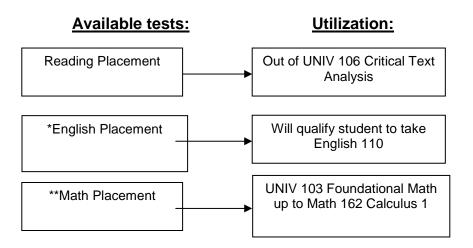
ACCUPLACER Placement Testing

<u>Description</u>: ACCUPLACER is a comprehensive computer adaptive placement testing system that is developed by CollegeBoard. ACCUPLACER helps place students in appropriate courses; it assists in matching a student's skill level with an appropriate course. Currently, the University of New Mexico utilizes ACT/SAT scores to place students into a specific course. ACCUPLACER testing is intended for Introductory Studies students, returning students, and students who need a current assessment of their skill level.



<u>Important Information Regarding Reading and English Placement</u>: The Reading Placement is used for placing students out of or into UNIV 106 Critical Text Analysis. The **English Placement** is used for placing students into appropriate English classes. The English Placement is **NOT** used for placing students out of English 110 and into English 120. These tests are for placement only, <u>not for course credits</u>.

<u>Important Information Regarding Math Placement</u>: The **Math Placement** is utilized for placing students in courses ranging from UNIV 103 Foundational Math up to Math 162 Calculus. Please note the Mathematics Department uses the highest valid score for placement. This test is for placement only, <u>not for course credit</u>.

Sample Questions: Some sample questions are online at: https://accuplacer.collegeboard.org

<u>Length</u>: The ACCUPLACER tests are untimed so students can work at their own pace. Generally students complete *each* test in 1 hour.

<u>Cost</u>: There is a \$5.00 fee per ACCUPLACER test. Visit our website (test.unm.edu) and visit payment tab for details. All fees are <u>Non-Refundable</u>.

<u>Where</u>: Testing Center at Casas Del Rio, <u>420 Redondo East Bldg #2 (West side of Bldg.)</u>, <u>Albuquerque</u>, <u>NM 87106</u>. (North of Johnson Field).

<u>When</u>: No appointment necessary (walk-in). Testing hours are Monday-Friday from 8am-2pm. Some exceptions may apply based on availability and/or staffing. *Testing fee receipt, valid picture identification and UNM student ID number is <u>required</u> at the time of testing.*

Results: Results with placement recommendations will be available upon completion of the test(s).

^{*}Additional **Math test** information. Personal calculators are <u>not</u> allowed. However, an onscreen calculator (basic and scientific) will be provided from within the exam when needed.

^{**} Students may only take the placement test(s) once per day.