

# ACCUPLACER

## Frequently Asked Questions:

### What is the ACCUPLACER?

The ACCUPLACER is the assessment used by MBU to place students into the appropriate English and Mathematics courses.

### How is the ACCUPLACER structured?

The ACCUPLACER is an online test that covers English and Mathematics. The test begins with non-scored demographics questions. Then, the test moves into the scored subject questions. There are 20-25 questions per subject. Each student's test will be different based on incoming GPA and placement needs.

### How much does the ACCUPLACER cost?

The first ACCUPLACER test session costs \$40. If a student wishes to re-take the ACCUPLACER, each subsequent session is \$30. Payment can be made by credit/debit card in advance by contacting Financial Services at (314) 392-2366. Payment can be made on the assessment date for in-person tests by cash or check made out to Missouri Baptist University.

### How do I schedule an appointment to take the ACCUPLACER?

For a virtual/remote test: Fill out this [form](#). You will then receive an email from Accuplacer with instructions on how to set up your online Examity account and take your test.

For an in-person, on-campus test: Go to <https://calendly.com/mbutesting/accuplacer-in-person> and choose an available time. Once you have selected a time, a Testing Center staff member will contact you via email with an ACCUPLACER Voucher number and additional information you will need for your test day.

### Do I need to test in-person or can I take a remote test?

All students can choose whichever test type they would like to take.

### What do I need for my in-person appointment?

You will need a College Board approved photo ID (see end of this form for list of approved IDs), your ACCUPLACER voucher number and payment/proof of payment. It is fine to bring the voucher number and payment receipt on a personal device (like a cell phone), but the device will need to be powered off for the duration of the test. You may also choose to bring bottled water, hard candy, and Kleenex with you. Personal items will be stored away during the test and all items on the desk during testing time will be inspected by the testing proctor before the test begins.

### What do I need for my remote/virtual appointment?

See your email from Accuplacer/Examity for a full list of required items.

### Should I bring pencils or a calculator?

For in-person tests, scratch paper and pencils will be provided in the testing room. Outside calculators are not permitted, but one will be provided on screen during appropriate questions on the mathematics test.

## Do I need to study for the ACCUPLACER?

The results of your ACCUPLACER assessment will place you in the appropriate English and/or Mathematics courses. You may choose to study as much or as little as you desire. To learn more about the ACCUPLACER and see sample questions, go to <https://accuplacer.collegeboard.org/>.

Potential tests include:

- Reading Test
- Writing Test
- Quantitative Reasoning, Algebra, and Statistics (for MATH 123 placement)
- Advanced Algebra and Functions (for MATH 133 placement)

## How can I see my results?

Your results will be displayed when your test is completed. The results, also called an ISR (Individualized Score Report) will list your raw scores and which courses you tested into. This information can be accessed again by going to <https://www.accuplacer.org/>. You may also contact your MBU Student Success Advisor or email [testing@mobap.edu](mailto:testing@mobap.edu) if you have issues accessing your scores.

## Can I retake the ACCUPLACER?

Yes, students may choose to retake the ACCUPLACER if they are not satisfied with their scores. Students may re-test up to two times after the initial test, with at least 7 days between each test date. To register for a new test session, email [testing@mobap.edu](mailto:testing@mobap.edu).

## Who can I contact at MBU if I need to reschedule/cancel my appointment or if I have questions?

For questions prior to your test or to reschedule/cancel your appointment, email [testing@mobap.edu](mailto:testing@mobap.edu). Once the test is complete, if you have questions about your scores or placement, contact your Student Success Advisor or email [testing@mobap.edu](mailto:testing@mobap.edu).

## College Board Approved photo IDs:

- Driver's license
- State-approved or federal ID
- Military ID
- Middle or High School ID
- College ID
- Passport
- Tribal ID
- Naturalization card or certificate of citizenship
- College Board official ID form (requires high school or notary signature)