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Math Placement Exam

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY.

MATH PLACEMENT ASSESSMENT (PROCTORED)
(For Fall 2025)

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 **PGRNH-V4QCR** and your Howard email address in the ALEKS registration process will give you access to the Pre-Assessment. You must spend a minimum of three (3) hours in pre-assessment. However, we strongly recommend that you spend as much time as necessary in this review stage to reach your goal.

STEP 2):

Math Placement Exam (Mandatory): Howard University Math Placement Exam is administered through ProctorU, 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 3 days in advance.

Please see the attached document (Five Steps ProctorU Proctoring Document) with instructions for creating your ProctorU account and scheduling the proctoring of your exam.

PLEASE NOTE: You must spend a minimum of three (3) hours in the math pre-assessment/learning plan before moving forward to the math placement exam.

Questions?

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