

License Based on a Content Test Pathway - Mathematics Licenses

Educators who hold a valid Wisconsin teacher license at the middle/secondary level¹ may apply for a mathematics license through the License Based on a Content Test Pathway. This pathway allows an educator to demonstrate content knowledge in mathematics or computer science area by passing a content test approved by the State Superintendent. The following tests are the **only approved** tests for seeking licensure through the License Based on a Content Test Pathway for Mathematics and Computer Science related licenses.

License I currently hold	Related Subject Area License I want to apply for	ETS Praxis II ² tests name - code	Passing Score	Pearson NES ³ tests name - code	Passing Score
	I want to add this Wisconsin license:	These are the only tests I may choose to take and the passing scores I must achieve.			
		ONLY ONE TEST FOR EACH SUBJECT AREA IS REQUIRED.			
Middle/secondary level in English/Language Arts, Math/Computer Science, Science, or Social Studies	Mathematics (400)	Mathematics: Content Knowledge 5161	160	Mathematics - 304	220
	Computer Science (405)	Computer Science 5651	171	NA	NA

TO APPLY for a license in this Pathway, an educator must:

- HOLD** a valid Wisconsin teacher license at the middle/secondary level
- VERIFY** your eligibility on the license look-up page: <http://dpi.wi.gov/tepd/lookup>
- CHOOSE** the test you will take. **REGISTER** directly with the test vendor to take the test:
ETS Praxis II - www.ets.org/praxis Pearson NES - www.nestest.com
- TAKE** the test. **OBTAIN** an original score report from the test vendor. **VERIFY** minimum passing score.
Do not request score reports to be sent directly to the DPI.
- APPLY** for the new license by following the directions at <http://dpi.wi.gov/tepd/elo/other/content-test>. **UPLOAD** original score report during the application process. Score reports submitted separately will not be considered as part of the application. Licenses will be issued at the EA-A level.

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¹ Eligible levels include grades 6-12, 7-12, 9-12, and the early adolescence – adolescence development level. Holders of mathematics or computer science minors at the elementary and/or middle level are not eligible to add a related license based on passing an approved content test.

² The Educational Testing Service (ETS) administers the Praxis II content tests. Visit www.ets.org/praxis for testing information.

³ Pearson administers the NES content tests. Visit www.nestest.com for testing information.