates outlined above.

Test Cut-Off Scores and Class Placement beginning June 1, 2007 - Please use this page beginning June 1, 2007 to determine placement needs of ALL students with valid test scores.

READING COMPREHENSION – CPTRC (Colleague)	
<u>CPT Raw Score</u>	<u>Class to Assign</u>
79 or below	RED 090
80 or above	ENG 111 - if student places out of ENG 090
If 70-79 & student is capable	ENG 095 - combines RED 090 & ENG 090 – limited sections
SENTENCE SKILLS/WRITING – CPTSS (Colleague)	
<u>CPT Raw Score</u>	<u>Class to Assign</u>
85 or below	ENG 090 & 090A
86 or above	ENG 111 - if student places out of RED 090
If 76-85 & student is capable	ENG 095 - combines RED 090 & ENG 090 – limited sections
ARITHMETIC – CPTAR (Colleague)	
<u>CPT Raw Score</u>	<u>Class to Assign</u>
54 or below	MAT 060
55 or above	see elementary algebra placement guidelines below to determine need for MAT 070, 080, 110, 115, 121, or 140
ELEMENTARY ALGEBRA – CPTAL (Colleague)	
<u>CPT Raw Score</u>	<u>Class to Assign</u>
below 55	MAT 070
55 but less than 75	MAT 080,110,115,121, or 140
75 or above	MAT 141, 151, 161, or 171