

# HOW TO COMPLETE YOUR MATH & ENGLISH SELF-PLACEMENT

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**STUDENT SUCCESS COACHES**

Moorpark College

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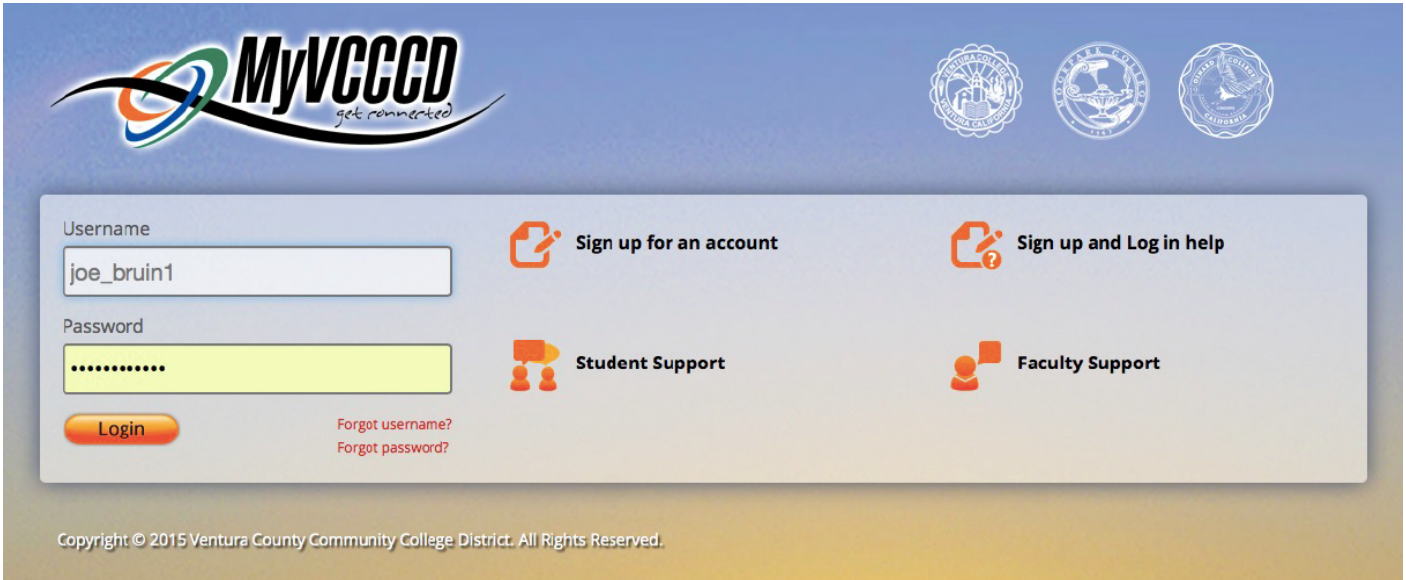
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### Log into your MyVCCCD account

- Go to [www.my.vcccd.edu](http://www.my.vcccd.edu)
- Log in with your username and password

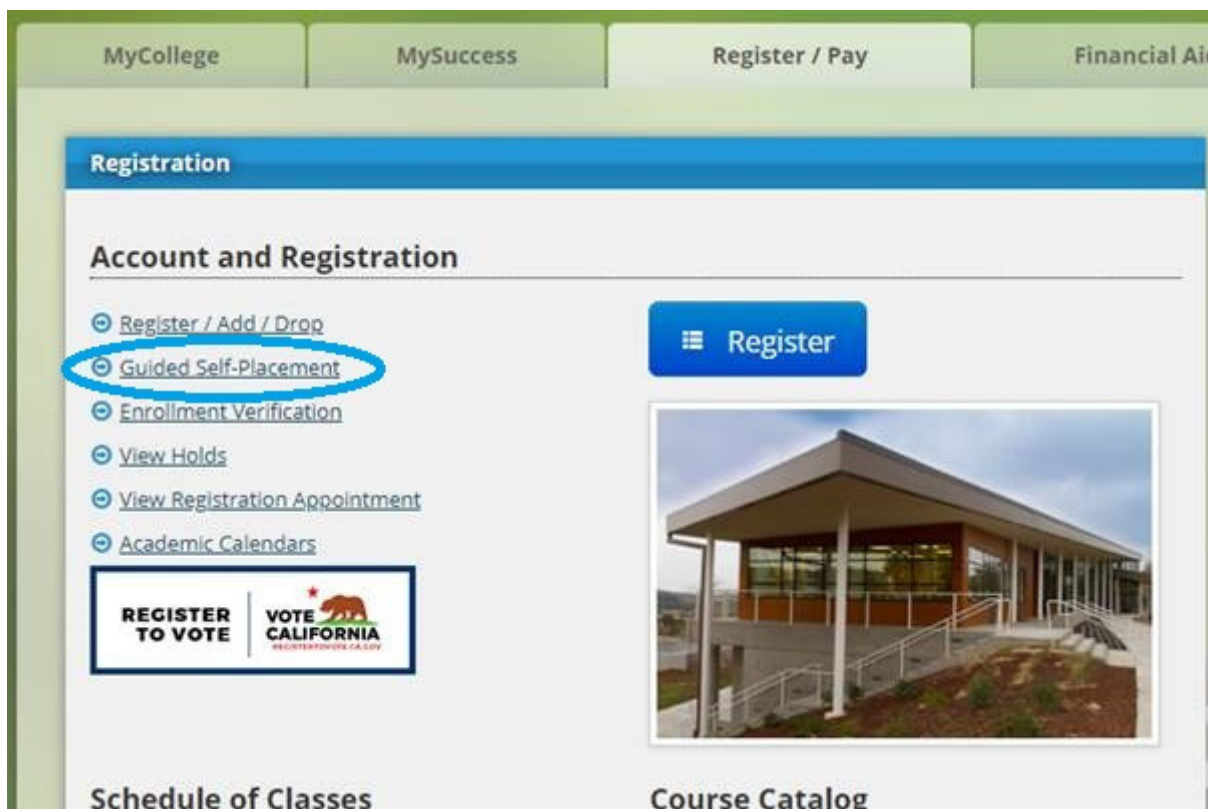


The login page features the MyVCCCD logo with the tagline "get connected". It includes input fields for Username (containing "joe\_bruin1") and Password (masked with dots). A "Login" button is positioned below the password field. To the right of the login fields are links for "Sign up for an account", "Sign up and Log in help", "Student Support", and "Faculty Support". The page also displays the logos of the three colleges in the VCCCD district: Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara City, and Santa Barbara State. A copyright notice at the bottom reads: "Copyright © 2015 Ventura County Community College District. All Rights Reserved."

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### Click on the "MySuccess" tab

- Click on "Guided Self-Placement"



The screenshot shows the "MySuccess" tab selected in the top navigation bar. The "Registration" section is active, displaying a list of links under the heading "Account and Registration". The link "Guided Self-Placement" is circled in blue. Other links include "Register / Add / Drop", "Enrollment Verification", "View Holds", "View Registration Appointment", and "Academic Calendars". A "Register" button is visible on the right. Below the links are two logos: "REGISTER TO VOTE" and "VOTE CALIFORNIA". At the bottom, there are links for "Schedule of Classes" and "Course Catalog". A photograph of a modern building is also present.

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- Click on "Moorpark College English Self-Placement"
- Click on "Moorpark College Math Self-Placement Guide"

### Assessment and Placement Tests

#### Moorpark College

[Moorpark College English Self-Placement](#)

[Moorpark College Math Self-Placement Guide](#)

#### Oxnard College

[Oxnard College English, Reading, and Math Assessment](#)

#### Ventura College

[Ventura College English & Math Assessment Tests](#)

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- Complete Steps 1-4 on the English Self-Evaluation

### MC English Self-Placement

#### The Self-Placement Process at Moorpark College

Welcome to the Moorpark College English Department. Because we care about your success, we present this Self-Placement Guide to help you decide if you should go directly into English M01A (English Composition), you may decide to supplement M01A with regular free tutoring and work on your College Writing. This Self-Placement Guide will help you analyze your own writing experiences, goals, and study habits so you can choose the best path for you. After you have completed this Guide you will record your decision and be automatically cleared to enroll in English M01A.

ESL (English as a Second Language): If your first language is not English, we highly recommend that you speak with Professor Daniela G.

#### Important Phone Numbers

- Moorpark College: (805) 378-1400
- Counseling Department: (805) 378-1428
- Languages, Library and Learning Resources Office (English Department): (805) 378-1443
- Writing Center: (805) 553-4850
- ACCESS (Special Needs): (805) 378-1461

#### English Self-Evaluation

Before you enroll in your first English class we ask you to assess your own strengths and weaknesses in English. Think about what you have learned (what you have received), as well as what parts of the writing process you have mastered and which still cause you some trouble. The following self-evaluation will help you make the best choice for your success.

The Self-Evaluation consists of four steps:

1. High School GPA
2. Your Experiences as a Writer
3. Your Study Habits and Personal Situation
4. English Composition Classes at Moorpark College: choose the best course for you.

The final screen suggests further sources of information and support if you're not yet sure which choice will serve you best.

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- Select appropriate English class for you
- This does not automatically enroll you in the course

### 4.3 Choose Your First English Course

While all students may enroll directly in English M01A, matching the course and services to the areas you noted as your weak points your first English course wisely!

If your first language is not English, we highly recommend that you speak with Professor Daniela Guevara, ESL Coordinator, at (805) 553-4694 t

- ☐ English M01A
- ☐ English M01A, plus I will seek supplemental tutoring and workshops through the Writing Center
- ☐ English M02
- ☐ ESL M01, M02, or M03 (English as a Second Language)

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- Review Math Self-Placement Guide to select the appropriate course for you

#### FIRST LEVEL TRANSFER MATH PLACEMENT FOR HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

Students may now enroll directly into any one of the first-level transferable classes in Math.

The following guidelines will help you determine the Mathematics course in which you are most prepared:

Math M05 (College Algebra)  
Math M06 (Trigonometry)  
Math M07 (Pre-Calculus)

Math M10 (Mathematics for Elementary Teachers)  
Math M15 (Introduction to Statistics)

*If you have successfully completed High School Algebra II,  
you may freely enroll in any of our first level transferable courses*

*If you have not successfully completed High School Algebra II, please consider below the courses you are  
recommended to enroll in, based on your previous high school experience:*

**If your goal is to complete Math M05, Math M06 or Math M07:**

- 1) Your High School GPA was at least 2.9: You are recommended to enroll in **Math M03**
- 2) Your High School GPA was below 2.9: You are recommended to enroll in **Math M01**
- 3) If you still wish to enroll in one of these three courses, regardless of the above recommendations, you to enroll in **Math M05 + Math M905-S** (College Algebra with Support)

**If your goal is to complete Math M10:** You may directly enroll.

**If your goal is to complete Math M15:**

- 1) You have successfully completed High School Algebra I AND your High School GPA was at least 3.0:  
You are recommended to enroll directly into **Math M15**
- 2) You have not successfully completed High School Algebra I OR your High School GPA was below 3.0:  
You are recommended to enroll in **Math M08** (Pathway to Statistics)

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## NEED FURTHER ASSISTANCE?

For more in-depth assistance, please contact:

**Student Success/FYE Center:**

(805) 553-4799

[mcfye@vcccd.edu](mailto:mcfye@vcccd.edu)

Located in the Student Services Annex

