HOW TO REGISTER FOR
PRAXIS CORE EXAM

A step-by-step tutorial
What is the Praxis Core?

- A series of tests used to measure basic skills in reading, writing, and math
- The format consists of mostly multiple choice questions along with an essay portion
- Similar to the ACT/ SAT
Tutorial Instructions

- As you go through this tutorial follow the instructions in the Orange Boxes!
Registering for the Test

□ First step: http://www.ets.org/

ETS (or the Educational Testing Service) develops, administers, and scores a number of standardized tests, including the Praxis Core and Praxis II exams.

Click on the link to the praxis exams.
Go to the link that allows you to register for a test.
Register for a Praxis™ Test

_Register online for a Praxis™ test_!

- See [test fees](#)
- Get more information on registering for a [computer-delivered test](#)
- Get more information on registering for a [paper-delivered test](#)

**Important Notes**

Here are a few tips to help you successfully complete the registration process:

- Check your [state testing requirements](#) to see which test(s) are required for licensure in your state.
- Visit [Test Centers and Dates](#) to see where and when tests are available in your area.
- Review the policies in _The Praxis Series™ Information Bulletin (PDF)_) before registering.
- Need testing accommodations? (Please note, online registration is not available for test
If you are registering for the first time, make sure you write down and save your username and password. You will need this everything you are on the site.

Sign In to Your Praxis™ Account

If you are planning to take the Praxis Chinese (Mandarin): World Language test (5665) in October, please note that the registration deadline is October 7, 2012. To register, please contact ETS at 1-800-772-9476 instead of registering online.

Returning Users
User Name: 
Password: 

Sign In
Forgot User Name | Forgot Password

New User
Creating an account allows you to:
- Register online for Praxis Computer Delivered and Paper Delivered tests
- Access admission tickets
- Cancel or change a test or dates
- View current test scores
- Order score reports
- Update contact information

Create Account

Note: The online registration system supports the latest versions of Internet Explorer®, Firefox®, Chrome®, and Safari®. You may use one of these browsers to access the registration and reporting site.

For security reasons, the system may time out after 30 minutes of inactivity. If you browse any pages outside of praxis.org, the site will be considered inactive. Navigating within the site will keep your session active.
Anytime you log in to your account, your homepage will look like this. Now click on Register for a Praxis Test.
Agree to all the terms and conditions. There are also useful links to the testing requirements and study tools.

Before You Register for a Test

Before you register for a test, make sure you do the following:

- Check your state testing requirements to see which test(s) are required for certification.
- Know where you’d like to send your three free score reports, and make sure you know the state, agency or institution’s deadline for score reports.
- Have your payment information ready. You can pay by credit/debit card (American Express®, Discover®, JCB®, MasterCard® or Visa®), (drawn against U.S. bank accounts only), PayPal or voucher.
- Read The Praxis Series™ Information Bulletin.
- If you reregister for a paper-delivered test before you know the results of a prior test, and subsequently receive a passing score for the test you reregistered for, you will automatically receive a full refund. You do not need to submit a request for a refund.

If you need accommodations because of disability or health-related needs, or if your primary language is not English and you need extra time, please review the Praxis Test Accommodations procedures. For some types of accommodations, you may need to register by mail or by phone. You will need to complete the Praxis Registration Form. You may register online through the Praxis online registration system.

By clicking the "I Agree" button below, you agree to the conditions concerning test administration, fee payment, and score reporting in the Information Bulletin and to ETS’s Terms and Conditions and Privacy and Security Policy. If you do not agree, you cannot proceed with your registration.
When you are looking for the test you want to register for, you can either search Praxis exams available in the state of Iowa for the BOEE or jump directly to the Praxis exams.
You need to take a test for Core Academics Skills for Educators: Math, Reading and Writing. You can also take the tests separately or select the option for the combined test. A majority of students take the combined version due to cost savings. Check the box of the test you want to select.

### 2. Select the Tests You Want to Take

Select up to four tests, then click "Continue".

- Paper-delivered tests are offered on fixed Saturday administration dates throughout the year.
- Most computer-delivered tests are offered during testing "windows," some are offered year-round by appointment.
- When multiple computer-delivered Praxis tests are selected, test fees are adjusted.
- Inclusion here does not guarantee seat availability at your chosen test center.

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Computer-delivered Tests to be Scheduled

You have selected the following test(s). You will also have to select a test center, date and time for each test, one at a time. You may choose to test for all tests, or you may choose to test at a different test center for each one. Check "Schedule Test(s)" time listed includes time for tutorials and directional screens that may be included in the test. Actual time:

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Add Test(s)
You can take the test anywhere you want. There is a testing center located right on the UNI campus, or you can take the test near your hometown. You can even take the test out of state if you want!!!
The calendar below is linked to all the different times the test is available. The shaded boxed dates indicate the days available for testing. Click the options and choose the time that’s best for you.
Double check to make sure all the testing information is correct so far. Then hit confirm!

Confirm Your Testing Information

You have requested seat(s) for the selected test(s). Please click the "Continue" button to identify your Attending Institution and Score Recipients for the most recently added test. If the information is incorrect, click the appropriate "Edit" or "Remove" links.

You are not guaranteed a seat at your chosen test center(s) until you have completed the registration and payment process.

Computer-delivered Tests

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Next, you will need to have your scores sent to UNI. The code for UNI is 6307.
Finishing Your Order

- Once you have determined where you want your scores sent, you will need to review your order and fill out all of your payment information.
- You must pay using a credit card. No U-bill charges allowed!
- Make sure that you print out a copy of the confirmation and bring with you on the exam date!
- Arrive 30 minutes before your scheduled exam with a picture ID.
- Questions about the registration process contact ITTC 007 (319) 273-6023.
“All test takers receive a score regardless of the number of questions you answer correctly, with no penalty or subtraction for answering a question incorrectly. It is to your advantage to pace yourself so that you have enough time to carefully consider every question” (ETS).
What is the Format?

- Computer based test:
  - Offered year round, Tuesday- Friday plus 1st & 3rd Saturdays.
  - Available through UNI Testing Center- ITTC 007 (515) 273-6023 here on campus.

- Praxis exams are only given in English. If English is not your primary language, you may be eligible for extended testing time.
What Test Should I Take?

- **Praxis Core Test Numbers**
  - **Combined:**
    - Computer based test- 5751
  - **Reading:**
    - Computer based test – 5712
  - **Writing**
    - Computer based test – 5722
  - **Math**
    - Computer based test – 5732
Passing Scores:

- Reading – 138
- Writing – 142
- Math – 115

UNI Teacher Education DOES require a composite passing score for admission!
- Composite- 448
How Can I Prepare?

- The ETS website offers a variety of free resources to help you prepare for the praxis exam.
  - The *Praxis Series* Information Bulletin:  
  - *Praxis* test prep materials:  
Praxis Core Learning Sites

- **Praxis I Preparation Resources**
  The Rod Library has access to the LearningExpress database.

  All users need to complete a free online registration before they use the tests located in the database.

  **DIRECTIONS -**
  OR

  B. From the library homepage ([http://www.library.uni.edu](http://www.library.uni.edu)), click on the "Databases A-Z" link located under the OneSearch! tab. Scroll down the alphabetical list and click on the title (Learning Express) to enter the database.

  **ONCE ON THE LEARNING EXPRESS WEBSITE**
  2. Click on the "Register" button located under New Users to set up a free account.
  3. Once you are in the database, click on the "Jobs and Careers" heading located in the left column.
  4. Next, Click on the "Teaching" heading.
  5. Click on "Praxis I or II Preparation" and a list of individual tests will appear on the screen.

  Note: Rod Library currently has access to the LearningExpress database through November 2014.