

Subject Area Tests for Teacher Licensure: Praxis II Subject Assessments

Timeline

You must have passing scores by:

October 1, 2016
 March 1, 2017
 October 1, 2017
 March 1, 2018
 October 1, 2018
 March 1, 2019

If you are student teaching:

Spring 2017
 Fall 2017
 Spring 2018
 Fall 2018
 Spring 2019
 Fall 2019

Passing scores must accompany your student teaching **application**. There are no exceptions. The **Special & Early Childhood Education Office must have an original copy of your scores on file** at the time you submit your student teaching application. Plan carefully.

Who must take the Subject Assessments?

All students who complete a professional education program must take the appropriate Subject Area Test(s) approved by the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction for their licensure area. It is important to note that no candidate may be waived from taking the required Subject Area Test for his or her licensure area.

Subject Assessments focus on your knowledge of the subject matter you will be teaching. You should register to take this test once you have completed most of your content preparation and feel competent with your subject matter. These are not easy tests and do require preparation. Plan ahead to register for the test early enough to allow for the possibility of retesting.

PRAXIS II Subject Assessments

Educational Testing Service (ETS) administers these tests. Please visit the ETS website at www.ets.org/praxis for registration information, practice tests and specific test dates. Some tests are offered continuously while other are offered in testing windows that occur several times a year. You may take the Praxis II exam at any test site in Wisconsin where the test is being offered. Test dates fill up quickly. Praxis II tests are approximately \$120 per test. **When completing registration information, please have scores sent to the University of Wisconsin Oshkosh. Our Recipient Code # is 1916.**

The Reading Study Center, N/E 201, offers Praxis II Preparation Strategies Workshops in both fall and spring semesters. For more information contact the Reading Study Center, NE 201, 424-1031, or email readingstudy@uwosh.edu

IT IS THE STUDENT'S RESPONSIBILITY TO REGISTER FOR THE CORRECT SUBJECT AREA TEST(S). IF YOU ARE UNSURE OF WHAT TEST(S) TO REGISTER FOR, PLEASE CONTACT BECKY THORSON-RANDALL at thorson@uwosh.edu

**Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction Required Subject Area Tests by Licensure Area
UW Oshkosh Recipient Code: 1916**

Wisconsin License	Test Code	Test Name	Qualifying Score	Notes
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Early Childhood Special Educ (PK-3) 	5018	Elementary Education: Content Knowledge Computer-Delivered test	157	Test includes language arts areas, math areas, social studies areas & science areas. If you have a minor in foreign language, ESL, or health, you must take an additional Praxis II exam that corresponds with your minor.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Special Education (all grade levels) 	5146	Middle School: Content Knowledge Computer-delivered test	146	Test includes language arts areas, math areas, social studies areas & science areas. If you have a minor in foreign language, ESL, or health, you must take an additional Praxis II exam that corresponds with your minor.