



MaRC/Math Placement FAQs

1. What is the MaRC?

The MaRC (Mathematics Resource Center) is a free math tutoring center for Math 200 (Multivariable Calculus) and below. The MaRC offers in-person, drop-in sessions, and online scheduled appointments. Peer tutors are available to help answer any questions about homework assignments or course materials.

2. What is my math placement?

Your math placement level is usually based on your ACT/SAT math score or your math placement assessments on ALEKS PPL. For example, if your math placement level is 101 you can take any course numbered Math 101 or below depending on your major. If you are thinking of majoring in general Business, you should take Math 101. However, if your math placement level is 101 and you are thinking of majoring in Engineering you should take Math 006 and then Math 108 and Math 109. You can also take the math placement assessments to attempt to improve your math placement level.

3. What is the math placement assessment and how can I take it?

The math placement assessments on ALEKS PPL are available for students wishing to improve their math placement or need math placement. The [MaRC web page](#) has more information.

If you have any math placement questions, please contact the MaRC Director, Molly Peterson, at pete1476@stthomas.edu.