



OSSE Adopts Policy to Accept Praxis I Composite Scoring and Equivalent SAT, ACT and GRE scores to meet Praxis I Licensure Exam Requirements

Effective January 1, 2011, the Office of the State Superintendent of Education (OSSE) has adopted a policy that permits teacher licensure applicants additional options to satisfy the Praxis I Pre-Professional Skills Test (PPST) requirement. Applicants may meet the Praxis I requirement by achieving a passing score for each subtest (Reading - 172/319*; Writing - 171/316*; and Mathematics - 174/319*), or applicants may submit official score reports demonstrating satisfactory completion of one of the following:

- 1) Composite Score – a cumulative score of 517/954* (total of the three subtest scores) with minimum scores outlined below.

Composite Score = 517 or 954*		
For composite scoring to be applied, applicants must meet the minimum score for each area as indicated below:		
Reading	Writing	Mathematics
168 or 314*	165 or 307*	169 or 314*

**Acceptable Computer-Based Test (CBT) score based on previous CBT score scale*

- 2) Submission of test scores demonstrating equivalent SAT, ACT, and/or GRE score results. Acceptable score combinations shall consist of any one of the following:

Test Name	Testing Area	Combined Score		Test Name	Score		Test Name	Testing Area	Score	
1	A C T	Composite	20	AND	PPST Writing	171	OR	GRE	Writing	3.5
2	S A T	Verbal & Math	960	AND	PPST Writing	171	OR	GRE	Writing	3.5
3	S A T (pre-2005)	Verbal & Math	850	AND	PPST Writing	171	OR	GRE	Writing	3.5
4	G R E	Verbal & Math	870	AND	PPST Writing	171	OR	GRE	Writing	3.5

How To Take Advantage of Praxis I Flexibility

- **If you received a licensure evaluation/transcript analysis from OSSE’s Educator Licensure and Accreditation unit within one year from the date you will submit a re-evaluation application**, and your ONLY deficiency towards obtaining a full, Regular II license was the completion of Praxis I requirements, submit a completed [licensure re-evaluation application](#) if your Praxis I scores now meet the composite and/or equivalency scores outlined above. Please submit official Praxis, SAT, ACT, and/or GRE score report(s) along with the re-evaluation application (if Praxis I results were submitted with the initial application, they do not need to be resubmitted). No processing fee is required.
- **Applicants who received a licensure evaluation/transcript analysis over one calendar year from the date you received a licensure evaluation/transcript analysis from OSSE’s Educator Licensure and Accreditation unit**, and your ONLY deficiency towards obtaining a full, Regular II license was the completion Praxis I requirements, submit a completed [licensure re-evaluation application](#) if your Praxis I scores now meet the composite and/or equivalency scores outlined above. Please submit official Praxis, SAT, ACT, and/or GRE score report(s) along with the re-evaluation application (if Praxis I results were submitted with the initial application, they do not need to be resubmitted). Refer to the application’s documentation checklist to submit a complete application packet.
- **New licensure applicants** should submit an [application for initial licensure](#) and all applicable documents outlined on the application’s documentation checklist. Praxis I flexibility will be applied based on documents submitted that meet testing requirements.