The Emporium Method

TRANSFORMING DEVELOPMENTAL MATH AT OLYMPIC COLLEGE
Unwind your ideas about how EVERYONE studies math...

because Emporium Math is different...
Key components of the Emporium method of learning Mathematics.

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A major advantage of the Emporium method compared to traditional Math classes is the option to accelerate your learning if you choose to (and independent of the pace of the rest of the class). Let's look at several examples:
1. Q: I read that Emporium classes are "mastery-based." What does that mean?
   A: Your path to learning is personalized when you demonstrate mastery of a topic you can move on to the next one.

2. Q: If I register for Math 090A but also complete Math 090B, do I get credit for 5 credits or 10 credits?
   A: 5 credits, but only Math 090B will appear on a transcript.

3. Q: If I register for Math 090A but also complete Math 090B, do I have to pay for 5 credits or 10 credits?
   A: 5 credits, but only 090B will appear on a transcript.

4. Q: What is the highest level Math class that uses the Emporium method?
   A: At this time, the Emporium method is not used beyond Math 099.

5. Q: How much does it cost to use the ALEKS software?
   A: The cost varies, depending on the length of time of a user license, but is somewhat less than the cost of a standard textbook. There are also optional materials available at added cost.

6. Q: Can I use my personal computer to access the ALEKS software used for an Emporium class?
   A: Yes, but exams must be taken on an OC computer.

7. Q: Can I try out the ALEKS software before I decide to register for an Emporium math class?
   A: Yes, go to aleks.com and sign up for a free trial.
ALEKS Software

The ALEKS pie
Progress in ALEKS is measured by a pie chart that reflects the number of topics in your math course, and how many steps remain towards achieving mastery.

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