

School of Education, Office of Teacher Education, Room 1000
 Indiana University, Bloomington
 2011 - 2012
 E-mail questions to: edhelp@indiana.edu or
 Call 812-856-8500 to schedule an academic advising appointment
 Access the links listed below at: <http://education.indiana.edu/teptesting>

TEP ADMISSION TESTING REQUIREMENTS

(Effective October 1, 2011 TEP Admission)

Students may satisfy the Academic Skills Assessment requirement for admission to the TEP by using any of the following options:

- Qualifying scores on the Praxis I
 - Reading 176; Writing 172; Math 175
 - Praxis I combined scores of at least 527
 - Reading + Writing + Math scores = 527
 - SAT composite score of at least 1100
 - MA + VE = 1100
 - ACT composite score of at least 24
 - EN + MA + RE + SR scores divided by 4 = 24
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PRAXIS I TEST PREPARATION MATERIALS

- **FREE Practice Test for IU Bloomington students:** Access Learning Express Library at: <http://www.libraries.iub.edu/scripts/countResources.php?resourceId=829699> >Login (Returning User) or Register (New User)>Jobs & Careers>Teaching>PPST Praxis I Preparation.

If you experience problems with your Learning Express Returning User Login or New User Registration, contact the IUB Library support center at libref@indiana.edu for assistance.

If you experience problems accessing the Learning Express Library test from an off-campus computer, you may need to authenticate using the IU VPN. Call the University Information Technology Services (UITS) Support Center at 812-855-6789 for instructions.

- **ETS Reducing Test Anxiety (PDF):** Helps you learn how to recognize and cope with test anxiety: www.ets.org/praxis/anxiety.
 - **ETS Tests at a Glance (PDF):** Provides detailed descriptions of each test, plus sample questions and rationales for the best answers: www.ets.org/praxis/taag.
 - **ETS FREE Webinars:** Web seminars offered periodically. ETS presents a plan to guide test takers as they prepare for the *Praxis I* Pre-Professional Skills Test. Participants will learn more about the *Praxis I* test and what test preparation resources are available for Praxis assessments. Visit www.ets.org/praxis/webinars for session dates.
 - **FREE Self Assessment Modules, quizzes & online resources available at:** http://testprepreview.com/praxis_practice.htm
 - **FREE Downloadable 70 page study guide and practice questions:** <http://www.studyguidezone.com/praxistest.htm>
 - **Study Guides** are available in the School of Education Library and directly from ETS at: <http://www.ets.org/praxis/testprep>. Test codes are available online or in the Office of Teacher Education.
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OFFICIAL ETS SCORE REPORTS

Request to have your score report sent to: IU Bloomington, School Code 1324

- Paper score reports will no longer be mailed to Praxis examinees.
- Examinees must create a user account at www.ets.org/praxis to access their online score reports.
- The official score report will be available online via the examinee's Praxis account approximately 2-3 weeks after the test date.
- ONLINE SCORES WILL BE DOWNLOADABLE AND AVAILABLE FOR 45 DAYS FROM THE SCORE REPORTING DATE.
- **After the 45 days, candidates must request an additional score report and pay \$40 to ETS.**
- ETS will send paper score reports to the examinee's designated score recipients (IU Bloomington 1324).

COMPUTER-BASED PRAXIS I (C-PPST) TESTS MAY BE TAKEN THROUGHOUT THE YEAR

Testing sessions: Reading (46 multiple-choice questions=75 minutes), Mathematics (46 multiple-choice questions=75 minutes) and Writing (44 multiple-choice questions=38 minutes and 1 essay=30 minutes). Use of calculators for the Mathematics test is prohibited. Allow 2 hours for each testing session or 4 ½ hours for a combined testing session (all 3 tests during the same testing session).

How to register for the computer-based Praxis I tests:

- To make a test appointment at the IUB Evaluation Services and Testing Office (BEST) Computer-Based Testing Center in Franklin Hall, Room 014 (Ground Level), call 1-812-856-0684 if you have a credit or debit card. If you wish to pay by check or money order, go directly to (BEST) Franklin Hall, Room 014, to make your test appointment and to pay in person.
- Call Prometric Candidate Services at 1-800-853-6773 to schedule a test at another center in Indiana or outside of Indiana. See the complete list of test centers at www.ets.org/praxis (Select: Find a Test Location).
- **Preview what to expect when visiting a Prometric Testing center.** Watch a 7-minute virtual tour video entitled *Welcome to Your Computerized Praxis Testing Experience* available at: <http://www.ets.org/praxis> > [Easing Praxis™ Test-Taker Anxiety Focus of New Video](#). *“The seven-minute virtual tour reviews identification requirements, the registration process, security procedures, score reporting and the check-out process. Moreover, test takers can see how the exam administration actually begins, including initial prompts, background questions and a tutorial with instructions and question types.”*

Test Fees 2011-2012 TBA July 2011: Current fees \$80 for one test, \$120 for two tests. If you select to take all three tests on the same day during the same appointment, the combined-test fee is \$130. If you select to take each of the three tests on separate days, the fee is \$160 for the three tests.

Test Retake Policy TBA: Currently you may take the C-PPST only once per 30 consecutive days. If you take the combined C-PPST test, you cannot take an individual C-PPST test until after the 30-day period. Thirty full days have to elapse (clear) after your original test day (31st day after you have tested). There is no stated limit to the number of times examinees can retake in a 12 month period, as long as there are 30 consecutive days between testing appointments. If you violate this restriction, the scores from your retake will not be reported and your test fees will not be refunded.

PAPER-BASED PRAXIS I (PPST) SCHEDULED TEST DATES

Testing sessions: Reading (40 multiple-choice questions=60 minutes), Math (40 multiple-choice questions=60 minutes) and Writing (38 multiple-choice questions=30 minutes and 1 essay=30 minutes). Use of calculators for the Mathematics test is prohibited.

2011 Praxis I Test Dates (TBA July 2011)

- TBA November 2011 (Registration must be received by TBA)

2012 Praxis I Test Dates (TBA July 2011)

- TBA January 2012 (Registration must be received by TBA)
- TBA March 2012 (Registration must be received by TBA)
- TBA April 2012 (Registration must be received by TBA)
- TBA July 2012 (Registration must be received by TBA)

How to register for the paper-based Praxis I tests:

- If you are using a credit or debit card, register online at: www.ets.org/praxis (Select: Register for a Test).
- If you are using a check or money order, complete and mail the Paper Based Test Registration Form found in the online *Praxis Series Bulletin*. Note the deadline to apply. Allow three (3) weeks for processing.

Test Fees 2011-2012 (TBA July 2011): Current fees are \$40 per test (\$120 for 3 tests), **plus** a \$50 one-time nonrefundable registration fee. The \$50 fee covers all paper-delivered tests taken in the same testing year (September 1- August 31).