



CRITERIA FOR WAIVERS

Reading and Writing Levels

Tests

ACT Reading 20+.....	R5
ACT English 20+.....	W6
SAT Verbal/Critical Reading 430+.....	R5, W6
TOEFL.....	none
AP English score 3+ or IB English A1 HL score 5+...R5, W8	
CLEP Fresh Comp/Modular ¹ , Engl Lit, Am Lit 65%+ (50pts).R5, W8	
Other schools' tests (WorkKeys, COMPASS, ASSET, etc.) ² ... None	

¹ **no levels** from CLEP Engl Comp or Coll Comp w/out Modular.

Classes

College Freshm. Eng/Wrt/Comp/Rhet 2.0+ (incl cr fr AP or CLEP)....	R5, W8
Coll. non-comp. literature 2.0+.....	R5, W6
Developmental Reading or Writ.....	None
English as a Second Language.....	None
9cr Soc Sci or Humanities w/ 3.0+ ..	R5, W6 ³
Freshman Engl in-progress.....	None

² except Accuplacers.

Degrees

Associate.....	R5, W8
Bachelor.....	R9, W9
MA/MS, Ed.D./JD/Ph.D. (U.S.).....	R9, W9
Deg. fr English-speaking country.....	R9, W9
Deg. fr non-English-speaking country.	None

³ Must be **3.0+** (not 2.0-2.5), and if these classes are offset by many grades below 2.0, or if Freshman Comp is below 2.0, then **no levels can be given.**

Math Levels (2.0+ in college classes or ACT Math 22+ no more than 2 yrs old)

Basic Math.....	None	Pre-calc I/Pre-calc w/out Trig...M7 ⁸	Calculus I or higher.....	M9 ¹⁰	Statistics, Accounting, Econ..	None
Intro/Beginning Algebra.....	None ^{4,5}	Pre-calculus II.....	Intermed Alg or higher <i>in-progress</i> .	Contact M Dept	SAT, GRE, etc.....	None
Intermed Alg ^{4,5} or ACT Math 22+...M6		Trigonometry/Pre-Calculus.....	AP Calculus AB 3.....	M9	Other school's non-Accuplacer test	
Finite Math.....	M6	Calc w/ Apps or Survey of Calc.M7 ⁹	AP Calculus AB 4-5 or BC 3-5.....	M9 ^{10,11}	(WorkKeys, COMPASS, ASSET, etc.)..	None
Math for Elem Ed I or II.....	M6					
College Algebra.....	M6 ^{6,7,8}					

⁴ GVSU's MTH110 "Algebra" is actually Intermed Alg, giving M6. However, grade of "P" indicates test rather than class, so no level given from "P."
⁵ Washtenaw's MTH097 is called only "Foundations of Alg" but is actually Intermed Alg, giving M6.
⁶ Davenport's MATH120 is called "College Math" but is equivalent only to LCC's 119 and thus does **not** give a level.
⁷ STAT170's posted prereq is M7, but Coll Alg is OK for override.
⁸ GVSU's MTH122 and NW Mich Coll MTH121 are called "College Alg" but are equiv to LCC's 121, giving M7.
⁹ Although posted prereq of PHYS221 is M9, Calc w/Apps is OK for override
¹⁰ To take a class higher than Calc I, an override will be needed.
¹¹ AP Calc AB 4-5 or BC 3 = 151; AP Calc BC 4-5 = 151+152.

Prerequisite Overrides

If an LCC course lists another course as its prerequisite, you need to have taken that prerequisite course first. To give a prerequisite override to allow registration, the Waiver Team must see the correct class on your transcript. *If your classes do not exactly match LCC's posted prereq or if our 1- to 3-business day turnaround time does not meet your needs*, you may contact the department offering the course(s) you want to take. (See contact information in the schedule book or online: <http://www.lcc.edu/academics/>.)

In-Progress: All requests for waivers from classes still in-progress at other schools must go to the respective departments: <http://www.lcc.edu/academics/>.

Science Courses with Math Level error only: If student has passed the necessary math *within previous eight years* or so, **override OK.**

BIOL201, 203, or 127 prerequisites (Valid if taken within previous 8 or 10yrs—all else, ask Science Dept 517.483.1092 <http://www.lcc.edu/science/contact.aspx>.)

Cell Biology (LCC BIOL127, MSU BS111+ 111L , etc) ¹²	Yes	AP Bio test score 4+ or IB Bio test score 5+ (equiv to BIOL127 and 128).....	Yes	Human Anat or Microbio under 2.0.....	No waiver
Hum Anat 2.0+ (MSU ANTR350+ 381 , KIN216 + 217 , etc) ¹²	Yes	AP Chem test, score 4+ (equiv to CHEM151, 161, and 152).....	Yes	Intro Anat & Phys (LCC BIOL145, etc).....	No waiver
Microbio (LCC BIOL203, MSU MIC/MMG205 or 301).....	Yes	BS/MS/Ph.D. in Chem, Bio, etc (any age OK). Yes		Basic/Intro Chem ¹³ (LCC CHEM125, etc).....	No waiver
Gen Chem or higher (LCC CHEM151, MSU CEM141, etc) ¹³	Yes	¹⁴ Exceptions: "Gen'l Bio"/"Intro Bio" that will give BIOL201 or 203 override: Alma BIO121... (= 127) Davenport BIOL100... (= 121)		General/Intro Biology ¹⁴	No waiver
Intro Orgo Chem (LCC CHEM182, MSU CEM143, etc).....	Yes			Organismal Bio (LCC BIOL128, MSU BS110, etc).....	No waiver
Orgo Chem or higher (LCC CHEM251, MSU CEM251, etc).....	Yes				

¹² Lab (boldfaced) **must** have been taken—otherwise, **no waiver.**
¹³ CMU's CHM131 is called only "Intro to Chem I," but it transfers in as LCC CHEM151 and 161: **BIOL201 or 203 override OK.**
 GRCC BI101..... (= 121) GVSU BIO120 or 103. (= 127 or 121)
 Henry Ford BIO131..... (= 121) Jackson CC BIO131..... (= 127)
 KVCC BIO100..... (= 121) Kirtland BIO101..... (= 127)
 Lake MI BIOL101. (= 121) Macomb BIOL100. (= 121)
 MSU ISB204+**208L**¹² (= 121) Mid-Mich BIO101. (= 121) Mott BIOL111... (= 121)
 NCMC BIO151. (= 127) NMU BII11..... (= 121) OCC BIO1530... (= 121)

BIOL202 prerequisite (Must be *entire class* in Hum Anat w/ lab¹⁵ taken w/in prev. 8yrs—all else, ask Sci Dept 517.483.1092)

A&P would be only LCC BIOL145.....	No waiver	SVSU BIOL101..... (= 127)	Sch'crft BIOL101 or 120. (= 127)
A&P I ¹⁶ would be only half of LCC BIOL201 and half of LCC BIOL202.....	No waiver	Washtenaw BIO101 or 103. (= 121 or 127)	WCCC BIO155..... (= 121) WMU BIOS112+ 110 ¹² . (= 121)

¹⁵ MSU's ANTR350 (and KIN216) do not include a lab and **will not give override w/out lab ANTR381, ANTR485, KIN217, or LCC BIOL214.**
¹⁶ Exception: Override to take BIOL202 can be granted from Mott's BIOL151 "A&P I."

Sign Language Courses: LCC ASL prereqs are very specific, so for overrides to take SIGN162 or above, contact Dept 517.483.1040 http://www.lcc.edu/cma/sign_lang/.

CITN Courses: All CITN above 220¹⁷ require Cisco Academy coursework, not just a college course. Contact MAIT Dept 517.483.1546 <http://www.lcc.edu/cit/contact.aspx>.

¹⁷ Because of current Cisco requirements, LCC CITN220 taken before Fall 2008 **will not** satisfy the current prerequisite to higher CITN courses. Contact MAIT Dept.