Allow 3-6 weeks to receive official scores after taking Praxis I (PPST)

Paper and Pencil version of the Praxis I

Call 1-800-772-9476 Or visit www.ets.org/praxis

Computerized Reading, Writing, and Math Testing (C-PPST)

PROMETRIC TEST CENTERS

Greenville
1925 A Turnbury Drive
Greenville, NC 27858
252-756-0342

Wilmington
4900 Randall Parkway,
Bldg. A
Wilmington, NC 28403
910-392-0891

Raleigh
3200 Spring Forest Road
Suite 212
Raleigh, NC 27616
919-954-1359

You will need to make an appointment to take tests at one of the Prometric Test Centers.

Praxis I Frequently Asked Questions and Answers

When Should I take the Praxis?
Praxis scores are required when WPE applications are submitted. It is best to take the Praxis after completing math and English prerequisites.

How often can I take the test?
The computerized test can be taken every 30 days, up to 6 times per year.

Are Study Guides Available for Praxis I? (Note: The following are resources, not endorsements or recommendations)

- Educational Testing Service sells study guides for approximately $30. Sample questions are also located on the www.ets.org/praxis website under “Preparing for the Tests”.
- The North Carolina Model Teacher Education Consortium (NCMTEC) offers periodic workshops. Fees for the workshops and tests are reimbursed for employees of member school districts. Visit http://ncmtec.northcarolina.edu/ for dates and registration information.
- Some community colleges subscribe to tutorials such as PLATO or learningexpresslibrary.com (see your advisor for userid and/or password).
- A limited number of free sample questions are available at http://www.testprepreview.com/. This company also produces a study guide and other resources.
- Several book publishers make study guides. Check local bookstores or online sites such as Amazon.com for titles.
- Many community college and public libraries have study guides in the reference section.
- Practice the "released tests or practice tests" located in the study guide books. Adhere to the time limits when practicing.
- Utilize your community college learning lab and/or writing center when practicing.
Are there any alternatives to Praxis I?
SAT and/or ACT scores can substitute for Praxis I.

Can I combine Praxis I, ACT, and/or SAT scores?
Yes. Reading, writing, and math scores can come from multiple sources. Test scores can also be combined from multiple test administration dates.

What scores are required to pass?

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<th>Reading Score</th>
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<td>ACT</td>
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Where can I find out more about SAT?
www.sat.org or www.ets.org

Where can I find out about ACT schedules?
http://www.actstudent.org/index.html

How much do the tests cost?

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<td>Computerized Praxis I</td>
<td>NA</td>
<td>$75</td>
<td>$110</td>
<td>$145</td>
<td>(allows scheduling on different days or a break for lunch)</td>
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<td>Paper/Pencil Praxis I</td>
<td>$40</td>
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*Fees reported as of October, 2006 – subject to change

Students receiving financial aide may be eligible for fee waivers. See official test web sites for more information. You must apply well in advance to qualify.

How do I send my scores to East Carolina University?
Be sure to list East Carolina University as a score recipient for all tests. Codes for ECU are listed below (Be sure to verify that this is current by consulting the test registration booklet):
Praxis – RA5180
SAT – 5180
ACT – 3094

*Students should also provide the Wachovia Partnership East coordinator with copies of student score reports in addition to listing ECU as a recipient.

Test Taking Tips
- Read the test booklets completely prior to taking any test.
- Arrive at the testing site at least 30 minutes early.
- Take all materials with you (required identifications, #2 pencils, sweater/coat, etc.)
- If time and financial resources are available, schedule no more than 2 sections of the test at time.
- Schedule your tests early enough to re-take them if needed. Register early to get the best appointment and test location.