

# Math Placement Test

## Why Take the Placement Test?

- You took less than a year of High School Algebra or Integrated Math II
- You did not pass (a year of) High School Algebra or Integrated Math II with at least a C average
- You have a GED and did not take a year of High School Algebra or Integrated Math II

## Taking the Math Placement Test through Chemeketa Community College

### Salem Campus Placement Assessment Hours

Monday, Wednesday & Thursday, 10 am-5 pm

Tuesday, 10 am-8 pm

- No appointment is required, but allow plenty of time for parking, check-in and testing
- Read the *Placement Assessment Map* for parking information on the Salem Campus (See back page)

### Be Prepared for the Accuplacer Placement Test

- A photo ID is required every time you test. The College Board determines acceptable forms of ID as –
  - Drivers license
  - High School ID
  - College ID
  - State or federal ID card
  - Passport
  - Tribal ID card
  - Naturalization card or certificate of citizenship
  - *College Board official ID form*
- Accuplacer is untimed, usually finished in about two hours, but some students need more time
- There are two tests - reading and writing (combined) and math
- You can take the two tests on separate days if you prefer
- The test is free the first time; a re-test in the same calendar year costs \$15 (cash or check)
- We provide you with paper, pencil, calculator, etc. No need to bring them with you.
- If you're taking the test but not enrolling at Chemeketa, the cost is \$25 (cash or check)

\*Placement tests from other accredited Community Colleges will be accepted.

# Placement Assessment at Chemeketa Community College

Building 3, Rooms 267 and 268

Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday, 10:00 am to 5:00 pm

Tuesday, 10:00 am to 8:00 pm

To be ready for placement testing:

- ❑ Bring your Chemeketa student ID number (K#)
- ❑ Bring a photo ID
- ❑ No appointment is required, but allow plenty of time
  - ❑ The Accuplacer placement test is untimed. Most new students finish reading, writing and math in two hours or less, but some students need longer. If you're taking only one subject, plan on 40 to 60 minutes.
- ❑ Get a day parking permit on Salem Campus:
  - ❑ Drive up to the Information Booth next to the Green Lot and push the button to speak with an attendant. They will generate a day pass for you to place on your car dash while you test. If you enter the building before getting a day pass you can get one from Public Safety (Building 2, across from the Information Desk).
- ❑ You can study before testing using the online tools at [go.chemeketa.edu/testing](http://go.chemeketa.edu/testing)

