

Mathematics Placement Levels at SCSU
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Any student with a Math SAT score of at least 600 will be granted a placement level of “MAT 122 or lower”. Any student meeting this condition should see the Mathematics Placement Coordinator, Dr. Ray Mugno, and he will set the student’s placement level.

New Placement Levels (for all students taking the placement exam after February 2008)

The “MAT 108 or lower” and “MAT 139 or lower” placement levels will no longer exist. MAT 102 is actually a lower placement level than MAT 100, since MAT 102 is an extended version of MAT 100 for students that need to take Intermediate Algebra at a slower pace.

1) ***MAT 095.***

The student can only register for MAT 095. After this, the student will go to either MAT 100 or MAT 102.

2) ***MAT 102. (Accuplacer Note to the Student: If desired, you may take MAT 095 to review that material.)***

The student can register for MAT 102. (He/she has the option of starting with MAT 095 if he/she feels the need to review that material).

3) ***MAT 100. (Accuplacer Note to the Student: You may take MAT 102 instead of MAT 100. If desired, you may take MAT 095 to review that material.)***

The student can either register for MAT 100, or register for the extended course MAT 102. (He/she has the option of starting with MAT 095 if he/she feels the need to review that material.)

4) ***MAT 122 or lower.***

The student can register for any math course numbered 122 or lower. This includes MAT 100, 102, 103, 105, 107, 108, 120 and 122. If a student placing at this level intends to go on to MAT 139, he/she must take MAT 120 (or can choose to take MAT 122). If a student placing at this level intends to go on to MAT 150, he/she must take MAT 122.

7) ***MAT 150 or lower (also called No Restrictions).***

The student can register for any math course numbered 150 or lower, as well as MAT 178 (if the CSC prerequisite is met) and MAT 221.

These are the old placement levels (assigned to students that took the placement exam *prior to March 2008*), along with the courses that students with this placement level are eligible to take.

1) *MAT 095.*

The student can only register for MAT 095. After this, the student will go to either MAT 100 or MAT 102.

2) *MAT 101. (Accuplacer Note to the Student: If desired, you may take MAT 095 to review that material.)*

The student can register for MAT 101; after this, the student will need to take MAT 102. (He/she has the option of starting with MAT 095 if he/she feels the need to review that material). **Starting in Fall 2008, MAT 101 will no longer be offered. Students with this placement level will need to register for MAT 102, Intermediate Algebra (Extended).**

3) *MAT 100. (Accuplacer Note to the Student: You may take the sequence MAT 101/102 instead of MAT 100. If desired, you may take MAT 095 to review that material.)*

The student can either register for MAT 100, or register for the slower-paced course MAT 102. (He/she has the option of starting with MAT 095 if he/she feels the need to review that material.)

4) *MAT 108 or lower.*

The student can register for any math course numbered 108 or lower. This includes MAT 100, 102, 103, 105, 107 and 108. If a student placing at this level intends to go on to College Algebra (MAT 120) or Precalculus (MAT 122), he/she must take MAT 100 or MAT 102.

5) *MAT 122 or lower.*

The student can register for any math course numbered 122 or lower. This includes MAT 100, 102, 103, 105, 107, 108, 120 and 122. If a student placing at this level intends to go on to MAT 139, he/she must take MAT 120 (or can choose to take MAT 122). If a student placing at this level intends to go on to MAT 150, he/she must take MAT 122.

6) *MAT 139 or lower.*

The student can register for any math course numbered 139 or lower, as well as MAT 178 (if the CSC prerequisite is met) and MAT 221.

7) *MAT 150 or lower (also called No Restrictions).*

The student can register for any math course numbered 150 or lower, as well as MAT 178 (if the CSC prerequisite is met) and MAT 221.