

4 AAC 04.210(d)(6) is amended to read:

(6) if a middle school teacher, has achieved the required score or higher on a

[THE] Praxis II examination for that subject described in the following table:

Praxis II Examination	Required Score
Middle School English Language Arts -5049 or 0049	154
<u>Middle School English Language Arts - 5047</u>	<u>164</u>
Middle School Mathematics – 0069	145
<u>Middle School Mathematics – 5169</u>	<u>165</u>
Middle School Science – 0439	136
Middle School Social Studies - 5089 or 0089	<u>149</u> [147]

[OR]

4 AAC 04.210(d)(7) is amended to read:

(7) if a middle or high school teacher, has achieved the required score or higher

on a [THE] Praxis II examination for that subject described in the following table:

Praxis II Examination	Required Score
Art Content Knowledge – 0133	155
Art Content Knowledge – <u>5134 or</u> 0134	158
Biology Content Knowledge – <u>5235 or</u> 0235	<u>144</u> [139]
Chemistry Content Knowledge – <u>5245 or</u> 0245	139
Earth and Space Science Content Knowledge – <u>5571 or</u> 0571	144

Economics – 0910	460
<u>Economics – 5911 or 0911</u>	<u>150</u>
English Language, Literature, and Composition Content Knowledge - 5041 or 0041	158
<u>English Content Knowledge – 5038</u>	<u>167</u>
<u>English Language Arts: Content and Analysis—5039</u>	<u>168</u>
English Language, Literature, and Composition; Content and Analysis – <u>5044 or</u> 0044	166
French Content Knowledge – 0173	<u>160</u> [157]
French World Language – 5174	162
General Science; Content Knowledge <u>5435 or</u> 0435	<u>146</u> [149]
General Science; Content Knowledge, Part 1 - 0431 and Part 2 – 0432	Part 1: 146 Part 2: <u>144</u> [138]
Geography - 0920	590
Geography – <u>5921 or</u> 0921	<u>149</u> [151]
German Content Knowledge – 0181	158
German World Language – 5183	163
Government/Political Science – 0930	610
<u>Government/Political Science – 5931 or 0931</u>	<u>149</u>
Mathematics Content Knowledge - 5061 or 0061	<u>121</u> [119]
<u>Mathematics Content Knowledge – 5161</u>	<u>160</u>
Musical Content Knowledge – <u>5113 or</u> 0113	<u>154</u> [148]
Physical Science Content Knowledge -0481	145
Physics Content Knowledge – <u>5265 or</u> 0265	<u>127</u> [129]

Social Studies Content Knowledge – 5081 or 0081	<u>152</u> [150]
Spanish <u>Content Knowledge</u> – 0191	152
Spanish World Language - 5195	168
Speech Communication - 0220	560
Speech Communication – <u>5221 or</u> 0221	<u>146</u> [143]
Theatre – 0640	560
<u>Theatre – 5641 or 0641</u>	<u>157</u>
World and U.S. History - 0940 [(NOT OFFERED BY TEST PUBLISHER AFTER JUNE 30, 2005)]	440
World and U.S. History – <u>5941 or</u> 0941	141

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4 AAC 12.305(b)(2)(B) is amended to read:

(B) a Praxis II content area examination by attaining the score set out for the appropriate examination under 4 AAC 04.210 **or (j) of this section**, or an equivalent content area examination designated by the department;

Publisher: Existing 4 AAC 12.305(b)(3)-(7) are unchanged, and need not be displayed.

4 AAC 12.305 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

(j) A teacher may satisfy the requirements of (b)(2)(B) of this section by achieving the required score or higher on a Praxis II examination described in the following table:

Praxis II Examination	Required Score
Business Education – 0100	620
Business Education – 5101 or 0101	154
Family and Consumer Science – 0120	610
Family and Consumer Science – 5121 or 0121	164
Family and Consumer Science-5122	153
Fundamental Subjects: Content Knowledge-5511	150
Health Education – 5551 or 0551	155
Health Education – 5550 or 0550	670
Health and Physical Education – 5856 or 0856	152
Health and Physical Education: Content Knowledge--5857	160
Physical Education – 5091 or 0091	146
Social Sciences: Content Knowledge-0951	161
Technology Education – 0050	630
Technology Education – 0051 or 5051	159
Vocational General Knowledge – 0890	640

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4 AAC 12.310(a) is amended to read:

(a) The **following** Praxis I: Academic Skills Assessments **are** [IS] designated as [A] competency **examinations** [EXAMINATION] for teachers under AS 14.20.020(i) with the following qualifying scores for this state:

(1) for the Computer Based Test (adaptive),

(A) reading: 322;

(B) writing: 321; and

(C) mathematics: 318;

(2) for the Computerized Pre-Professional Skill Test, an average score of 174 with no score less than 172 on each of the reading, writing, and mathematics tests; **and**

(3) for the Academic Skills for Educators Test,

(A) reading (5712): 156;

(B) writing (5722): 162; and

(C) mathematics (5732): 150.

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AS 14.20.010

4 AAC 12.395(a)(2)(B) is amended to read:

(B) official scores demonstrating that the applicant meets or exceeds the qualifying scores for this state on [BOTH] the appropriate Praxis II **examination or [MULTIPLE CHOICE AND CONSTRUCTED RESPONSE]** examinations in the content area, as follows:

(i) for an endorsement in mathematics, the qualifying scores are **121** [146] on Mathematics: Content Knowledge (**5061 or 0061**), and 171 on Mathematics: Proofs, Models, and Problems, Part 1 (**0063**); **or the qualifying score is 160 on Mathematics: Content Knowledge (5161)**;

(ii) for an endorsement in science, the qualifying scores are **146** [155] on General Science: Content Knowledge Part 1 (**0431**), **144** [149] on General Science: Content Knowledge Part 2 (**0432**), and 145 on General Science: Content Essays (**0433**); **or the qualifying score is 146 on General Science: Content Knowledge (5435 or 0435)**;

(iii) for an endorsement in English, the qualifying scores are 158 on English Language, Literature, and Composition: Content Knowledge (**5041 or 0041**), and 160 on English Language, Literature, and Composition: Essays (**0042**); **or the qualifying score is 167 on English: Content Knowledge (5038)**;

(iv) for an endorsement in German, the qualifying scores are **158** [153] on German: Content Knowledge (**0181**), and 178 on German: Productive

Language Skills **(0182); or the qualifying score is 163 on German: World Language (5183).**

(v) for an endorsement in French, the qualifying scores are **160** [162] on French: Content Knowledge **(0173)**, and 171 on French: Productive Language Skills **(0171); or the qualifying score is 162 on French: World Language (5174).**

4 AAC 12.395(b) is amended to read:

(b) For the "school psychology" endorsement, the applicant must

(1) hold a master's or higher degree in school psychology and [(1)] be recommended for endorsement by an institution whose psychology program has been approved by the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education, the National Association of State Directors of Teacher Education and Certification, the National Association of School Psychologists, or the American Psychological Association, and have completed a 1,200-hour internship in school psychology, 600 hours of which must be completed on site in preschool or kindergarten - grade 12 programs; or

(2) **hold a master's degree or higher in a related field and** be a nationally certified school psychologist under the National School Psychologist Certification System established by the National Association of School Psychologists.

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