Reminders When Taking an ALEKS PPL Test:
⇒ ALEKS accounts are valid for 12 months.
⇒ Take the test without using outside resources. (calculator, technology, books, notes, person, etc.)
⇒ Allow at least 60-90 minutes to complete the test.
⇒ Scratch paper will be provided.
⇒ Once an answer is submitted, you cannot go back.
⇒ Your Test 1 score will be used to create an individualized study plan in ALEKS.
⇒ Test 2, 3 and 4 scores will be used for course placement.
⇒ ALEKS PPL scores are valid for 18 months for tests taken after January 1, 2022.

ALEKS Geometry
Registration for the following Math courses may require a Geometry Placement test score: 0482, 1321, 1322, 1428 and 1431.

Visit cod.edu/testing for policies and procedures.
Step One: Get Started with ALEKS PPL

1. Login to inside.cod.edu with your COD username and password. For assistance logging in, contact the Student Help Desk at (630) 942-2999 or studenthelp@dupage.edu

2. In the Math Placement Test section click the "Test 1 or Prep and Learning Module" link to either take Test 1 or work in the Prep and Learning Module. If taking Test 1, click "Get Started" on your Placement Assessment.

3. Complete Test 1 and review in the Prep and Learning module until you are ready to take a proctored test.

Step Two: Take ALEKS PPL Test 2

1. Review Math Placement Test Guidelines

2. Take a proctored test at one of the testing locations (Glen Ellyn Testing Center, Addison Learning Commons, Carol Stream Learning Commons, Naperville Learning Commons, or Westmont Learning Commons)

Step Three: Take ALEKS PPL Test 3 and/or 4 (optional)

1. Review Math Placement Test Guidelines

2. If you are taking Test 3 – you will need to work a minimum of 3 additional hours in the Prep and Learning Module. Tests are locked until you complete the required time in your Prep and Learning module.

3. If you are taking Test 4 – you will need to work a minimum of 5 additional hours in the Prep and Learning (P&L) Module. Tests are locked until you complete the required time in your Prep and Learning module.

4. Once you have met your P&L requirement, take a proctored test at one of the testing locations.