

Placement Standards for College-level Math

MATH 106 – College Algebra Pathway: Primarily for students pursuing Business, Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (B-STEM) education.

B-STEM Placement Standards (MATH 106 – College Algebra)

Time Since High School Completion	High School Performance		NVC Course Placement
Graduated High School less than 10 years ago	Has a "B-" or higher in HS Algebra 2 or Math III (both semesters)		MATH 106
	Does not have a "B-" or Higher in HS Algebra 2 or Math III and...	Has a HS GPA 3.4 or higher (unweighted, cumulative)	MATH 106 OR MATH 86 with MATH 106
		Has a HS GPA between 2.6 - 3.4 (unweighted, cumulative)	MATH 86 with MATH 106 OR MATH 95
		Has a HS GPA lower than 2.6 (unweighted, cumulative)	MATH 95 <i>Recommended</i> MATH 85 OR MATH 86 with MATH 106 <i>Allowed</i>
Graduated High School more than 10 years ago or did not graduate.			MATH 85 OR MATH 95 OR MATH 86 with MATH 106

MATH 86 will provide the algebra concepts needed for success in MATH 106. When you enroll in MATH 86 you will also enroll in the MATH 106 section linked to your MATH 86 course.