

State of Tennessee Department of Education

Test Requirements for Teacher Licensure Programs

You must meet the minimum required score on one of these exams.

- ACT – composite score of 21 or higher
- SAT – combined math/verbal score of 1080 or higher
- Praxis Core – Reading: 156, Math: 150, and Writing: 162

Need to register for one of these exams?

- ACT – www.actstudent.org/regist/
- SAT – <https://sat.collegeboard.org/register>
- Praxis Core – www.ets.org/praxis

Free test preparation materials:

ACT:

- <http://www.act.org/content/act/en/products-and-services/the-act/test-preparation.html>
(look near the bottom of the page for the free test prep resources)
- <https://uniontestprep.com/act>
- <https://blog.prepscholar.com/the-best-act-prep-websites-you-should-be-using>
- <https://www.collegeraptor.com/getting-in/articles/act-sat/7-free-resources-for-act-sat-test-prep/>
- <https://www.princetonreview.com/college/free-act-practice-test#!practice>
- <https://www.dummies.com/test-prep/act/>
- <https://www.ixl.com/skill-plans/act/create>

SAT:

- <https://www.khanacademy.org/sat>
- <https://schoolhouse.world/sat-bootcamp>
- <https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/sat/practice>
- <https://uniontestprep.com/sat-exam>
- <https://blog.prepscholar.com/the-best-sat-prep-websites-you-should-be-using>
- <https://www.collegeraptor.com/getting-in/articles/act-sat/7-free-resources-for-act-sat-test-prep/>
- <https://www.princetonreview.com/college/free-sat-practice-test#!practice>
- <https://www.dummies.com/test-prep/sat/>

Praxis Core Academic Skills for Educators:

- <https://www.khanacademy.org/prep/praxis-core>
- <https://www.dummies.com/test-prep/praxis/>
- <https://www.mometrix.com/academy/praxis-test/>
- <https://www.ets.org/s/praxis/pdf/5732.pdf> (Math)
- <https://www.ets.org/s/praxis/pdf/5722.pdf> (Writing)
- <https://www.ets.org/s/praxis/pdf/5712.pdf> (Reading)
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ktNtr8gEVdA> Kathleen Jasper (Praxis Core Study Plan)
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bEJ40e9RIks> Kathleen Jasper (Writing)
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5Wyg-sml6bg> Kathleen Jasper (Math)
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=t8oEQ62S-b0> Kathleen Jasper (Reading)

ACT/SAT/Praxis Core:

- <https://www.learningexpresshub.com/ProductEngine/LELIndex.html#/learningexpresslibrary/libraryhome?AuthToken=895C9A93-31CF-45C5-814C-A0788C14776D>

3 Easy Steps to Get Started

1. Once you are on the EBSCO Learning Express website, click on “Sign In/Register” at the top right of the site. You will then be directed to a sign-in page.
2. On the sign-in page under username and password, click “Sign in with Google.” Enter your google credentials.
3. You will then be directed to a New User Registration Page with State Library of Kansas selected as the default institution. Click “Create Account.”

Once your account is set up, all you have to do is search the name of the exam you would like study materials for into the search engine. From there, you can access/curate practice tests, e-books (with practice tests and other study materials), asynchronous courses, and micro-lessons for all Praxis exams for FREE. You must have a local library card to use this for free.