

HU PLACEMENT EXAMS

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PLEASE NOTE: Although all incoming first-year students must take the Math Placement Exam, this notice applies ONLY to incoming first-year students of the School of Business, College of Engineering and Architecture, College of Nursing and Allied Sciences, College of Arts and Sciences (Natural Sciences, HHPL and Math majors only), all of whom are REQUIRED to take their math placement exam this summer. All other first year students will take their Math Placement Exam later in the 2020 - 2021 Academic Year, as needed.

STEP 1) MATH PRE-ASSESSMENT (MANDATORY):

The Math Pre-Assessment is administered through McGraw-Hill's Assessment and Learning in Knowledge Spaces (ALEKS) program. ALEKS is a web-based, artificially intelligent assessment and learning system that quickly and accurately assesses a student's level of mathematic proficiency. The ALEKS program will create a customized learning module specifically for you to improve your math deficiencies so that you are prepared for college level mathematics. Using the course code **MF6YN-ADGMU** and your Howard Bison Email in the ALEKS registration process will give you access to the Pre-Assessment. You must spend a minimum of three hours in the learning plan, but should spend as much time as necessary in this review stage to reach your goal.

Students are required to complete their learning module plan by **Friday, May 15, 2020**

STEP 2) MATH PLACEMENT EXAM (MANDATORY):

Howard University Math Placement Exam is administered through ProctorU. ProctorU is a live online proctoring service that allows you to take your exam from the comfort of your home. ProctorU is available 24/7, however, you will need to schedule your proctoring session 24 hours in advance. **Please note:** You must spend a minimum of three hours in the math pre-assessment before moving to the Math Placement Exam. Further instructions will be emailed to you on Friday, May 8th on how to make appointments with ProctorU to take placement exam.

You will be able to take your math placement exam as early as **May 15, 2020**.

You can only take the Math Placement Exam once and are required to complete the exam by June 19, 2020.

LANGUAGE PLACEMENT EXAM

The Language Placement Exam (LPE) is administered in the following languages: Arabic, Chinese (Traditional and simplified), Spanish, French, German, and Japanese. It is administered through AVANT's Placement Assessment program. AVANT's Placement Assessment is a web-based system, and the exam may be taken from any web-based computer. A practice exam is available.

Every student who has studied a language and is planning to take the same language at Howard University **IS REQUIRED** to take the Language Placement Examination (LPE).

Students who are required to take the Language Placement Exam must email the Center for Tutoring & Learning Support Services at tlss@howard.edu by **May 30, 2020**.