



Alabama State Department of Education
Educator Assessment
-1 Standard Error of Measure (SEM) Score Requirements

Options for Undergraduates pursuing a degree at UWA:

Option 2 - Application for the Professional Educator Certificate will be made by the recommending Alabama college/university.

Requirements	Status
Alabama-approved Praxis subject area test(s)	The individual scores within -1 Standard Error of Measure (SEM)* of the current required score.
Foundations of Reading test, where applicable	The individual meets the required score.
Teaching Field GPA	The individual meets an increased Teaching Field GPA of at least 2.75.
edTPA	The individual meets the required score.
The individual is eligible for a Professional Educator Certificate if all other Alabama state-approved program requirements are met.	

* -1 Standard Error of Measure (SEM) Score Requirements for Alabama-approved Praxis subject-area tests document is attached.

Alternative A Options for Reduced Praxis II Scores

If an individual **meets** the required 2.50 overall GPA for unconditional admission to the Alternative Class A Program, the -1 Standard Error of Measure score can be applied.

If an individual **does not meet** the required 2.50 overall GPA for unconditional admission to the Alternative Class A Program, the increased Praxis score is still required. Go here for the increased Praxis II scores.

Upon completion of an Alternative Class A Program, if an individual successfully completes all requirements to be recommended for certification the -1 Standard Error of Measure Score can be applied.



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Praxis Test Title	Praxis Test Code	-1 SEM
Biology: Content Knowledge	5235	146
Early Childhood Education	5025	151
Elementary Education: Three Subject Bundle <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mathematics Social Studies Science 	5901 5903 5904 5905 OR 5001	148 147 151
Elementary Education: Multiple Subjects (mathematics, social studies, and science subtests only) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mathematics Social Studies Science 	5003 5004 5005	148 147 151
English Language Arts: Content Knowledge	5038	163
General Science: Content Knowledge	5435	147
Mathematics (Begins 9/1/22)	5165	152
Physical Education: Content Knowledge	5091	146
Social Studies: Content Knowledge	5081	151
Special Education: Core Knowledge and Applications	5354	149
World and U.S. History: Content Knowledge	5941	143