



# URSULINE ACADEMY HONORS MATHEMATICS AND SCIENCE ASSESSMENT

**Saturday, April 27, 2019, 8:00-10:30 a.m.**

If your daughter would like to enroll in a Math or Science honors course as a Freshman, the Honors Math/Science assessment is required.

The Math and Science Departments use this assessment to best understand the student's mathematical and scientific thinking. This assessment includes Pre-Algebra skills, Algebra I skills, scientific thinking, and interpretation of graphical data. Physics content is not included.

## **Outcomes of the Honors Math/Science Assessment**

Both Math and Science course placement is based on the results of the Honors Math/Science Assessment and ISEE scores.

### **Math:**

- Students who demonstrate mastery of Algebra I skills will be placed in Geometry Honors.
- Students who demonstrate moderate proficiency in Algebra I skills will be invited to take Algebra Advance during the summer session (June 6-27, 2019). Upon successful completion of this summer course, they will then be placed in Geometry Honors.
- Students who demonstrate mastery of Pre-Algebra, Number Sense and Linear functions will be invited to take Geometry Basics during the summer session (June 6-27, 2019). Upon successful completion of this summer course, they will then be placed in Algebra 1/Geometry Honors Year 2.
- Students who demonstrate strong proficiency in Pre-Algebra skills, will be placed in Algebra I/Geometry Year 1 Honors.

### **Science:**

- Students who demonstrate strong proficiency in scientific thinking, interpretation of data, and mathematical skills will be placed in Physics I Honors.

**Saturday, April 27, 2019:** The Honors Math/Science Assessment is administered by the Math and Science Departments. Bring pencils and a basic calculator. *(A graphing calculator is not required.)*

## **Register for Honors Math/Science Assessment**

Register no later than **Thursday, April 25, 2019**, by logging into your Ursuline application on Ravenna.

## **Course Placement Results**

Placement results will be emailed on May 17, 2019.

## **Questions?**

Math: Tammy Yung at [tyung@ursulinedallas.org](mailto:tyung@ursulinedallas.org)

Science: Maureen Sullivan at [msullivan@ursulinedallas.org](mailto:msullivan@ursulinedallas.org)

## **Extended Time Testing for Assessment**

Contact Mary Campise in Personal Counseling at [mcampise@ursulinedallas.org](mailto:mcampise@ursulinedallas.org) to request the accommodation of extended time (50 percent) if your daughter has a recently (within three years) diagnosed learning difference and supporting documentation.