

Appendix D

TEST REQUIREMENT FOR CERTIFICATION IN NEW JERSEY Effective December 1, 2007

INTRODUCTION

Applicants for New Jersey licensure in subject teaching fields and elementary education must pass the appropriate PRAXIS II Subject Assessment/Specialty Area test(s). The tests are required for all applicants including those applicants who are certificated in other states. Certain teaching fields are exempt as noted on the next page.

Applicants for the Speech-language Specialist certificate must pass the Speech-language Pathology Specialty Area test. **Effective September 1, 2006 only official score reports will be accepted from Educational Testing Service for the Speech-Language Pathology test.** Coding the Department of Education (R7666) and your Social Security number precludes delay in certificate issuance.

Applicants for the Principal certificates must pass the School Leadership Series: School Leaders Licensure Assessment test (SLLA). Applicants for the School Administrator certificates must pass the School Leadership Series: School Superintendent Assessment test (SSA). These tests are part of the School Leadership Series.

It is your responsibility to register for the correct test(s). Carefully check test requirements and test code number listed on the next page to assure registration for the correct test.

PASSING SCORE

Passing scores have been raised by the State Board of Education. Applicants must achieve the current required passing score(s) for certificate issuance. Passing scores always are subject to change. A test score must meet the current passing score to satisfy the test requirement. Undergraduates must take Praxis test(s) no earlier than the senior year.

TEST SCORE SERVICE FEE

There is a test score service fee of \$20.00 per endorsement that requires a test. The test score service fee must be submitted with your **Application for Licensure** using a **money order or certified check** payable to "Commissioner of Education". Do not submit this fee to Educational Testing Service with your test registration form.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR TEST REGISTRATION

Register for Praxis II: Subject Assessment/Specialty Area tests directly through The Praxis Series. Register for the School Leadership tests through the School Leadership Series. Test registration procedures, registration form and other information are included in The Praxis Series Registration Bulletin or The School Leadership Series **Bulletin**. The bulletins are available on the Internet through the

Praxis Web Site at www.ets.org/praxis or the School Leadership Series Web Site at www.ets.org/sls. Online registration is also available.

Bulletins are available from Educational Testing Service as follows:

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| <p>The Praxis Series Educational Testing Service P.O. Box 6051 Princeton, NJ 08541-6051 (800) 772-9476</p> | <p>The School Leadership Series Educational Testing Service P.O. Box 6051 Princeton, NJ 08541-6051 (800) 772-9476</p> |
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Scores on Praxis II: Subject Assessment/Specialty Area tests and the School Leadership Series tests taken in the State of New Jersey will automatically be sent to the New Jersey Department of Education. If you are tested in another state you must request to have your score sent to New Jersey by coding R7666 on your registration form. You must also include your Social Security number when completing your registration form and answer sheet. **Only** official score reports from Educational Testing Service are accepted for licensure. Coding the Department of Education (R7666) and your Social Security number precludes delay in certificate issuance.

NOTE:

There are additional Testing Requirements for:

World Languages ;

English as a Second Language ;

Bilingual Bicultural Education ;

Educational Interpreter ; and

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PRAXIS: SUBJECT ASSESSMENT/ SPECIALITY AREA TESTS REQUIRED FOR LICENSURE

INSTRUCTIONAL ENDORSEMENT

Agriculture
Art
Bilingual/Bicultural Education*
Business Education: All Endorsements
Elementary School Teacher K-5
Elementary School with Specialization:
 Language Arts and Literacy (5-8)
Elementary School with Specialization:
 Mathematics (5-8)
Elementary School with Specialization:
 Social Studies (5-8)
Elementary School with Specialization:
 Science (5-8)

English
(10041)
English as a Second Language*
Family and Consumer Sciences: Comprehensive
Family and Consumer Sciences:
 Child & Family Development
Family and Consumer Sciences:
 Foods/Nutrition & Food Science
Family and Consumer Sciences:
 Apparel, Textiles & Interiors
French; **and** Elementary School with Specialization:
 World Languages/French (5-8)
German; **and** Elementary School with Specialization:
 World Languages/German (5-8)
Spanish; **and** Elementary School with Specialization:
 World Languages/Spanish (5-8)

World Languages: Other
Health Education
Health and Physical Education
Industrial Arts
Marketing Education
Mathematics
Military Science
Music
Physical Education
Preschool through Grade 3*
Psychology
Reading
Science
Biological Science**

**PRAXIS:
SUBJECT ASSESSMENT /
SPECIALTY AREA TESTS**

Exempt
Art: Content Knowledge (10133)
To Be Announced
Business Education (10100)
Elementary Education: Content Knowledge (10014)
Middle School English Language Arts (10049)

Middle School Mathematics (20069)
Middle School Social Studies (20089)
Middle School Science (10439)

English Language, Literature, and Composition: Content Knowledge
To Be Announced
Family and Consumer Sciences (10121)
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French: Content Knowledge (20173)
German: Content Knowledge (20181)
Spanish: Content Knowledge (10191)

Exempt
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Health and Physical Education: Content Knowledge (20856)
Technology Education (10050)
Marketing Education (10561)
Mathematics: Content Knowledge (10061)
Exempt
Music: Content Knowledge (10113)
Physical Education: Content Knowledge (10091)
Early Childhood: Content Knowledge (10022)
Exempt
Introduction to the Teaching of Reading (10200)

Biology: Content Knowledge (20235), and
General Science: Content Knowledge (10435)

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| Chemistry** | Chemistry: Content Knowledge (20245); and General Science: Content Knowledge (10435) |
| Earth Science | Earth Science: Content Knowledge (20571) General Science: Content Knowledge (10435) |
| Physical Science** | Chemistry: Content Knowledge (20245), Physics: Content Knowledge (10265), and General Science: Content Knowledge (10435) |
| Physics** | Physics: Content Knowledge (10265), and General Science: Content Knowledge (10435) |
| Social Studies | Social Studies: Content Knowledge (10081) |
| Special Education | Exempt |
| Speech Arts and Dramatics | Speech Communication (10220) and Theatre (10640) |
| Technology Education | Technology Education (10050) |
| Theatre | Theatre (10640) |
| Career and Technical Education* (formerly Vocational Education) | PPST: Reading (10710), PPST: Math (10730), and PPST: Writing (20720) |

***Test(s) will be required for these endorsements effective December 1, 2007. For Career and Technical Education, test(s) will be required for these endorsements if the applicant does not have a bachelor's or associate's degree.**

**** New tests for these endorsements are effective December 1, 2007.**

EDUCATIONAL SERVICES ENDORSEMENT

Speech-language Specialist

ADMINISTRATIVE ENDORSEMENT TESTS

Principal (11010)
School Administrator (11020)

PRAXIS SPECIALTY AREATEST

Speech-Language Pathology (20330)

SCHOOL LEADERSHIP SERIES

School Leaders Licensure Assessment (SLLA)
School Superintendents Assessment (SSA)

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***Praxis I: Academic Skills Assessments ~ Praxis II: Subject Assessments
and The School Leadership Series***

Passing Scores Required for Certification

| <u>CODE</u> | <u>TEST</u> | <u>PASSING SCORE</u> |
|--------------------|---|-----------------------------|
| 10133 | Art: Content Knowledge | 150 |
| 10100 | Business Education | 580 |
| 10022 | Early Childhood: Content Knowledge | 159 |
| 10014 | Elementary Education: Content Knowledge | 141 |
| 10049 | Middle School English Language Arts | 156 |
| 20069 | Middle School Mathematics | 152 |
| 20089 | Middle School Social Studies | 158 |
| 10439 | Middle School Science | 145 |
| 10041 | English Language, Literature, and Composition; Content Knowledge | 162 |
| 10121 | Family and Consumer Sciences | 150 |
| 20173 | French: Content Knowledge | 156 |
| 20181 | German: Content Knowledge | 157 |
| 10191 | Spanish: Content Knowledge | 159 |
| 20856 | Health & Physical Ed: Content Knowledge | 151 |
| 10561 | Marketing Education | 158 |
| 10061 | Mathematics: Content Knowledge | 137 |
| 10113 | Music: Content Knowledge | 153 |
| 10091 | Physical Education: Content Knowledge | 148 |
| 10200 | Introduction to the Teaching of Reading | 560 |
| 10435 | General Science: Content Knowledge | 152 |
| 20235 | Biology: Content Knowledge | 152 |
| 20245 | Chemistry: Content Knowledge | 152 |
| 20571 | Earth Science: Content Knowledge | 153 |
| 10265 | Physics: Content Knowledge | 141 |
| 10710 | PPST: Reading | 175 |
| 10730 | PPST: Math | 174 |
| 20720 | PPST: Writing | 173 |
| 10081 | Social Studies: Content Knowledge | 157 |
| 10220 | Speech Communication | 560 |
| 10640 | Theatre | 570 |
| 10050 | Technology Education | 570 |
| 20330 | Speech-Language Pathology | 550 |
| 11010 | School Leaders Licensure Assessment | 148 |
| 11020 | School Superintendent Assessment | 151 |

Passing test scores are subject to change. Candidates are subject to the passing test score in effect at the time the application is received and eligibility is determined.

NEW JERSEY TEACHER TESTING PROGRAM

**TEST DATES, DEADLINES AND TEST FEES FOR TESTS REQUIRED FOR
CERTIFICATION IN NEW JERSEY – 2008-2009**

**IT IS IMPORTANT TO REVIEW THE INFORMATION INCLUDED IN THIS DOCUMENT
REGARDING THE TEST REQUIRED FOR THE SPECIFIC CERTIFICATE FOR WHICH YOU
ARE APPLYING, AND TO REGISTER FOR THE APPROPRIATE TEST**

PRAXIS II: SUBJECT ASSESSMENT/SPECIALITY AREA TESTS

| TEST DATE | REGISTRATION DEADLINE | LATE REGISTRATION (must be received with \$45 late fee) | EMERGENCY REGISTRATION (must be completed online by date with \$75 late fee) | MONDAY CENTERS |
|------------------|------------------------------|--|---|-----------------------|
| 09/13/08 | 08/14/08 | 08/21/08 | 09/05/08 | 07/31/08 |
| 11/15/08 | 10/16/08 | 10/23/08 | 11/07/08 | 09/18/08 |
| 01/10/09 | 12/11/08 | 12/18/08 | 01/02/09 | 11/27/08 |
| 03/14/09 | 02/12/09 | 02/19/09 | 03/06/09 | 01/29/09 |
| 04/25/09 | 03/26/09 | 04/02/09 | 04/17/09 | 03/12/09 |
| 06/13/09 | 05/14/09 | 05/21/09 | 06/05/09 | 04/30/09 |
| 07/25/09 | 06/25/09 | 07/02/09 | 07/17/09 | 06/11/09 |

SCHOOL LEADERSHIP SERIES TESTS

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|-------------|------------------|------------------------------|--|---|-----------------------|
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| SSA | 11/15/08 | 10/16/08 | 10/23/08 | 11/07/08 | 09/18/08 |
| SLLA | 01/10/09 | 12/11/08 | 12/18/08 | 01/02/09 | 11/27/08 |
| SSA | 04/25/09 | 03/26/09 | 04/02/09 | 04/17/09 | 03/12/09 |
| SLLA | 06/13/09 | 05/14/09 | 05/21/09 | 6/05/09 | 04/30/09 |

TESTING FEES

- **Registration Fee:** **\$50.00**

- **School Leadership Series:**
 - School Leaders Licensure Assessment** **\$430.00**
 - School Superintendents Assessment** **\$255.00**

- **Praxis II: Subject Assessment/Specialty Area Test fees:**
 - 2-hour Multiple choice/Constructed response** **\$90.00**
 - 2-hour test** **\$80.00**
 - 1-hour test** **\$65.00**

INFORMATION ABOUT REGISTRATION, TEST CENTERS AND SCORE REPORTING IS INCLUDED IN THE BULLETIN. BULLETINS MAY BE OBTAINED AS FOLLOWS:

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