

## Developmental/ Remedial Courses in Iowa Community Colleges

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### Headings:

**College & Information Source:** Name of college and the individual who provided the information

**Developmental Classes Available:** Areas in which developmental classes are available and/or particular classes available at this school.

**Requirements & Support Documents:** Requirements at this institution for completion of developmental coursework, and any support information with more detail about individual class requirements.

**Assessments Used:** Assessment results that are used to make determination of whether/what developmental classes are recommended or required for a student.

**Fee:** Fees charged to a student to take developmental classes.

**Fund, Student Loans:** If the fee can be funded through a loan, and if that includes federal student loans.

**Graded:** Whether the developmental classes are graded.

**Apply to GPA:** If developmental classes are graded, is the grade applied to the student's GPA.

**Count toward Degree or Cert Completion:** If completed developmental classes count toward any degree or certifications.

College & Information Source	Developmental Classes Available	Requirements & Support Documents	Assessments Used	Fee	Fund Student Loans	Graded	Apply to GPA	Count toward Degree or Cert Completion
<b>DMACC</b> Heidi Heilskov, <a href="mailto:haheilskov@dmacc.edu">haheilskov@dmacc.edu</a> Registrar's office 515-964-6564	Reading Writing Math	Suggested not required  <a href="#">Placement Scores Chart</a>	<a href="#">Placement Scores Chart</a>	Yes, at regular credit-hour rate	Yes	Yes	No	No
<b>Eastern IA CC</b> Diane Schmidt <a href="mailto:dischmidt@eicc.edu">dischmidt@eicc.edu</a> Registrar's office 563-441-4131	Reading Writing Math	Not Required for General Admission; <b>Required for admission to specific programs;</b> Requirements set by College/Program	Reading & Writing: Review HS Transcript, ACT, SAT, Hi Set Math: ACT, SAT, ALEKS	Yes, at regular credit-hour rate	Yes	Yes	No	No

<b>Hawkeye CC</b> Anthony Smothers <a href="mailto:anthony.smothers@hawkeyecollege.edu">anthony.smothers@hawkeyecollege.edu</a> Registrar's office 319-296-4214	Reading Writing Math	Required for writing and math; Must complete before taking credited classes in those areas. Suggested for reading. <a href="#">Assessment Scores</a>	COMPASS ACT ACCUPLACER ACCUPLACER NG SAT HS GPA  <a href="#">Assessment Scores</a>	Yes, at regular credit-hour rate	Yes	Yes	Yes, to overall Hawkeye GPA, not counted for program GPA	No
<b>Indian Hills CC</b> Noel Gorden Dean Centerville Campus, Student Learning and Developmental Education <a href="mailto:noel.gorden@indianhills.edu">noel.gorden@indianhills.edu</a> 641-483-5181	Reading Writing Math	Writing mandatory requirement Math & Reading, only suggested  <a href="#">Placement Chart</a>	 <a href="#">Placement Chart</a>	Yes, at regular credit-hour rate	Yes	Pass/Fail One class, Elements of Writing is graded	Elements of Writing grade applies & any failed Developmental classes; Passed classes not factored in GPA	Elements of Writing class is the only class that could be used, and only as an elective credit
<b>Iowa Central CC</b> Courtney Kopp <a href="mailto:Kopp@iowacentral.edu">Kopp@iowacentral.edu</a> Registrar's office 515-574-1020	Reading Writing Math	The college requires (mandatory) successful completion of the developmental coursework (grade C or better) prior to credit bearing coursework in that area. Requirements vary depending on the area of study. <a href="#">Mandatory Assessment Chart</a>	 <a href="#">Mandatory Assessment Chart</a>	Yes, at regular credit-hour rate	Yes	Pass/Fail	No	No

<b>Iowa Lakes CC</b> Barb Grandstaff <a href="mailto:bgrandstaff@iowalakes.edu">bgrandstaff@iowalakes.edu</a> Registrar's office 712-362-7923 Ext. 7923	Reading Writing Math	The college requires (mandatory) successful completion of developmental coursework prior to any credit bearing coursework in that area <a href="#">Placement Exam Score Guide</a>	<a href="#">Placement Exam Score Guide</a>	Yes, at regular credit-hour rate	Yes, if also taking credit bearing class	Yes	No	No
<b>Iowa Valley CC</b> Kathleen Brown <a href="mailto:kathleen.brown@iavalley.edu">kathleen.brown@iavalley.edu</a> Registrar's office 641-844-5715	Reading Writing Math	Writing & math, must complete before taking credited classes (C or better) in those areas. Suggested for reading. Exception/ waiver of developmental class requirements may be granted if both student & student's advisor sign off on the <i>Acceptance of Responsibility</i> form <a href="#">Cut-off Scores</a>	<a href="#">Cut-off Scores</a>	Yes, at regular credit-hour rate	Yes	Yes	No	No
<b>Iowa Western CC</b> Jill Clark, Registrar <a href="mailto:jclark@iwcc.edu">jclark@iwcc.edu</a> Registrar's office 712-325-3285	Math Only one Dev. class offering since Fall 2019 <b>Support for Statistics</b>	None required <b>Support for Statistics</b> is for individuals who have not had previous experiences/taken	Information from the student, HS Transcript, College entrance exams	Yes, at regular credit-hour rate	Yes	Yes	Yes	No

		coursework in preparation for college statistics class.						
<b>Kirkwood CC</b> Dena Rauch, <a href="mailto:dena.rauch@kirkwood.edu">dena.rauch@kirkwood.edu</a> Registrar's office 319-398-7600	Reading Writing Math	Reading, suggested, not required.  Based on <a href="#">Placement Chart</a> , required for writing & math; Must complete before taking college level classes in those areas. <b>Or</b> Class may be waived with successful completion of a corequisite 1 credit hour support class with classroom teacher taken in conjunction with the college level class. (This option piloted during 2019-2020.)	ACT, SAT, Accuplacer, ALEKS, HS GPA (writing) <a href="#">Placement Chart</a>	Yes, at regular credit-hour rate	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
<b>North Iowa Area CC</b> Michelle Petznick <a href="mailto:Michelle.Petznick@niacc.edu">Michelle.Petznick@niacc.edu</a> Registrar's office 641-422-4205	Reading Writing Math	Must successfully complete before taking credited classes in those areas. See <a href="#">NIACC Placement Score Summary</a> . and	See <a href="#">NIACC Placement Score Summary</a> .	Yes, at regular credit-hour rate	Yes, if taken with a credit bearing class	Some graded; Some pass/fail	No	No

		<a href="#">Math 044-092 course descriptions</a>						
<b>Northeast Iowa CC</b> Karla Winter <a href="mailto:winterk@nicc.edu">winterk@nicc.edu</a> Registrar's office 844-642-2338, Ext 1376	Reading Writing Math	Must successfully complete before taking credited classes in those areas. See <a href="#">Northeast IA CC Placement Score Summary</a> .	See <a href="#">Northeast IA CC Placement Score Summary</a> .	Yes, at regular credit-hour rate	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
<b>Northwest Iowa CC</b> Tara Fjeld <a href="mailto:tfjeld@nwiic.edu">tfjeld@nwiic.edu</a> Registrar's office 712-324-5061 Ext. 167	Writing Math	If the assessment score is below college requirement, must successfully complete developmental classes . May take credited class in that area at the same time they take the developmental class.  See <a href="#">NCC Math Placement Criteria</a>	See <a href="#">Northwest Placement Score Summary</a> .  See <a href="#">NCC Math Placement Criteria</a>	Yes, at regular credit-hour rate	No	Pass/Fail	No	No
<b>Southeastern CC</b> Dennis Marino <a href="mailto:dmarino@scciaowa.edu">dmarino@scciaowa.edu</a> Registrar's office 319-208-5022	Writing Math	Classes are mandatory determined by the <a href="#">SCC Mandatory Course Placement Chart</a> . Other students may take these classes if they feel they need them.	See <a href="#">SCC Mandatory Course Placement Chart</a> .	Yes, at regular credit-hour rate	Yes	Yes	Yes	No

<b>Southwestern CC</b> Alyssa Riley, <a href="mailto:ariley@swcciaowa.edu">ariley@swcciaowa.edu</a> Registrar's office 641-782-1422	Writing/Communication Math	No Guidelines are used to suggest developmental courses, but they are not required. See <a href="#">Southwestern CC Guideline Summary</a> .	See <a href="#">Southwestern CC Guideline Summary</a> .	Yes, at regular credit-hour rate	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
<b>Western Iowa Tech CC</b> Lora Vander Zwaag, Registrar <a href="mailto:Lora.vanderzwaag@wittcc.edu">Lora.vanderzwaag@wittcc.edu</a> Registrar's office 712-274-8733 Ext 1353	No developmental classes since Fall 2018.	No placement score is used for general admission at the college. Some programs do have admission criteria, health programs	ALEKS for math placement			Yes, prior to Fall 2018	Yes, prior to Fall 2018	No, prior to FALL 2018