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Math Placement Policy

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As a college prep school, America's Finest Charter School places great importance on providing quality math instruction for students and ensuring they are pushed to the best of their abilities. Our hope is to have as many students in Calculus AB their senior year as possible. This will be done by having accelerated courses for those who enter into 9th grade without having yet completed Integrated Math I.

One of the defining aspects of our school is our dual-pathway program, offering choices in either our engineering or international studies pathway. Our goal is to have our engineering students college bound for a 4-year engineering program. To do this, we find it imperative that they are enrolled and pass Calculus AB by their senior year.

Assessment:

We will use a wide range of sources to dictate placement into the appropriate math program in 9th grade. These will include:

Smarter Balanced Assessment Scores

Grades from previous math courses

Performance in online math programs

Diagnostic tests given to incoming 9th graders

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