

**To:** Instructors of Math 21A  
**From:** Perry A. Gee, Student Advising Assistant  
**Date:** June 20, 2006  
**Re:** Mathematics Placement Requirement (MPR)

All students enrolling in Math 21A are required to satisfy the Mathematics Placement Requirement. The MPR can be satisfied by either taking the Pre-calculus Diagnostic Examination administered by the Learning Skills Center, by passing Math 12 with a C or higher, or by passing Math 16A with a C- or higher. Please summarize the following information on your syllabus AND read the following to your students on at least one occasion before **Tuesday, June 27, 2006.**

For those students who have not taken Math 12 and passed it with at least a C (not a C-) or taken Math 16A and passed it with at least a C-, a Pre-calculus Diagnostic Examination score of 35 or higher AND a score of 3 or higher on the trigonometric component of the exam is required for enrollment in Mathematics 21A. Please stress to your students that after the second week, all students who have not satisfied the MPR will be dropped by the Math Department no matter what anyone else, including an adviser or an instructor, may have told them.

If students have taken Math 12 or Math 16A in any quarter prior to Spring 2006, they must notify me with that information.

Write on the board:

You will be dropped from this course if you have not satisfied the Mathematics Placement Requirement which is:

- \* passing Math 12 with a grade of at least C (not C-)
- \* passing Math 16A with a grade of at least C-
- OR**
- \* receiving a diagnostic score of at least 35 and at least a 3 on the trigonometric component on the Precalculus Exam

**THIS IS A REQUIREMENT**

The Pre-calculus Diagnostic Examination for Summer Sessions I will be held on:

**\*Tuesday, June 27, 2006**  
**3216 Dutton Hall at 11:00 a.m.**

*\* Please note that this date is ONLY for those students enrolled for Summer Sessions I. Scores earned on this date will not count towards courses scheduled during Summer Sessions II. If you have further questions, please contact the Learning Skills Center at 530-752-2013*