DePaul Placement Process Exemption Requirements

ALL Students (First Year, Transfer, Adult and Current Students)

School/College	Math	Writing	Modern Language
All Schools and Colleges except School for New Learning (SNL) ¹	Advanced Placement (AP) Calculus AB or BC score of 3 or higher	AP English Language and Composition score of 4 or higher	AP German, French or Spanish Language or Literature score of 3 or higher
	International Baccalaureate (IB) Higher Level Math score of 5 or higher	SAT <i>Verbal</i> score of 600 or higher	AP Latin Literature or Vergil score of 3 or higher
	College Level Examination Program (CLEP) Calculus score of 50 or higher	ACT Reading score of 20 or higher AND ACT English score of 24 or higher	CLEP German, French or Spanish score of 50 or higher

Students with Transfer Credit

School/College	Math	Writing	Modern Language
Communication Computing and Digital Media (CDM) and Science and Health (CSH) (majors not requiring Calculus) ² Liberal Arts and Social Sciences (LAS) (except for Economics) Theatre (except BFA Theatre Management)	College Calculus, Quantitative Reasoning OR in some cases, certain Statistics courses, with a grade of D or better	Composition and Rhetoric II with a grade of C- or better	Continued study in a language requires a placement test
Business CDM and CSH (majors requiring Calculus) ² LAS (Economics) Theatre (BFA Theatre Management)	College <i>Calculus</i> with a grade of C- or better	Applies to ALL Schools and Colleges except SNL	Applies to ALL Schools and Colleges except SNL
Education Music	College Calculus with a grade of C or better		

¹ SNL does not exempt any students from taking the writing and does not require students to take a foreign language placement. Students wishing to demonstrate proficiency in a foreign language should reference http://snl.depaul.edu/student-resources/undergraduate-resources/Documents/UGradForms/language proficiency.pdf. In addition, while SNL BAIFA students are not required to take the math placement, SNL BAGB, BAC and BADA students are required to do so.

² CSH and CDM majors requiring Calculus are: Actuarial Science, Allied Health Technology, Biology, Chemistry, Environmental Science, Mathematics, Math/Computer Science and Physics

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Math Placement for Freshmen: The DePaul Placement Process is designed to reflect the structure of actual DePaul courses and thus provides students with an important assessment of their familiarity with specific subject areas. All incoming freshmen are required to complete the math placement process. Advanced Placement or other sources of college credit will be evaluated on a case-by-case basis and, where appropriate, applied toward the degree requirements. While it is possible to register for a more advanced course than that recommended, the placement results help the advisor better understand a student's mastery of concepts covered in pre-requisite math courses. This information is also beneficial to students in their first term at DePaul, as they are then able to review math concepts that may present a greater challenge or that have not been studied recently.

Math Placement for Transfer Students: Students transferring in Math credit will be exempt from the Math Placement Process as outlined in the above grid. Transfer students who intend to inter-college transfer, double major in another program, or earn a dual degree in a different program with higher math requirements than the one outlined by their current primary major, are urged to take the math placement test in order to measure readiness for the more rigorous curriculum. Transfer credit must be noted on the DePaul record for the student to be exempt. All external credit should be submitted to the Office of Admission.