Secondary Education 7-12 Programs – PDE Testing Requirements* (*Must have successfully completed PAPA tests)

Educators applying for an initial Instructional I secondary (7-12) certification are required to pass the PAPA (Pre-Service Academic Performance Assessment) in addition to passing the appropriate *Praxis II* test(s).

The PAPA module series must be taken prior to taking the Praxis II test(s). PAPA information and registration can be found at www.pa.nesinc.com.

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To Be Certified in	You Need to Take	Test Code	Qualifying Score
Biology 7–12	Biology: Content Knowledge (PDF)	0235	147
Chemistry 7–12	Chemistry: Content Knowledge (PDF)	0245	154
English 7–12	English Language Arts: Content Knowledge	5038	167
General Science 7–12	General Science: Content Knowledge	0435	146
Mathematics 7–12	Mathematics: Content Knowledge (Online graphing calculator provided.)	5161	136
Physics 7–12	Physics: Content Knowledge	0265	140
Social Studies 7–12	Social Studies: Content Knowledge (Computer)	5081	157
	or		
	Social Studies: Content Knowledge (Paper)	0081	157