Assessment Hours

Assessment testing is available on a walk-in basis only. Our office is located inside the Counseling Center, SSB-201

Bring your valid CA picture ID <u>and</u> your 7-digit Crafton Hills College ID number. If you no longer have this number, you may contact the Admissions Office.

<u>AFTER</u> you have submitted the admissions application:

- 1. Review this brochure
- 2. Visit available study guide websites
- 3. Take the Assessment Test
- 4. See a Counselor

REGULAR HOURS*

Monday—Thursday 8a—5p
Friday (Feb thru April) Closed
Friday (May thru August) 10a—1p

JUNE AND JULY HOURS*

Monday—Thursday

8a—5p

Closed 3rd and 4th week of Fall and Spring semesters

*Hours subject to change. Call prior to arrival for changes

Skill Building Websites

To help you prepare for the Accuplacer Assessment Test

MATH

AIMS Community College Practice Tests

- 1. Go to www.aims.edu
- 2. Click on Student Resources
- 3. Click on Assessment Office
- 4. Click on Accuplacer Study Guides

MYMATHTEST.COM

- 1. Go to www.mymathtest.com
- 2. Click on Take The Test
- 3. Take a test

INTERNET SITES

The Internet offers many useful Math, English and Reading review sites. Feel free to review in any area that you believe will help you when you take our Assessment test. Since we do not know which test level you will receive, review in the areas that you choose.



Your future is on the rise

Student Guide
To the
Assessment
Process

Phone: 909-389-3361 Fax: 909-389-1617

Email: assessment@craftonhills.edu

About Accuplacer®

Accuplacer® is a computerized adaptive test. The computer automatically determines which questions are presented to you based on your responses to prior questions. This technique allows the test program to select just the right questions to ask without being too easy or too difficult.

The Accuplacer® test is not pass/fail. However the test will give your placements based on multiple measures that are built into the test program.

There are 4 basic parts that comprise the Accuplacer® test: Reading Comprehension, Sentence Skills, Elementary Algebra along with either Arithmetic and/or College Level Math. The level of Math that you are given is based on how you scored on the previous Math test.

Relax, take a deep breath, and try to do your best. Your scores will determine your placement into Math, Reading and English. You will not be able to re-take the test.

Since this is your only chance to take the assessment test, you <u>MUST</u> come prepared to test. Rest, eat, allow enough time, relax and concentrate.

Scratch paper and pencils are provided.

Allow a minimum of 2 hours

Cell phones and calculators are not allowed in the test area.

What Accuplacer Covers

Reading Comprehension

Identifying Main Ideas
Direct Statements/Secondary Ideas
Inferences
Applications Sentence Relationships

Sentence Skills

Recognize Complete Sentences Clauses and Phrases Clear Sentence Logic

Arithmetic

Whole numbers and fractions Decimals and Percents Applications and Problem Solving

Elementary Algebra

Signed Numbers and Rational Numbers Algebraic Expressions Equations, Inequalities and Word Problems

College Level Math

Factoring & Expanding polynomials Inequalities
Graphing
Exponential Functions
Complex numbers
Since your scores and placements are valid for two years, we strongly encourage you to take the time and read this brochure and follow the tips.

Good Luck!

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It is a good idea to review practice tests on our website.

Test-taking tips

Multiple Choice questions Eliminate obviously wrong answers Test your choice by plugging it in

Test Anxiety

Breath deeply
Take your time
Do relaxation moves for 30 seconds
Roll head back and forth
Close your eyes

Suggestions

If you feel you need to review prior to taking the test, use the web resources we have listed on the reverse side of this brochure.

Take as much time reviewing before coming to the Assessment Center. Once you are here, you will not be allowed to take your review materials into the center when you are testing.

Call us if you have any questions or concerns. Your success at Crafton Hills College is why we are here.