Save Thousands of Dollars with Accurate Mathematics Placement

Andrews' math department would like your math journey to be as efficient, low-stress, and enjoyable. Here are steps that you can take this summer to jumpstart a successful math journey:

- 1) **Check** your current official math placement score on <u>iVue</u> (either by math placement score or by transfer credit for college algebra, pre-calculus or calculus).
- 2) **Discuss** your math placement with your academic advisor.
- 3) If you have a math placement that you are satisfied with, go to Step 8.
- 4) If you do not have a math placement or would like to work toward a better math placement, **enroll** in ALEKS PPL.
- 5) In PPL you have access to 3 unproctored assessments and up to 6 months of review in a learning module. Use these tools to see your PPL math placement score and then to review and learn concepts until you are satisfied with the assessment placement. In order to gain an accurate picture, be sure you treat these practice assessments just like the real one—don't use any outside resources, including notes, calculator, or people.
- 6) If your PPL score is higher than your official score on iVue, or if you have no official score, then sign up for an on-campus proctored assessment. You will complete this proctored assessment in your PPL account just as you did the unproctored assessments, so you will have no surprises. You will earn an official math placement score based on the proctored assessment, and you are ready to go to Step 8.
- 7) If your PPL score agrees with your official score, you do not need to take a proctored assessment. Continue to work in the learning module to reduce your study time in your first math class or to accelerate your math journey.
- 8) Work with your advisor to **schedule** any required math courses as early in your college experience as possible.

accurate placement + adequate preparation = time saved + money saved