

Preparation Center for Languages and Mathematics

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FAQ - Frequently asked questions about the Mathematical Foundations Program (MP)

1. How do MP students differ from PC students?

Entrance Exam Scores	PC (English and mathematics* courses are offered.)	MP (Only mathematics courses are offered)
English	Entrance English scores are moderate and do not meet MUIC requirements.	Entrance English scores meet MUIC requirements.
Mathematics	Entrance mathematics scores are moderate to high. (Not every student is required to study math. The course offer depends on Entrance Exam scores or selected major)	Entrance mathematics scores do not meet MUIC requirements.

^{*}Mathematics courses may be offered to some students.

2. What are the benefits of MP?

MP gives students the opportunity to solidify important math skills necessary to be successful in an
international environment. Students benefit from a small class size, individual attention and attending class
with a group of students solely focused on math. Too many students across the world are forced to leave
universities every year because they fail math courses. MP was designed to not only give students a second
chance to enter MUIC, but in addition, to build a fundamental understanding of algebra needed for future
math courses and general education. MP helps students realize the importance of proper study skills and
preparation in order to achieve their goals.

3. When do the MP courses begin?

 MP and PC courses begin simultaneously. However, the duration of MP program is 10 weeks (5 weeks per level).

4. Once students pass the MP program, do they need to follow the MUIC Entrance Examination Process again?

 Students <u>DO NOT</u> need to take the Entrance Examination again; PC will automatically transfer their names to MUIC.

5. Why do students have to study only math at PC? Can they just study at MUIC and simultaneously study math at PC?

 No. Due to the under-requirement Mathematics scores, the students cannot take a math course together with other regular courses at MUIC.

6. What is the course tuition fee?

• The tuition fee is 30,000 Baht (15,000 Baht per course).

7. While studying at PC, are students eligible to be enrolled at MUIC?

• Students <u>ARE NOT</u> eligible to be enrolled at MUIC while studying at PC. Yet, PC's class management of each guarter conforms to MUIC trimesters.

8. If students do not pass the MP, can they repeat the course again?

• Students are not allowed to repeat the MP course again and the Entrance Exam scores will be cancelled. However, they are eligible to re-apply at the next MUIC entry.

9. What if students are not ready to start at this quarter?

 Students can request a postponement registration to maintain their MP status – kindly see the Registration Information for the Mathematical Foundations Program (MP)