

Delaware Professional Standards Board

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The Professional Standards Board, in Collaboration and Cooperation with the Department of Education and the State Board of Education has passed the following cut scores for Exams and Assessments:

Tests Required for Specific Licensure Areas

Early Childhood (Birth to Grade 2)

Education of Young Children (ETS Test 5024) – Qualifying Score of 160

Elementary Education (Grades K-6)

Elementary Education: Multiple Subjects (ETS Test 5001) – Qualifying Scores Below by Category

Elementary Education: Reading and Language Arts Subtest (ETS Test 5002) – Qualifying Score of 157

Elementary Education: Mathematics Subtest (ETS Test 5003) – Qualifying Score of 157

Elementary Education: Social Studies Subtest (ETS Test 5004) – Qualifying Score of 155

Elementary Education: Science Subtest (ETS Test 5005) – Qualifying Score of 159

Elementary Education: English Language Arts Content Knowledge (ETS TEST 5038) – Qualifying Score of 167

Middle School Education (Grades 6-8)

Middle School English Language Arts (ETS Test 5047) – Qualifying Score of 164

Middle School Mathematics (ETS Test 5169) – Qualifying Score of 165

Middle School Science (ETS Test 5440) – Qualifying Score of 150

Middle School Social Studies (ETS Test 5089) – Qualifying Score of 164

Secondary Education (Grades 9-12; Valid in Grades 6-8 in a middle level school)

Biology: Content Knowledge (ETS Test 5235) – Qualifying Score of 157

Chemistry: Content Knowledge (ETS Test 5245) – Qualifying Score of 158

Physics: Content Knowledge (ETS Test 5265) – Qualifying Score of 144

Earth and Space Sciences: Content Knowledge (ETS Test 5571) – Qualifying Score of 150

English Language Arts: Content Knowledge (ETS Test 5038) – Qualifying Score of 167

Mathematics: Content Knowledge (ETS Test 5161) – Qualifying Score of 160

Social Studies: Content Knowledge (ETS Test 5081) – Qualifying Score of 157

TO BE CERTIFIED IN EITHER INTEGRATED SCIENCE or PHYSICAL SCIENCE, THE FOLLOWING TEST APPLIES

General Science: Content Knowledge (ETS Test 5435) – Qualifying Score of 160

All Grades (K-12)

Art: Content Knowledge (ETS Test 5134) – Qualifying Score of 158

Special Education: Core Knowledge and Applications (ETS Test 5354) – Qualifying Score of 151

Health Education (ETS Test 5551) – Qualifying Score of 162

Physical Education: Content Knowledge (ETS Test 5091) – Qualifying Score of 152

Health and Physical Education: Content Knowledge (ETS Test 5857) – Qualifying Score of 160 (DUAL OPTION TEST)

Music: Content Knowledge (ETS Test 5113) – Qualifying Score of 155

Theatre (ETS Test 5641) – Qualifying Score of 153

Gifted Education (ETS Test 5358) – Qualifying Score of 157

World Languages

Chinese (Mandarin): World Language (ETS Test 5665) – Qualifying Score of 164
French: World Language (ETS Test 5174) – Qualifying Score of 162
German: World Language (ETS Test 5183) – Qualifying Score of 163
Latin (ETS Test 5601) – Qualifying Score of 152
Spanish: World Language (ETS Test 5195) – Qualifying Score of 168
English to Speakers of Other Languages (ETS Test 5362) – Qualifying Score of 149

Tests Required for Specific Licensure Areas (continued)

Career & Technical Education (Grades 6-12)

Agriculture (ETS Test 5701) – Qualifying Score of 147
Business Education: Content Knowledge (ETS Test 5101) – Qualifying Score of 154
Family and Consumer Sciences (ETS Test 5122) – Qualifying Score of 153
Marketing Education (ETS Test 5561) – Qualifying Score of 166
Technology Education (ETS Test 5051) – Qualifying Score of 159

Instructional Support Personnel (Grades K-12)

Professional School Counselor (ETS Test 5421) – Qualifying Score of 156 (ELEMENTARY or SECONDARY)
Reading Specialist (ETS Test 5301) – Qualifying Score of 164
Parapro Assessment (ETS Test 1755) – Qualifying Score 459

Performance Assessments

edTPA by Pearson

13 Point Rubric – Qualifying Score of 33
15 Point Rubric – Qualifying Score of 38
18 Point Rubric – Qualifying Score of 46

PPAT by ETS

Qualifying Score of 38

The Following areas are currently exempt and are not required to complete one of the performance assessments listed above:

1522 – Elementary Counselor
1545 – Secondary Counselor
1553 – Drivers Education Teacher
1581 – School Reading Specialist
1582 – School Nurse
1583 – School Psychologist
1584 – School Social Worker