

Test Title	Type	Description and Website	Scoring Info
ACT American College Testing	College readiness assessment	<p>“The ACT® is a curriculum- and standards-based educational and career planning tool that assesses students’ academic readiness for college.”</p> <p>http://www.act.org/products/k-12-act-test/)</p>	<p>Composite scores and each test score (English, mathematics, reading, science) range from 1 (low) to 36 (high). The Composite Score is the average of your four test scores, rounded to the nearest whole number. Fractions less than one-half are rounded down; fractions one-half or more are rounded up.</p> <p>Subscores (Usage/Mechanics, Rhetorical Skills, etc.) range from 1 (low) to 18 (high). There is no direct arithmetic relationship between subscores and test scores—this means subscores do not necessarily add up to your test score.</p>
AP Advanced Placement	College Placement	<p>“The Advanced Placement Program (AP) gives high school students an opportunity to take college-level courses and exams, and earn credit, advanced placement or both for college.”</p> <p>https://apstudent.collegeboard.org/home</p>	<p>Your score is a weighted combination of your scores on the multiple-choice section and on the free-response section. The final score is reported on a 5-point scale as follows:</p> <p>5 = extremely well qualified 4 = well qualified 3 = qualified 2 = possibly qualified 1 = no recommendation</p> <p>"Qualified" means that you have proven yourself capable of doing the work of an introductory-level course in a particular subject at college. Many colleges and universities grant credit and placement for scores of 3, 4 or 5; however, each college decides which scores it will accept.</p>
CLEP College Level Examination Program®	College Placement	<p>“CLEP is the College Board's credit-by-examination program enabling students to demonstrate college-level achievement in 34 different subject areas and receive up to two years of college credit.”</p> <p>https://clep.collegeboard.org/</p>	<p>CLEP exam scores are “scaled scores” that range from 20, the lowest, to 80, the highest. The American Council on Education’s College Credit Recommendation Service (ACE CREDIT) evaluates CLEP test scores, and currently finds that many CLEP scores of 50 correspond to a grade of C. In a few tests however, a C equivalent is a higher score than 50. See the following link for specifics.</p> <p>https://secure-media.collegeboard.org/digitalServices/pdf/clep/clep-what-your-score-means-flyer.pdf</p>
FLANG French Exemption	UMass College Placement	<p>https://www.umass.edu/newstudent/placement-and-exemption-exams</p>	<p>Administered online through OWL.</p> <p>Component FRO; Score range: 0 – 80</p>
FLANGO French, German, Latin placement	UMass College Placement	<p>https://www.umass.edu/newstudent/placement-and-exemption-exams</p>	<p>Administered online through OWL.</p> <p>Component FR: Score range: 0 – 88 Component GM: 0 - 86 Component LT: 0 - 119</p>

FLANGW Spanish Placement	UMass College Placement	https://www.umass.edu/ne_wstudent/placement-and-exemption-exams	Administered by an outside system called WebCape. Component ID: SP; Score range: 0 - 1000
FMATO Freshman Math online	UMass College Placement	https://www.umass.edu/ne_wstudent/placement-and-exemption-exams	Administered online through OWL. Consists of two parts, separately scored. Part A (ALGBF) score range: 0 – 30 Part B (TRIG) score range: 0 – 10
FWRITO Freshman Writing online	UMass College Placement	https://www.umass.edu/ne_wstudent/placement-and-exemption-exams	Administered online through OWL. Component ID: WR; Score range: 0 - 6
GMAT Graduate Management Admissions Test	Business School Placement	Like the GRE, many graduate business programs rely on the GMAT to make admissions decisions. http://www.mba.com/us/th-e-gmat-exam.aspx	This 3.5 hour test has 4 sections and produces five scores: Analytical Writing Assessment (essay), Integrated Reasoning, Quantitative, Verbal, and Total. The Total will range from 200 to 800, and is derived from the Quantitative and Verbal scores only. Quantitative and Verbal scores range from 0 to 60; Analytical Writing Assessment scores range from 0 to 6 in half-point intervals; Integrated Reasoning scores range from 1 to 8. Unofficial scores from all sections except the essay are available immediately after you complete the test. You may cancel them, but only at that time.
GRE Graduate Records Exam	Higher Education Assessments	Like the GMAT, many graduate business programs rely on the GRE to make admissions decisions. http://www.ets.org/gre	This test has 3 sections, and scoring scale shown: Verbal Reasoning, 130–170, in 1 point increments. Quantitative Reasoning, 130–170, in 1 point increments. Analytical Writing (essay), 0–6, in half point increments. Test scores are valid for five years after the testing year in which you tested. A ScoreSelect® option lets you decide which test scores to send to the institutions you designate. Details at: http://www.ets.org/gre/revised_general/scores/?WT.ac=gr_ehome_grescores_150213
IELTS International English Language test	English language proficiency	“IELTS assesses the English language proficiency of people who want to study or work where English is used as the language of communication.” http://www.ielts.org/	There is no pass or fail in IELTS. Test takers are graded on their performance in the test, using scores from 1 to 9 for each part of the test – Listening, Reading, Writing and Speaking. The speaking test is a face-to-face interview with a certified Examiner. A single overall “Band Score” is produced by averaging the scores from all 4 parts. A score of 9 indicates an expert user of English.

			http://www.ielts.org/test_takers_information/test_takers_faqs.aspx
MAT Miller Analogies test	High-level assessment of critical thinking and problem solving	Administered in 60 minutes, the MAT is accepted by hundreds of graduate programs as a measurement of analytical thinking ability. http://www.pearsonassessments.com/postsecondary_education/graduate_admissions/mat.html	The MAT does not set a passing score; each school has its own standards. Scaled scores are based on the number of correctly answered items, and are reported on a scale of 200–600. Percentile ranks (PR) range from 1 to 99 and indicate a candidate’s performance relative to the current MAT norm group in effect at test time. The current norm group is defined as all first-time examinees who took the test between January 1, 2008, and December 31, 2011.
MECT Massachusetts Educator Certification tests	Candidate Educator Certification		
MTEL Massachusetts Tests for Educator Licensure	Candidate Educator Certification	Requirements for the Academic PreK–12 licenses include passing both: - a test of communication and literacy skills - relevant subject matter test(s). http://www.mtel.nesinc.com/index.asp	There are dozens of subject matter tests to choose from. Each test has its own qualifying score, or passing score. To provide consistency in reporting scores across tests, the scores are converted to a common scale. The converted scores are called scaled scores. The scaled score is a conversion of the number of points achieved on the test to a score in a range of 100 to 300, with a scaled score of 240 representing the qualifying, or passing, score. http://www.mtel.nesinc.com/FAQs.asp
MTHR1 Math R1 (Tier 1) Exemption test	UMass Exemption Test	Passing the R1 exam will satisfy the R1 requirement for graduation but will not result in the awarding of any credits. There are, however, credit courses that will also satisfy the R1 requirement. http://www.math.umass.edu/undergraduate/r1-exemption	Passing score is at least 12 out of 20 correct. Topics include: perimeter, area, volume linear equations averages fractions ratios percent increase and decrease interpreting graphs and tables compound interest

<p>NLN-A Nursing Achievement test</p>	<p>UMass College Placement</p>	<p>When applying or transferring to the RN to BS track, course credit in Microbiology, Nutrition, and Anatomy and Physiology may be fulfilled through NLN Achievement Tests.</p> <p>http://www.umass.edu/nursing/programs/rn-bs-track</p>	<p>Test and scoring details:</p> <p>http://www.umass.edu/nursing/sites/nursing/files/NLN2015.pdf</p>
<p>SAT I SAT Basic tests</p>	<p>College Placement</p>	<p>The SAT is a globally recognized college admission test for knowledge of reading, writing and math.</p> <p>https://sat.collegeboard.org/about-tests/sat/faq</p>	<p>Each section of the SAT (critical reading, mathematics and writing) will be scored on a 200- to 800-point scale, for a possible total of 2400. There are two “subscores” on the writing section: a multiple-choice score from 20 to 80, and an essay score from 2 to 12.</p> <p>Skipped don’t count either for or against your score.</p>
<p>SAT II SAT Subject tests</p>	<p>College Placement</p>	<p>Many colleges use the SAT Subject Tests for admission, for course placement, and to advise students about course selection.</p> <p>https://sat.collegeboard.org/about-tests/sat-subject-tests/faq</p>	<p>Subject Tests are hour-long, content-based tests that indicate achievement in specific subject areas. You choose the tests that best showcase your achievements and interests. Each test is unique from the others. Here are particulars on each:</p> <p>https://sat.collegeboard.org/practice/sat-subject-test-preparation</p>
<p>TOEFL Test of English as a Foreign Language</p>	<p>College Placement, English Language Learning</p>	<p>The TOEFL is an English-language test recognized by more than 9,000 colleges, universities and agencies in more than 130 countries.</p>	<p>The tests are administered via Internet and evaluate how well you combine listening, reading, speaking and writing skills. Scoring information is at this link:</p> <p>http://www.ets.org/toefl/ibt/scores/understand/</p>
<p>UMDP Department specific test</p>	<p>UMass College Placement</p>	<p>https://www.umass.edu/newstudent/placement-and-exemption-exams</p>	