How to Register for Core Academic Skills for Educators Tests

You will need:

- A debit card, credit card, or PayPal is needed to pay for the test(s). Interest-free payments can be made using PayPal:
 <u>\$90 each x3</u> ← Recommended. Can take on separate days and pay separately; OR
 \$150 for combined ← Not recommended. 5+ hours of testing at once
- To create a username and password (a safe place to store)
- Your personal and MSU class calendar/planner to schedule your chosen date(s)
- Also, take time to prepare. Further information begins on page 6.
- 1. Go to the ETS website provided here:

https://www.ets.org/praxis

2. Click "I am a test taker". ○ A https://www.ets.org/praxis/site.html 30% ☆ \rightarrow C $\widehat{\mathbf{M}}$ Q Search Login / Register CONTACT HOME GRE TOEIC TOEFL ALL PRODUCTS ETS PRAXIS TAKERS \sim EDUCATOR PREPARATION PROGRAMS V STATES & AGENCIES 0. ETS Home > PI RAXIS Home The **Praxis®** tests measure the knowledge and skills you need to prepare for the classroom. Which of the following best describes why you're here today? l am part of an educator l am part of a state or l am a test taker. preparation program. agency. _ . I'm entering an educator preparation program or seeking certification. I need to support my candidates, understand scores, and access services I want to learn more about the program and test adoption, and access services and tools. and tools. Select Select

Click "First-Time Test Taker". (If you are retaking the test, select the other option)



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Select the test you plan to schedule from the *Test drop down menu Schedule Your Praxis Test

Ready to schedule your Praxis test? Let's get started!



*Location type "Minot, North Dakota"; *Test Center "Minot State University" then select/schedule your chosen date/time.



NOTE: Check out/schedule one at a time to take separately (which is encouraged).

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9. Complete Information to Create Your Account.

Ensure your name is exactly as shown on your primary identification document (ID).

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"Test at Home" tips:

- Be advised → you must have a computer with space to download the proctor material (it takes quite a bit of space).
- You must have a photo ID available.
- You must use a small dry erase board (or transparency sheet) and dry erase marker rather than scratch paper for the math exam.
- You must have a clean working area (no clutter) and sit with your back toward a door (think of computer charger/extension cord).

NOTE:

Your MSU advisors strongly suggest you take each test on separate days unless you are a strong test taker. To register for each test individually, you must select only one of these three \rightarrow continue to schedule and payment. REPEAT for the second test. REPEAT for the third test.

If you choose to take all three on the same day, select the "Core Combined" directly below (the yellow box in this picture shows it).

How to Prepare

Before attempting to take the actual tests, your MSU advisors strongly suggest you prepare for success.

There are wonderful, free preparation materials provided at this website:

https://www.ets.org/praxis/site/test-takers/resources.html

Frequently Asked Questions:

https://www.ets.org/praxis/faq_test_takers/

Conquer the CASE Mathematics Test Core Academic Skills for Educators (CASE) Mathematics Review

We want you to be prepared and reach your goals!

Many students must retake the CASE math test because they have not properly prepared and reviewed the material. This costs you time and money.

Use the *"CORE" Math Made Easy* book by Dr. Lynn Gardner to prepare for the specific concepts covered in the CASE mathematics test including: Number and Quantity, Algebra and Functions, Geometry, and Probability and Statistics.

You may purchase the book at <u>www.mgmtutoring.com</u> (electronic or hard copy) or a used version at another website of your choice. There are limited books on reserve at the library for you to check out and the Tutoring Center has books to use when visiting the center.



The best strategy to prepare for the test is to:

- 1. Start reviewing the book the semester before you plan to take the test.
- 2. Work the problems included in the book.
- 3. Visit the Tutoring Center, Old Main 103, during CASE Math Test Prep hours, found on the tutoring schedule at <u>www.minotstateu.edu/cetl/peer_tutoring.shtml</u>.
- 4. Ask questions and review any problems you find difficult. (Be aware that others may be using tutoring services. We appreciate your patience and ask that you plan your time accordingly.)
- 5. Try practice tests on your own to check for understanding.

 Contact Tammy Wolf, Tutoring Center Coordinator, at 858-3360 or tammy.wolf@minotstateu.edu with any questions.

Key Information on Each Core Test

	Core Reading (5713)	Core Writing (5723)	Core Mathematics (5733)
Number of Questions	56 selected-response questions	 40 selected-response questions 2 constructed-response questions 	 56 selected-response and numeric entry questions
Time Allotted	85 minutes	 100 minutes 40 minutes for selected-response section Two 30-minute constructed-response sections 	• 90 minutes
Delivery Method	Computer delivered	Computer delivered	 Computer delivered On-screen four-function calculator provided
Content Categories	 Key Ideas and Details Craft, Structure and Language Skills Integration of Knowledge and Ideas 	 Text Types, Purposes and Production Language and Research Skills for Writing 	 Number and Quantity Data Interpretation and Representation, Statistics and Probability Algebra and Geometry
Types of Passages	 Paired passages (approx. 200 words) with 4–7 questions Long passages (approx. 200 words) with 4–7 questions Short passages (approx. 100 words) with 2 or 3 questions Brief statements with 1 question 	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Types of Questions	 Selected-response questions, including: Single-selection multiple- choice questions Multiple-selection multiple- choice questions Select-in-passage questions 	 Selected-response questions: Usage Sentence correction Revision in context Research skills Constructed-response questions: Argumentative essay Informative/Explanatory essay 	 Selected-response questions, including: Single-selection multiple- choice questions Multiple-selection multiple- choice questions Numeric entry questions
Scoring Scale	100-200	100-200	100–200

For more information, visit the Praxis test website at www.ets.org/praxis

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