



PLACEMENT EXAMINATION INFORMATION

All placement exams are administered online through ChetNet. Students are required to complete the exams prior to attending Summer Orientation.

MATHEMATICS

Students at Manchester University must complete a mathematics course as a part of the Manchester Core Program requirements. An academic advisor will help you select the appropriate mathematics course for your area of study.

To ensure placement into an appropriate level, all new students are required to complete the on-line mathematics placement examination prior to attending Summer Orientation. The results of this test will be used in conjunction with your high school records and SAT/ACT scores to determine the course that best meets your academic needs and background. Students who have completed AP courses or college-level courses through another institution should complete the on-line exam to ensure proper placement.

CHEMISTRY

Students intending to study one of these majors - biology, chemistry, biology-chemistry, environmental studies, engineering science, exercise science, medical technology, physics, or pre-pharmacy - AND who have completed a year of high school chemistry are required to take this placement exam. This examination assumes one full year of high school chemistry and one full year of high school algebra. If you have not had a previous year of chemistry, there is no need for you to take the exam. There are three parts of 20 questions each: 1) general mathematics; 2) general chemical information; 3) specific chemical knowledge.

MODERN LANGUAGES

Students who have completed two or more years of high school study in French, German, or Spanish and wish to take a language course at Manchester, must take a placement exam for a specific language. All students who have studied a foreign language in high school are encouraged to take the placement exam even if they do not intend to continue in the language.

MUSIC THEORY

Students interested in either a music major or a music minor should take the Music Theory Placement Exam before Summer Orientation. The Music Theory Placement Exam is for placement purposes only and will not affect admission to the Music Department or scholarship awards. This test is intended to help determine whether students will need to take the Music Fundamentals course during their first semester at Manchester.