COLLEGE ALGEBRA

Is your student college ready for mathematics?

Academic evidence in pursuit of STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, & Math) degrees

COLLEGE ALGEBRA (*Freshman college credit course) MARGINALLY PREPARED	 Math Learning: Eight credits college bound level math and Statistics without repeating a course Algebra I, II, Geometry (or Integrated), Finite/Discrete, and Statistics (one semester) Success trend: 75 - 85 percent 	Working Knowledge of: • Fractional operations calculator free • Like terms; polynomial operations • Exponent rules • Problem solving • Solving linear equations • Solving system of equations (2x2, 3x3)
	Standardized Test Scores: • SAT composite score: 800 - 999 • ACT composite score: 15 - 19 • PASS ECA Core 40	 Plane graphing (linear equations, systems of equations, and solving)
	Familiar with: • Logarithms • Simplifying radicals • Factoring • Special triangles • Pythagorean theorem • Right triangle trigonometry	 Solving equations (quadratic, exponential, domain, and range) Plane graphing (inequalities, even/odd functions (end behavior/asymptotes)) Standard form of special cases (absolute value, conics, exponential, logarithmic, quadratic, radical, cubic, rational - ¼ and ¼²)
COLLEGE ALGEBRA (*Freshman college credit course) PREPARED	 Math Learning: Eight credits college bound level math and Statistics without repeating a course Algebra I, II, Geometry (or Integrated), Finite/Discrete (possibly dual credit), and Statistics (one semester) Success trend: 80 percent or higher 	 Confident Knowledge of: Fractional operations calculator free Like terms; polynomial operations Exponent rules Problem solving Solving equations (linear, systems of equations 2x2, 3x3) Plane graphing (linear equations, systems of equations, and solving)
	Standardized Test Scores: • SAT composite score: 1000 - 1199 • ACT composite score: 20 - 25 • PASS ECA Core 40	
	Familiar with: • Logarithms • Simplifying radicals • Factoring • Special triangles • Pythagorean theorem • Unit circle trigonometry (trigonometric equations/identities/properties)	 Solving equations (quadratic, exponential, domain, and range) Plane graphing (inequalities, even/odd functions (end behavior/asymptotes)) Standard form of special cases (absolute value, conics, exponential, logarithmic, quadratic, radical, cubic, rational - ¹/_x and ¹/_{x²})

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