WHAT DO I NEED TO DO TO GET MY TEACHING CERTIFICATE?

TEACH Account

TEACH services is a service developed by New York State in order to maintain and record all of your information needed for teaching certification. It functions both as a repository for all information required for certification, and it's your portal of communication with NYSED.

TEACH Account

PERSONAL ACCOUNT:

To set up your personal TEACH account with NYSED, you must complete the self registration process. During this process you will choose a username and password and have your identity validated by the TEACH system. http://www.highered.nysed.gov/tcert/teach/

a. Confirm that you have not previously set up a TEACH account

b. NOTE: Use the same name (middle initial or no middle initial, etc.) that you use on all documents related to teacher certification: academic transcripts, workshops, fingerprinting, etc.

c. Follow the prompts all the way until you are asked to enter your social security number. (Be 100% sure you enter the correct social security number!)

TEACH Account

PERSONAL ACCOUNT:

d. You are finished setting up your TEACH account when you come to the home page with the following categories: PROFILE LINKS, INQUIRY LINKS, ONLINE APPLICATION, PAYMENT LINKS.

e. Under PROFILE LINKS, select "Update/Add Education, Employment, and Personal Information."

f. Click on "Edit Education" and add your program at Daemen College

g. Get Fingerprinted. Use certification code
http://www.nysed.gov/educator-integrity/fingerprinting

WORKSHOPS

Everyone that is looking to receive a teaching certification from New York State needs to take the following workshops…

- DASA
- Project Save
- Child Abuse Workshop

DASA- Dignity for All Students Act

WHY DO WE HAVE TO TAKE THE TRAINING? The DASA provides training for preservice teachers based on the act that ensures all students in NYS receive an education in an environment free from discrimination and harassment

HOW LONG IS IT? It is six hours long

HOW MUCH IS IT? Roughly $50 to take the course

WHEN CAN I TAKE IT? Whenever!!! I suggest before student teaching and your teaching exams to get it out of the way!

HOW CAN I REGISTER?
http://www.highered.nysed.gov/tcert/certificate/dasa-applicant.html

DASA- Dignity for All Students Act

Upcoming dates through Daemen (Mary Fox):

Saturday Sessions – 9:00am – 3:00pm

April 24, 2021 – ZOOM

May 15, 2021 – ZOOM

June 25, 2021 – ZOOM

July 10, 2021 – ZOOM

Weeknight Sessions – 4:30pm – 7:30pm

(Must attend both nights)

Monday/Wednesday, May 17/19, 2021 – ZOOM

Wednesday/Thursday, July 14/15, 2021 – ZOOM

Weekday Summer Sessions – 9:00am – 3:00pm

Wednesday, July 28, 2021 – ZOOM

Project SAVE- Schools Against Violence in Education

WHY DO WE HAVE TO TAKE THE TRAINING? Project SAVE provides insight to preservice teachers on promoting safe learning environments where students and teachers work collaboratively in pursuit of academic excellence and social and emotional growth.

HOW LONG IS IT? There is no time limit for this workshop you may start and come back to it as you wish. It just has to be completed!

HOW MUCH IS IT? $50 but you can save by purchasing the Child Abuse Workshop with it!

WHEN CAN I TAKE IT? Whenever! I suggest before student teaching and teaching exams to get it out of the way!

HOW CAN I REGISTER? https://www.childabuseworkshop.com/

Child Abuse Workshop

WHY DO WE HAVE TO TAKE THE TRAINING? The objective of this training initiative is to provide every New York State mandated reporter with the knowledge and skills to be able to:

- Effectively report child abuse or maltreatment/neglect to the NYS Child Abuse and Maltreatment Register.
- Evaluate situations to determine whether there is reasonable cause to suspect child abuse or maltreatment.
- Identify the physical and behavioral indicators commonly associated with child abuse.

HOW LONG IS IT? There is no time limit for this workshop you may start and come back to it as you wish. It just has to be completed!

HOW MUCH IS IT? $30 but you can save by purchasing the Project SAVE Workshop with it!

WHEN CAN I TAKE IT? Whenever! I suggest before student teaching and teaching exams to get it out of the way!

HOW CAN I REGISTER? https://www.childabuseworkshop.com/

CERTIFICATION EXAMS

- EVERYONE WILL HAVE TO TAKE THE **EDUCATING ALL STUDENTS (EAS)** EXAM!
- Then there will be content specialty tests for your specific major detailed later in the presentation
- EVERYONE WILL HAVE TO COMPLETE THE **EDTPA**
  - Which is not as scary as it sounds! Your teachers are preparing you for this every day and in every class!

Early Childhood/Special Education Birth-2

Educating All Students (EAS)

Content Speciality Test (CST)–Students with Disabilities

Content Specialty Test (CST) – Multi–Subject: Teachers of Early Childhood (Birth–Grade 2)

EdTPA

Childhood/Special Education 1-6

Educating All Students (EAS)

Content Speciality Test (CST)–Students with Disabilities

Content Specialty Test (CST) – Multi–Subject: Teachers of Childhood (Grades 1– 6)

EdTPA

Childhood Education 1-6

Educating All Students (EAS)

Content Specialty Test (CST) – Multi–Subject: Teachers of Childhood (Grades 1– 6)

EdTPA

Art Education

Educating All Students (EAS)

Content Specialty Test (CST) – Visual Arts

EdTPA

Adolescent Special Education (7-12)

Educating All Students (EAS)

Content Specialty Test (CST) – Students with Disabilities

Content Specialty Test (CST) – Multi–Subject: Secondary Teachers (Grade 7–Grade 12)

EdTPA

Adolescent Education in Social Studies (7-12)

Educating All Students (EAS)

Content Specialty Test (CST) – Social Studies

EdTPA

Adolescent Education in Math (7-12)

Educating All Students (EAS)

Content Specialty Test (CST) – Mathematics

EdTPA

Adolescent Education in English (7-12)

Educating All Students (EAS)

Content Specialty Test (CST) – English Language Arts

EdTPA

Adolescent Education in Biology (7-12)

Educating All Students (EAS)

Content Specialty Test (CST) – Biology

EdTPA

Educating All Students (EAS)

The Educating All Students (EAS) exam measures the professional and pedagogical knowledge skills necessary to teach all students––diverse student populations, English Language Learners, and students with disabilities—in New York State.

The exam consists of selected–response items and constructed–response items. Each constructed–response item will share scenario–based stimulus material with several selected response items.

Educating All Students (EAS)

When should I take it?

- **Sophomore/Junior year**

What is the format?

- Computer-based test (CBT)
- 40 selected-response items and 3 constructed-response items

How long is the test?

- 2 hours and 30 minutes

How much is it?
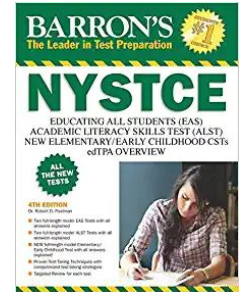
- $92 dollars

How do I register?

- https://www.nystce.nesinc.com/TestView.aspx?f=HTML_FRAG/NY201_TestPage.html

What do I need to pass?

- A score of 520

Study Materials

- Barron's Test Prep- $16.99 on Amazon

Content Speciality Test (CST)-Students with Disabilities

When should I take it?

- Senior year

What is the format?

- Computer-based test (CBT)
- 90 selected-response items and 1 constructed-response item

How long is the test?

- 3 hours and 30 minutes

How much is it?

- $134 dollars

How do I register?

- http://www.nystce.nesinc.com/TestView.aspx?f=HTML_FRAG/NY060_TestPage.html

What do I need to pass?

- A score of 520

Content Specialty Test (CST) – Multi-Subject: Teachers of Early Childhood (Birth-Grade 2)

When should I take it?

- **Senior year**

What is the format?

- Computer-based test (CBT)
- Part One: Literacy and English Language Arts (211): 40 selected-response items and 1 constructed-response item
- Part Two: Mathematics (212): 40 selected-response items and 1 constructed-response item
- Part Three: Arts and Sciences (245): 40 selected-response items

How long is the test?

- Parts One, Two, and Three taken together: 5 hours, 30 minutes

Content Specialty Test (CST) – Multi-Subject: Teachers of Early Childhood (Birth-Grade 2)

How much is it?

- Part One: $65

- Part Two: $65

- Part Three: $49

- Total if all three parts are taken together at one administration: $179

How do I register?

- http://www.nystce.nesinc.com/TestView.aspx?f=HTML_FRAG/NY211_TestPage.html

What do I need to pass?

- 520 for each part; you must take and pass all three parts to qualify for certification in this field

Content Specialty Test (CST) – Multi-Subject: Teachers of Childhood (1-6)

When should I take it?

- **Senior year**

What is the format?

- Computer-based test (CBT)

- Part One: Literacy and English Language Arts (221): 40 selected–response items and 1 constructed–response item

- Part Two: Mathematics (222): 40 selected–response items and 1 constructed–response item

- Part Three: Arts and Sciences (245): 40 selected–response items

How long is the test?

- Parts One, Two, and Three taken together: 5 hours, 30 minutes

Content Specialty Test (CST) – Multi-Subject: Teachers of Childhood (1-6)

How much is it?

- Part One: $65
- Part Two: $65
- Part Three: $49
- Total if all three parts are taken together at one administration: $179

How do I register?

- http://www.nystce.nesinc.com/TestView.aspx?f=HTML_FRAG/NY221_TestPage.html

What do I need to pass?

- 520 for each part; you must take and pass all three parts to qualify for certification in this field

Content Specialty Test (CST) – Visual Arts

When should I take it?

- **Senior year**

What is the format?

- Computer–based test (CBT)
- 90 selected–response items and 1 constructed–response item

How long is the test?

- 3 hours and 30 minutes

How much is it?

- $134 dollars

How do I register?

- http://www.nystce.nesinc.com/TestView.aspx?f=HTML_FRAG/NY167_TestPage.html

What do I need to pass?

- A score of 520

Content Specialty Test (CST) – Multi-Subject: Secondary Teachers (Grade 7-Grade 12)

When should I take it?

- **Senior year**

What is the format?

- Computer–based test (CBT)

- Part One: Literacy and English Language Arts (241): 40 selected–response items and 1 constructed–response item

- Part Two: Mathematics (244): 40 selected–response items and 1 constructed–response item

- Part Three: Arts and Sciences (245): 40 selected–response items

How long is the test?

- Parts One, Two, and Three taken together: 5 hours, 30 minutes

Content Specialty Test (CST) – Multi-Subject: Secondary Teachers (Grade 7-Grade 12)

How much is it?

- Part One: $65
- Part Two: $65
- Part Three: $49
- Total if all three parts are taken together at one administration: $179

How do I register?

- http://www.nystce.nesinc.com/TestView.aspx?f=HTML_FRAG/NY244_TestPage.html

What do I need to pass?

- 520 for each part; you must take and pass all three parts to qualify for certification in this field

Content Specialty Test (CST) – Social Studies

When should I take it?

- Senior year

What is the format?

- Computer–based test (CBT)
- 90 selected–response items and 1 constructed–response item

How long is the test?

- 3 hours and 30 minutes

How much is it?

- $134 dollars

How do I register?

- http://www.nystce.nesinc.com/TestView.aspx?f=HTML_FRAG/NY115_TestPage.html

What do I need to pass?

- A score of 520

Content Specialty Test (CST) – Mathematics

When should I take it?

- **Senior year**

What is the format?

- Computer–based test (CBT)
- 90 selected–response items and 1 constructed–response item

How long is the test?

- 3 hours and 30 minutes

How much is it?

- $134 dollars

How do I register?

- http://www.nystce.nesinc.com/TestView.aspx?f=HTML_FRAG/NY004_TestPage.html

What do I need to pass?

- A score of 520

Content Specialty Test (CST) - Biology

When should I take it?

- **Senior year**

What is the format?

- Computer–based test (CBT)
- 90 selected–response items and 1 constructed–response item

How long is the test?

- 3 hours and 30 minutes

How much is it?

- $134 dollars

How do I register?

- http://www.nystce.nesinc.com/TestView.aspx?f=HTML_FRAG/NY160_TestPage.html

What do I need to pass?

- A score of 520

Content Specialty Test (CST) – English Language Arts

When should I take it?

- **Senior year**

What is the format?

- Computer–based test (CBT)
- 90 selected–response items and 1 constructed–response item

How long is the test?

- 3 hours and 30 minutes

How much is it?

- $134 dollars

How do I register?

- http://www.nystce.nesinc.com/TestView.aspx?f=HTML_FRAG/NY003_TestPage.html

What do I need to pass?

- A score of 520

edTPA

edTPA is a performance-based, subject-specific assessment and support system used by various teacher preparation programs in the United States. It is used to emphasize, measure and support the skills and knowledge that all teachers need for entering a classroom from Day 1.

edTPA is completed your Senior year during student teaching. While student teaching you will be taking EDU-327- Teaching to the Standards. This class will help guide you throughout the edTPA process and student teaching.

For the edtpa your will be required to complete various tasks, (usually 3-4 tasks), centering around planning, teaching, assessing, and reteaching. Depending on your major these tasks will vary.

The edTPA has a fee of $300 dollars. You will submit your payment at the time of edTPA registration.