



Dear Parent/Guardian:

On **Saturday, March 14 beginning at 8:30AM**, there will be placement tests given for Mathematics and Foreign Language. The Mathematics placement test is **required for all incoming freshmen—members of the Class of 2024**. The results of this test will help the Mathematics Department determine the correct level for your son's/daughter's Grade 9 mathematics course. Students should bring two #2 pencils. The Mathematics test will take approximately 60 minutes (untimed).

Immediately following the Mathematics placement test, a Foreign Language placement test will be given. This test is **only** for those students who will complete the equivalent of Spanish I or French I by the end of Grade 8 and are planning to take French II or Spanish II in Grade 9. This test will take approximately 45 minutes (untimed). **All enrolling students must return the Foreign Language form whether taking the placement exam or not.**

It is important that these forms be completed and returned to AWHs by March 7.

**Make-up date of Wednesday, March 18th beginning at 2:45 PM is also available. This date must be confirmed with Mrs. Schuster (mschuster@awhs.org).*

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Michela Schuster'.

Michela Schuster
Director of Admissions



MATHEMATICS PLACEMENT FORM

Student's Name _____

Address _____ Telephone _____

Present School _____ City/Town _____

The Department of Mathematics at AWHs carefully works to place incoming 9th grade students in a course that meets their learning needs while challenging them to build their mathematics abilities. All incoming 9th grade students are **required** to take the AWHs Mathematics Placement Exam on **Saturday, March 14, 2019 at 8:30 A.M.** The results of this exam, along with your child's grade 8 mathematics grades and HSPT scores, will be used to place him or her in an appropriate course for the upcoming year.

*In order to assist with the placement process, please have your child's current mathematics teacher complete this form and **return this form to AWHs no later than March 7, 2019.***

TO BE COMPLETED BY YOUR CHILD'S CURRENT MATHEMATICS TEACHER:

Name/Title of Current Mathematics Course: _____

Textbook & Author: _____

Current Chapter (number & title): _____

Projected Chapter of Completion by the End of the Year (number & title): _____

In our current class, calculators are used:

_____ for most activities, homework, & assessments.

_____ only at certain times. Please specify: _____

In comparison to other 8th grade students you have taught, how would you rate this student's overall math abilities?

_____ Exceptional/Advanced

_____ On-level/Average

_____ Needs Improvement

In your professional opinion, is this student ready to take a high school Algebra 2 course?

_____ Yes, well prepared

_____ Yes, with some reservation

_____ No, not prepared

How would you rate this student's motivation, work ethic, and study skills?

_____ Exceptional

_____ Good

_____ Fair

_____ Poor

Additional Comments/Information:

Teacher Name: _____

Signature: _____

Please return form by March 7st to AWHs Admissions, 40 Independence Ave., Braintree, MA 02184



FOREIGN LANGUAGE PLACEMENT FORM

Student's Name _____

Address _____ Telephone _____

Present School _____ City/Town _____

All students enrolling at AWHs must select from the following options and return this form:

____ **Option #1**--This student is **not currently taking** a foreign language. If you have selected this option, please make a foreign language selection for 9th Grade and return the form to AWHs: ____ **SPANISH** or ____ **FRENCH**

____ **Option #2**--This student is **currently taking** either **SPANISH** or **FRENCH**. If you have selected this option, please read and complete the remainder of this form.

The Foreign Language Department at AWHs works carefully to place incoming 9th grade students in a course that meets their learning needs while challenging them to learn a new language or build upon their foreign language knowledge and skills. If the student has completed the equivalent of Spanish I or French I by the end of 8th Grade, it is **recommended that the student take the Foreign Language Placement Exam immediately following the required Math** exam on Saturday, March 14, 2019 at 8:30 A.M. The results of this exam, along with your child's transcript, will be used to place him or her in an appropriate course for the upcoming year.

TO BE COMPLETED BY YOUR CHILD'S CURRENT FOREIGN LANGUAGE TEACHER:

What language (and level) is the student currently taking? _____

How many times per week does the language class meet?: _____

How long is each class period? _____

Textbook & Author: _____

In comparison to other 8th grade students you have taught, how would you rate this student's overall abilities?

____ Exceptional/Advanced

____ On-level/Average

____ Needs Improvement

How would you rate this student's motivation, work ethic, and study skills?

____ Exceptional

____ Good

____ Fair

____ Poor

Do you recommend this student for Level II of foreign language? ____ Yes ____ No

Additional Comments/Information:

Teacher Name: _____

Signature: _____