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Unless otherwise noted, all tests are Praxis tests administered by Educational Testing Services (ETS).
For information regarding test content, registration, or preparation please visit the appropriate website:

[American Board for the Certification of Teacher Excellence \(ABCTE\)](#)
[American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages \(ACTFL\)](#)
[Education Testing Services - Praxis](#)

Qualifying Score and Score Status:

The Qualifying Score for tests with a Score Status of “Prelim” have not yet been finalized. Candidates must meet the current qualifying score at the time they receive the License Area or Endorsement. Score Statuses marked as “Review” will have their final passing score set during the 2018-19 school year. The new score will be required as of August 31, 2019. The final score may or may not change from the score listed here. Please refer to the Licensure Testing Update on our website for current passing scores on these tests.

Previously Approved Tests:

Educators that took previously approved tests during the time period in which Utah approved the use of that particular test and that met the Utah passing score may be approved for Utah licensure. For example, for elementary licensure Utah currently requires licensure candidates to take and pass the 5001 Elementary Multiple Subjects test. However, an educator that took and passed the 5014 Elementary: Content Knowledge test prior to September 1, 2012 is considered to have met the testing requirement for Utah licensure. An educator that took and passed the 5014 after September 1, 2012 has **not** met the testing requirement. For a list of historically approved tests, please see the end of this document.

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Administrative and Support Licensure				
To receive an:	Take this test:	Test Code	Qualifying Score	Score Status
Administrative/Supervisory (K-12) License Area	Educational Leadership and Supervision OR	5412	146	Prelim
	School Leaders Licensure Assessment	6990	151	Prelim
School Counselor (K-12) License Area	Professional School Counselor	5421	164	Final
School Psychologist (K-12) License Area	School Psychologist	5402	147	Prelim

Elementary Multiple Subjects Test – Special Note

Candidates taking this test must pass all 4 subtests in order to be eligible for licensure. A candidate may register for 5001 to take all 4 subtests on their initial attempt. If a candidate fails to pass a subtest on the first attempt, he can then register to retake only the subtest(s) that he did not pass under the appropriate code.

Early Childhood Licensure				
To receive an:	Take this test:	Test Code	Qualifying Score	Score Status
Early Childhood Education (K-3) License Area	Early Childhood: Content Knowledge OR	5025	156	Review
	Elementary Education: Multiple Subjects	5001	N/A	Review
	Reading/Language Arts	5002	157	
	Mathematics	5003	157	
	Social Studies	5004	155	
	Science	5005	159	

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Elementary Licensure				
To receive an:	Take this test:	Test Code	Qualifying Score	Score Status
Elementary Education (K-6) License Area	Elementary Education: Multiple Subjects	5001	N/A	Review
	Reading/Language Arts	5002	157	
	Mathematics	5003	157	
	Social Studies	5004	155	
	Science	5005	159	
Elementary Education (1-8) License Area	Elementary Education: Multiple Subjects	5001	N/A ²	Review
	Reading/Language Arts	5002	157	
	Mathematics	5003	157	
	Social Studies	5004	155	
	Science	5005	159	
Endorsement on your Elementary License Area	<i>See Secondary Licensure</i>	N/A	N/A	N/A

Secondary Licensure				
Information Alert: Endorsements marked with an asterisk (*) may be awarded without the listed PRAXIS test if certain criteria are met. Candidates for these endorsements should consult with their University Advisor or the USBE content area specialist before registering for any test marked in this manner.				
To receive a Secondary Education (6-12) License Area and/or a(n):	Take this test:	Test Code	Qualifying Score	Score Status
Agriculture (CTE/General) Endorsement*	Agriculture	5701	147	Prelim
American Sign Language Endorsement	American Sign Language Proficiency Interview (ASLPI)	N/A	Rating 4	Final
Business (CTE/General) Endorsement*	Business Education	5101	154	Review
Chemistry Endorsement	Chemistry: Content Knowledge	5245	151	Final
Chinese Endorsement	Chinese (Mandarin): World Language AND	5665	145	Prelim
	ACTFL Oral Proficiency Interview (OPI) – Chinese	N/A	Adv. Low	Final
Economics Endorsement	Economics OR	5911	150	Prelim
	Social Studies: Content Knowledge	5081	159	Final
English Endorsement	English Language Arts: Content and Analysis	5039	162	Review

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Secondary Licensure				
Family Consumer Sciences (CTE/General) Endorsement*	Family and Consumer Sciences	5122	160	Review
French Endorsement	French: Content Knowledge AND	5174	160	Final
	ACTFL Oral Proficiency Interview (OPI) – French	N/A	Adv. Low	Final
Geography Endorsement	Geography OR	5921	159	Final
	Social Studies: Content Knowledge	5081	159	Final
German Endorsement	German: Content Knowledge AND	5183	160	Prelim
	ACTFL Oral Proficiency Interview (OPI) – German	N/A	Adv. Low	Final
Health Education Endorsement*	Health Education	5551	162	Final
History Endorsement	World and U.S. History: Content Knowledge OR	5941	156	Final
	Social Studies: Content Knowledge	5081	159	Final
Latin Endorsement	Latin	5601	152	Final
Library Media (K-12) Endorsement	Library Media Specialist	5311	141	Prelim
Mathematics Endorsement Level 2	Mathematics: Content Knowledge OR	5161	160	Final
	Middle School Mathematics	5169	165	Final
Mathematics Endorsement Level 3 or 4	Mathematics: Content Knowledge	5161	160	Final
Music Endorsement	Music Education: Content Knowledge	5113	156	Final
Physical Education Endorsement*	Physical Education: Content Knowledge	5091	152	Final
Physics Endorsement	Physics: Content Knowledge	5265	136	Final
Political Science Endorsement	Government/Political Science OR	5931	149	Prelim
	Social Studies: Content Knowledge	5081	159	Final
Psychology Endorsement	Psychology OR	5391	154	Prelim
	Social Studies: Content Knowledge	5081	159	Final
Reading Endorsement	Teaching Reading	5204	159	Final
Science, Biological Endorsement	Biology: Content Knowledge	5235	149	Final
Science, Earth Endorsement	Earth and Space Sciences: Content Knowledge	5571	153	Final

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Science, Environmental Endorsement	Biology: Content Knowledge	5235	149	Final
Science, Middle Level Endorsement	General Science: Content Knowledge OR	5435	166	Final
	Middle School Science	5440	150	Prelim
Science, Physical Endorsement	Physics: Content Knowledge OR	5265	136	Final
	Chemistry: Content Knowledge	5245	151	Final
Social Studies Composite Endorsement	Social Studies: Content Knowledge	5081	159	Final
Sociology Endorsement	Sociology OR	5952	154	Prelim
	Social Studies: Content Knowledge	5081	159	Final
Spanish Endorsement	Spanish: Content Knowledge AND	5195	168	Final
	ACTFL Oral Proficiency Interview (OPI) – Spanish	N/A	Adv. Low	Final
Speech Communication Endorsement*	Speech Communication	5221	144	Prelim
Technology Endorsement*	Technology Education	5051	159	Prelim
Theatre Endorsement	Theatre	5641	162	Final
Visual Art Endorsement	Art: Content Knowledge	5134	158	Final

Deaf Education Licensure				
To receive a:	Take this test:	Test Code	Qualifying Score	Score Status
Deaf Education License Area	Special Ed: Education of Deaf and Hard of Hearing Students	5272	157	Prelim

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Special Education Licensure				
Special Education candidates have a variety of testing options due to the variety of ways in which a Special Education teacher can be utilized. Candidates in Special Education are strongly advised to consult with their university advisor or their LEA's Special Education director, if they are employed, before taking any of the tests listed here.				
An individual passing the indicated test may receive a Special Education (K-12) license area with:		Test Code	Qualifying Score	Score Status
Mild/Moderate Disabilities Endorsement;	Special Education: Core Knowledge and Applications	5354	160	Final
Severe Disabilities Endorsement;	OR Elementary Education: Multiple Subjects Reading/Language Arts Mathematics Social Studies Science OR Middle School English Language Arts	5001	N/A	Review
Deaf and Hard of Hearing;		5002	157	
Blind and Visually Impaired;		5003	157	
Deafblind;		5004	155	
		5005	159	
	5047	158	Prelim	
Mild/Moderate Disabilities Endorsement	Special Education: Core Knowledge and Mild/Moderate Applications	5543	158	Final
Severe Disabilities Endorsement	Special Education: Core Knowledge and Severe to Profound Applications	5545	158	Prelim
Mild/Moderate Disabilities Endorsement; Severe Disabilities Endorsement; Deaf and Hard of Hearing; Blind and Visually Impaired; Deafblind; Mathematics – Special Education Endorsement ¹	Middle School Mathematics	5169	165	Final

¹ Coursework requirements for the endorsement must also be completed, see [Educator Licensing](#)

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Utah Previously Approved Tests			
License Area, Endorsement, or Special Purpose	Test Code	Valid Dates	Qualifying Score
Administrative/Supervisory (K-12) License Area	0410	Prior to 9/1/2010	620
	5411	Prior to 9/1/2018	151
	6011	Prior to 9/1/2018	163
Agriculture (CTE/General) Endorsement	0700	Prior to 9/1/2014	520
Business (CTE/General) Endorsement	0100	Prior to 9/1/2010	590
Early Childhood Education (K-3) License Area;	0014	Prior to 9/1/2012	150
Early Childhood Education (K-3) License Area;	5022	Prior to 9/1/2015	160
Elementary Education (K-6) License Area;	5031	All subtests passed	N/A
Elementary Education (1-8) License Area;	5032	Prior to 9/1/2015	165
Special Education (K-12) License area with any Special Ed endorsement	5033		165
	5034		155
	5035		159
Economics Endorsement	0910	Prior to 9/1/2012	560
English Endorsement	0041	Prior to 9/1/2013	168
	5038	Prior to 9/1/2014	162
Family Consumer Sciences (CTE/General) Endorsement	0120	Prior to 9/1/2008	590
	0121	Prior to 9/1/2014	159
French Endorsement	0173	Prior to 9/1/2010	161
Geography Endorsement	0920	Prior to 9/1/2011	630
German Endorsement	0181	Prior to 9/1/2010	153
Health Endorsement	0550	Prior to 9/1/2013	670
Latin Endorsement	0600	Prior to 11/1/2012	610
Library Media (K-12) Endorsement	0310	Prior to 9/1/2009	580
Marketing (CTE/General) Endorsement	0560	Prior to 9/1/2008	550
Mathematics Endorsement Level 2, 3, or 4	0061	Prior to 9/1/2013	138

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Mathematics Endorsement Level 2	0069	Prior to 9/1/2013	145
Political Science Endorsement	0930	Prior to 9/1/2012	660
Psychology Endorsement	0390	Prior to 9/1/2013	620
School Counselor (K-12) License Area	0420	Prior to 9/1/2012	610
School Counselor (K-12) License Area	5421	Prior to 9/1/2015	156
School Psychologist (K-12) License Area	0400	Prior to 9/1/2008	580
	0401	Prior to 9/1/2014	165
Science, Physical Endorsement	0481	Prior to 9/1/2014	150
Sociology Endorsement	0950	Prior to 9/1/2014	550
Spanish Endorsement	0191	Prior to 9/1/2010	161
Special Education (K-12) with any Special Ed Endorsement	0353	Prior to 9/1/2010	155
	0069	Prior to 9/1/2013	145
	0049	Prior to 9/1/2013	155
Special Education (K-12) with Mild/Moderate Endorsement	0542	Prior to 9/1/2010	155
Special Education (K-12) with Severe Endorsement	0544	Prior to 9/1/2010	159
Speech Communication Endorsement	0220	Prior to 9/1/2009	570
Technology Endorsement	0050	Prior to 9/1/2011	600
Theatre Endorsement	0640	Prior to 11/1/2012	630
Upgrade to a Level 2 License	0521	Prior to 9/1/2011	160
	0522	Prior to 9/1/2011	160
	0523	Prior to 9/1/2011	160
	0524	Prior to 9/1/2011	160
Visual Art Endorsement	0133	Prior to 9/1/2011	159