2018-19
9TH GRADE MATH PLACEMENT GUIDELINES
SEQUOIA UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

SUHSD uses the highest of three different tests in order to place students accurately into 9th grade mathematics. The three tests used are the 7th Grade Math Smarter Balanced (SBAC) test, the Math Diagnostic Testing Project tests, and the Let's Go Learn Diagnostic Online Math Assessment.

All incoming 9th graders must take an MDTP test (High School, Geometry, or Algebra II Readiness).

Let's Go Learn DOMA Pre-Algebra and Algebra I assessments are not required.

2017-18	9th Grade Placement Based on Highest Assessment Score			2018-19	
8th Grade Math Course	Smarter Balanced (SBAC)	Math Diagnostic Testing Project (MDTP)	Let's Go Learn Diagnostic Online Math Assessment (DOMA)	9th Grade Math Placement & Support	
	Grade 7 SBAC Level/Scale Score	**High School Math Readiness**	**Pre-Algebra***	Math Course	Support
	Met / Exceeded 2567 to 2778	18 to 45	10 to 14	Algebra I	No
8th Grade Common Core	Nearly Met 2484 to 2566	13 to 17	5 to 9.5	Algebra I	Yes
	Not Met 2250 to 2483	0 to 12	0 to 4.5	Algebra Readiness 1st Sem****	Block of 2 periods
				Algebra Topics 2nd Sem ***	Yes
	Grade 7 SBAC	**Geometry Readiness**	**Algebra I****	Math Course	Support
	Met / Exceeded 2567 to 2778	24 to 45	7.5 to 11	Geometry	No
Algebra I	Nearly Met 2484 to 2566	14 to 23	5.5 to 7	Algebra I	No
	Not Met 2250 to 2483	0 to 13	0 to 5	Algebra I	Yes
	Grade 7 SBAC	**Algebra II Readiness**	**Algebra I****	Math Course	Support
Geometry	Exceeded 2635 to 2778	26 to 45	9 to 11	Algebra II	No
	Met, Nearly Met, Not Met 2250 to 2634	0 to 25	0 to 8.5	Geometry	No

* The Let's Go Learn Pre-Algebra assessment has a total of 14 points possible.

** The Let's Go Learn Algebra I assessment has a total of 11 points possible.

*** Algebra Readiness and Algebra I Topics receive elective credit, NOT math credit.

Teacher recommendation may be used only to move a student to a higher math course, but not out of math support. Parents/Guardians may waive a student out of support or into another course.