

# Math Placement Student Communication Plan

## **Spring 2025 Incoming Students**

- Auto-loading to ALEKS as part of the 2024-2025 cohort.
- Notifications sent through Slate and kicked off by the Admissions team
- Incoming students are receiving notifications to take the ALEKS assessment once they deposit.
- Message features mandatory to test, how to access the test, link to additional information about ALEKS, due dates.
- Note: students encouraged to begin testing within 2 days of communication. Cannot be scheduled unless tested.
- Students scores are pushed to Banner through Slate. The score (type = MALK) is stored in SOATEST and is currently viewable on the Deposited Student Report (column AO), in the myESU portal (Student Information Menu→View Test Scores), and in WarriorFish (Student→Overview→Student Information).
- [Spring 2025 Student Communication Notice](#)

## **Fall 2024 New Freshmen**

- Auto-loaded to ALEKS as part of the 2024-2025 cohort.
- Previously notified through Slate until the beginning of the fall 2024 semester.
- Second tier reminder and retest notification sent through WarriorFish as kicked off by Math department.
- Two cohorts of students
  - No ALEKS: have not taken the ALEKS assessment
  - Low ALEKS: have taken the ALEKS assessment but did not score high enough to place into the Math course needed for their degree program AND did not take a Math course in fall 2024.
- Initial communication for this group began in early August through end of August to help students get situated in the correct Math class for the fall 2024 semester.
- Communication will begin again during the week of 10/14/24. A strong emphasis is placed on majors whose academic program requires a Math class to complete assessment before they register. The freshmen registration start date is November 4<sup>th</sup>.
- In WarriorFish, this item is placed on students as a To-Do for intervention tracking. The To-Do triggers communication to the student, informs their academic advisor and the Records Ops team. Once students take the ALEKS, a report is sent to the Records Ops team to enter the score in Banner. The score will appear in WarriorFish and the myESU portal. When the score appears in WarriorFish, the To-Do item will be marked completed and trigger a communication to the academic advisor.
- [Fall 2024 Student Communication Notice \(No ALEKS\)](#)
- [Fall 2024 Student Communication Notice \(Low ALEKS\)](#)

### **Continuing Students who began prior to Fall 2024**

- Manually loaded to ALEKS to be added to the 2024-2025 cohort.
- Notification sent through WarriorFish and kicked off by Math department.
- One cohort of students
  - Deficient Math Competency: have not taken or passed the hardcopy Math Competency test. Note: these students may have a MH hold (i.e., Not Demonstrated Math Competency).
- Communication will begin during the week of 10/14/24. A strong emphasis is placed on majors whose academic program requires a Math class to complete the ALEKS assessment before spring 2025 registration begins on October 31<sup>st</sup>.
- In WarriorFish, this item is placed on students as a To-Do for intervention tracking. The To-Do triggers communication to the student, informs their academic advisor and the Records Ops team. Once students take the ALEKS assessment, a report is sent to the Records Ops team to enter the score in Banner. The score will appear in WarriorFish and the myESU portal. When the score appears in WarriorFish, the To-Do item will be marked completed and trigger a communication to the academic advisor.
- [Continuing Students Communication Notice](#)

## Spring 2025 Incoming Students Communication

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[Test] Ramir, Let's Get Started with Your Math Placement!

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From East Stroudsburg University <admission@esu.edu>

Date Fri 10/18/2024 8:28 AM

To Kizzy Morris <kmorris@esu.edu>



**EAST  
STROUDSBURG  
UNIVERSITY**



## Ramir, let's get you started!

Wondering what classes you will be taking this Spring at ESU? All new freshmen and transfer students must complete their math placement skills assessment within the next 48 hours. Click the link below to **register** and **begin** your assessment.

[START NOW](#)

This is a **mandatory** step for all students.

Have you already **activated your ESU email**? Ensure your ESU email is activated at least one hour before starting the math placement assessment. The username will be everything before the @live.esu.edu.

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**SAT Math**  
**ACT Math**  
**AP Mathematics**  
**CLEP Mathematics Score**  
**Any College Math Course**

## SKIP THE ALEKS

One of these tests or college course(s) may have an impact on your math placement. Send your test scores or college transcripts, and we'll review them to see if they can replace the ALEKS assessment. Click the link to learn more about what tests, scores, or grades can replace the placement exam.

[LEARN MORE](#)

## DUE DATE & QUESTIONS

- Complete the math placement skills assessment within 48 hours.
- Ensure your ESU email is activated at least one hour before starting.
- This step helps us prepare your schedule and place you in the right courses.
- For more details or questions, visit our webpage to connect with a success coach or faculty.



[LEARN MORE](#)

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## WHERE WARRIORS BELONG

**East Stroudsburg University**  
(570) 422-3542 | [admission@esu.edu](mailto:admission@esu.edu) | [esu.edu](http://esu.edu)

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Note: Students are reminded weekly (every 7 days) on all communications

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### **Fall 2024 No ALEKS Communication (initial)**

Hello STUDENT FIRST NAME,

Registration for the spring 2025 semester will begin soon. You and your academic advisor will connect to review your degree program and discuss how you will follow the courses and overall requirements for completion. We noticed that you did not take the ALEKS PPL test score and are missing your first required MATH course in your degree program. Please check the attached chart to determine what MATH course is required for your degree program and the score you should work to achieve.

Remember, you can take the test 5 times to get to the minimum score for your required MATH course, but you must complete the learning modules between each attempt to improve your score. Access the ALEKS PPL test by clicking on this link, <https://www.esu.edu/mathematics/aleks/what-is-aleks.cfm>. Login using your ESU email credentials.

It is essential that you take the ALEKS PPL test before registering for the spring 2025 semester. Otherwise, you may delay your degree progress and impact other courses needed in your degree program. You can check your progress towards your degree by accessing your DegreeWorks from the myESU portal, please connect and follow-up with your academic advisor.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

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### **Fall 2024 Low ALEKS Communication (initial)**

Hello STUDENT FIRST NAME,

Registration for the spring 2025 semester will begin soon. You and your academic advisor will connect to review your degree program and discuss how you will follow the courses and overall requirements for completion. Your previous ALEKS PPL score did not place you into the first required MATH course in your degree program. Access the attached chart to determine what MATH course is required for your degree program and the score you should work to achieve.

Remember, you can take the test 5 times to get to the minimum score for your required MATH course, but you must complete the learning modules between each attempt to improve your score. Access the ALEKS PPL test by clicking on this link, <https://www.esu.edu/mathematics/aleks/what-is-aleks.cfm>. Login using your ESU email credentials.

It is essential that you update your ALEKS PPL score before registering for the spring 2025 semester. Otherwise, not taking your required MATH course(s) on time, could extend your time to degree completion. Also, be sure to check your progress towards your degree by accessing your DegreeWorks from the myESU portal and work with your academic advisor.

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**Continuing Students No Math Competency Communication (initial)**

Hello STUDENT FIRST NAME,

Registration for the spring 2025 semester will begin soon. You and your academic advisor will connect to review your degree program and discuss how you will follow the courses and overall requirements for completion. You were previously sent notices and invited to sign up to take the Math Competency test which would have indicated your readiness to take your first required MATH course in your degree program. Unfortunately, you still have not demonstrated Math Competency and must now take the ALEKS PPL test online.

Access the ALEKS PPL test by clicking on this link, [https://secure.aleks.com/shiblogon/sso?sso\\_account=f2c82c1&enroll\\_class\\_code=T4DUL-VG3VL](https://secure.aleks.com/shiblogon/sso?sso_account=f2c82c1&enroll_class_code=T4DUL-VG3VL). Login using your ESU email credentials. You can take the test up to 5 times to get to the minimum score for your required MATH course, but you must complete the learning modules between each attempt to improve your score.

Check the attached chart to determine what MATH course is required for your degree program and the score you should work to achieve.

It is essential that you take the ALEKS PPL test before registering for the spring 2025 semester. Otherwise, you may delay your degree progress and impact other courses needed in your degree program. You can check your progress towards your degree by accessing your DegreeWorks from the myESU portal, please connect and follow-up with your academic advisor.

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