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	Required Prior to Entering a Teacher Education Program			
	Basic Skills	Subject Matter	Pedagogic Skills	General Knowledge
STATE	**1**	**2**	**3**	**4**
Alabama	None	None	None	None
Alaska	ETS	None	None	None
Arizona	...	...	...	...
Arkansas	ETS	None	None	None
California	...	...	...	...
Colorado	State	NES	None	None
Connecticut	ETS	None	None	None
Delaware	ETS	None	None	None
District of Columbia	See Footnotes	None	None	None
Florida	None	None	None	State
Georgia	NES	None	None	None
Hawaii	ETS	...	...	...
Idaho	See Footnotes	None	None	None
Illinois	State	None	None	...
Indiana	ETS	None	None	None
Iowa	ETS	None	None	None
Kansas	None	None	None	None
Kentucky	See Footnotes	...	...	...
Louisiana	ETS	None	None	None
Maine	...	...	...	...
Maryland	...	...	...	...
Massachusetts	None	None	None	None
Michigan	None	None	None	None
Minnesota	See Footnotes	None	None	None
Mississippi	...	...	...	...
Missouri	State	State	None	State
Missouri	State	State	None	State
Montana	...	...	...	...
Nebraska	ETS	None	None	None
Nevada	ETS	ETS	ETS	...

	Required Prior to Entering a Teacher Education Program			
	Basic Skills	Subject Matter	Pedagogic Skills	General Knowledge
STATE	**1**	**2**	**3**	**4**
New Hampshire	ETS	ETS	None	None
New Jersey	...	...	...	...
New Mexico	State	State	State	None
New York	None	None	None	None
North Carolina	ETS	...	...	...
North Dakota	...	...	...	...
Ohio	See Footnotes	None	None	None
Oklahoma	None	None	None	None
Oregon	Pearson - NES	None	None	None
Pennsylvania	Pearson - NES	None	None	None
Rhode Island	...	...	...	...
South Carolina	ETS	None	None	None
South Dakota	ETS	ETS	ETS	...
Tennessee	ETS	None	None	None
Texas	Pearson - NES	None	None	None
Utah	None	None	None	None
Vermont	None	None	None	None
Virginia	See Footnotes	None	None	None
Washington	NES	None	None	None
West Virginia	...	None	None	None
Wisconsin	ETS	None	None	None
Wyoming	None	None	None	None

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	Required Prior to Certification				What is the Mandatory Wait Time Before An Applicant Can Take the Test Again?			
	Basic Skills	Subject Matter	Pedagogic Skills	General Knowledge	Basic Skills Wait	Subject Matter Wait	Pedagogic Skill Wait	General Knowledge Wait
STATE	**5**	**6**	**7**	**8**	**9**	**10**	**11**	**12**
Alabama[	ACT	ETS	State	None	None	None	N/A	N/A
Alaska	ETS	None	None	None	Determined by the test publisher	N/A	N/A	N/A
Arizona	None	NES	NES	None	N/A	None	None	N/A
Arkansas	ETS	ETS	ETS	None	One month (no more than 6 times per calendar year).	N/A	N/A	N/A
California	NES	...	...	...	None	...	...	...
Colorado	None	NES	None	None	...	No wait time	...	...
Connecticut [	ETS	ETS	ETS	None	<p>Candidate needs to contact the appropriate testing Agency (ETS or ACTCL) for	<p>Candidate needs to contact theappropriate testing Agency (ETS or ACTCL) for	...	...

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STATE	**5**	**6**	**7**	**8**	**9**	**10**	**11**	**12**
					a copy of their re-testing policy.	a copy of their re-testing policy. Pearson-NES provides Foundations of Reading Test for elementary education, and integrated early childhood education NK/elementary education 1-3.		
Delaware	ETS	ETS	None	None	No mandatory wait time.	No mandatory wait time.	NA	NA
District of Columbia	ETS	ETS	ETS	None	Please visit ..... www.ets.org/praxis ..... for the most updated information.	Please visit .... www.ets.org/praxis .... for the most updated information.	Please visit .... www.ets.org/praxis .... for the most updated information.	N/A
Florida	None	State	State	State	...	30 days	30 days	30 days
Georgia[	NES	NES	None	None	Varies	Approx 60 days	N/A	N/A
Hawaii	ETS	ETS	...	...	...	...	...	...
Idaho	None	ETS	ETS	ETS	No mandatory wait time	No mandatory wait time	No mandatory wait time	No mandatory wait time
Illinois	...	State	State	...	None	None	None	N/A
Indiana	ETS	ETS	None	None	No wait.	No wait.	N/A	N/A
Iowa	ETS	None	ETS	ETS	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Kansas	None	ETS	ETS	None	None	None	None	None
Kentucky[	See Footnotes	ETS	ETS	...	None	None	None	None
Louisiana	ETS	ETS	ETS	None	...	...	...	...
Maine	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maryland	ETS	ETS	ETS	None	Determined by ETS	Determined by ETS	Determined by ETS	Not applicable
Massachusetts	...	...	None	None	None	None	N/A	N/A
Michigan	Pearson - NES	Pearson - NES	None	None	No mandataory wait time.	No mandataory wait time.	N/A	N/A
Minnesota	State	State	State	None	...	...	...	no test required
Mississippi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

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STATE	**5**	**6**	**7**	**8**	**9**	**10**	**11**	**12**
Missouri	State	ETS	None	State	No Wait-Time Requirement	No Wait-Time Requirement	...	No Wait-Time Requirement
Montana	None	None	None	None	...	...	...	...
Nebraska	See Footnotes	...	...	...	None	...	...	...
Nevada	ETS	ETS	ETS	...	...	...	...	...
New Hampshire	ETS	ETS	None	None	once per calendar month up to 6 times in a 12-month period	once per calendar month up to 6 times in a 12-month period	N/A	N/A
New Jersey	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
New Mexico	State	State	State	State	...	The next testing date in the cycle	The next testing date in the cycle	The next testing date in the cycle
New York	NES	NES	NES	NES	No manditory wait time	No mandatory wait time	No mandatory wait time	No mandatory wait time
North Carolina	...	ETS	ETS	...	...	...	...	...
North Dakota	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ohio	None	ETS	ETS	None	Test not required.	State has no specific wait time requirement.	State has no specific wait time requirement.	Test not required.
Oklahoma	NES	NES	NES	NES	No wait time	No wait time	No wait time	No wait time
Oregon	Pearson - NES	Pearson - NES	State	None	60 days	90 days	n/a	n/a
Pennsylvania	Pearson - NES	ETS	State	ETS	Vendor policy	Vendor policy	None	Vendor policy
Rhode Island	...	ETS	ETS	...	...	No mandatory wait time	No mandatory wait time	...
South Carolina	ETS	ETS	ETS	None	none	none	none	n/a
South Dakota	...	ETS	ETS	...	...	They can take it at the next available test date.	They can take it at the next available test date.	...
Tennessee	ETS	ETS	ETS	ETS	No wait time	No wait time	No wait time	No wait time
Texas	...	State	State	None	...	60 days (computer) or next administration (paper)	60 days	...

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STATE	**5**	**6**	**7**	**8**	**9**	**10**	**11**	**12**
							(computer) or next administration (paper)	
Utah	None	ETS	None	None	...	...	...	...
Vermont	ETS	ETS	None	None	No Limit	N/L	n/a	n/a
Virginia	Pearson - NES	ETS	ETS	None	The wait time is determined by the testing company.	The wait time is determined by the testing company.	The wait time is determined by the testing company.	N/A
Washington	NES	ETS	None	None	None. The test is offered every two months.	None. The test is offered every two months.	...	...
West Virginia	ETS	ETS	ETS	None	None	None	None	None
Wisconsin	None	ETS	None	None	Varies	Varies	Not applicable	Not applicable
Wyoming	None	None	ETS	None	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

Footnotes

Jurisdiction	Footnote Text

Alabama	Each institution with approved programs is required to develop and administer comprehensive tests. When Alabama is allowed to require statewide subject matter testing for initial certification, institutions will no longer be required to do so.
Connecticut	Foreign Language certification requires successful results on the ACTFL OPI and WPT tests.
Connecticut	PRAXIS I may be waived based upon only one of the following: **SAT Waiver**: A combined score of 1,000 or more on the SAT with neither the mathematics nor the verbal subtest scores below 400 points from any test administration on or prior to March 31, 1995, or a combined score of 1,100 from test administrations on or after April 1, 1995; **or** **ACT Waiver**: No less than 22 on the English subtest and no less than 19 on the mathematics subtest on the American College Testing (ACT) program assessment from test administration on or after October 1989, or equivalent ACT scores of no less than 20 on the English and 17 on the mathematics, from test administration prior to October 1989; **or** **PAA Waiver**: A total score on the Prueba de Aptitud Academica (PAA) equivalent to a combined score of 1,000 on the SAT with neither the mathematics nor the verbal subtest score below the equivalent of 400 points. In addition, a minimum score of 510 on the English as a Second Language Achievement Test (ESLAT) or the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL).
District of Columbia	DC also accepts equivalent SAT, ACT and GRE scores.
Georgia	Basic skills tests are not required for professionally certified teachers from other states seeking GA certification.
Idaho	College/University preparation programs utilize the ETS Praxis I Basic Skills test but it is not a state licensure requirement.
Kentucky	In Kentucky, university and colleges of education set entry standards to teacher education. EPSB sets the admission standards on universities and colleges of education who are low performing or at risk of low performing.
Nebraska	Satisfactory PPST scores are required of all teacher/administrator preparation students before they can enroll in an approved Nebraska teacher preparation program.
Nebraska	Teachers and administrators holding a valid Nebraska Teaching or Administrative and Supervisory Certificate prior to July 31, 1989 are not required to pass the PPST.
Ohio	Many Ohio teacher preparation institutions require a basic skills test prior to entering a program although it is not a state requirement.
Ohio	Subject matter testing requirements prior to entering a program would be determined by specific institutions; there is no state level requirement.
Washington	Although the state does not require a content test prior to program completion, some colleges/universities (particularly post-bachelor's programs) have made it a program-entry requirement.
Washington	Colleges/universities may conditionally enroll candidates prior to completion of the basic skills testing requirement, but it is a program entry requirement.

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