

Ability to Benefit (ATB) Testing For Financial Aid Eligibility

Please present this information sheet to the Assessment Center. It identifies you as an ATB candidate, which is necessary for your testing.

The ACCUPLACER test can be taken during the following times. No appointment is necessary. You **must** show a picture ID; we cannot allow anyone to test if they do not bring a photo ID.

Monday – Thursday	9 am to 6 pm
Friday	9 am to 5 pm

The ACCUPLACER is used to determine your readiness for coursework here at Red Rocks Community College. You will be tested on your abilities in Reading Comprehension, Sentence Skills, and Arithmetic. Here is the minimum level of scores you will need:

Reading Comprehension	55
Sentence Skills	60
Arithmetic	34

If you are testing in order to be eligible for financial aid, all three parts of the test must be taken and passed with minimum score in one testing session. Federal regulations require a complete ACCUPLACER score report with all three qualifying scores. The test is untimed, but generally takes 90 minutes. The test is taken on a computer and you will receive your scores as soon as you are finished.

Please be sure to tell the Assessment Center staff that you are taking the ACCUPLACER for ATB. They need to know this so they will set up the tests correctly for you and will not charge you for the tests.

After completing the ACCUPLACER assessment and receiving your score report, please bring it to the Financial Aid Office.

The Assessment Center website has study guides for the ACCUPLACER test at: http://www.rrcc.edu/assessment/accuplac_test.html