

Master of Arts in Teaching

Testing Information

George Fox University

Please note: When registering for tests, select *George Fox University* as a recipient for the test scores. When you receive the email from the testing company with your passing score sheet attached, please forward the scores sheets (email) to the Program Coordinator in the MAT Office.

Authorization Level	Required Exams	When Required
Multiple Subject (Elementary) PreK- 12	**NES Elementary Education – both subtests are required www.orela.nesinc.com <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Subtest I: Reading, English Language Arts, Social Studies Subtest II: Mathematics, Science, The Arts, Health and Fitness 	Must pass prior to entering the first placement
	ORELA Protecting Student and Civil Rights in the Educational Environment www.orela.nesinc.com Must pass prior to student teaching.	Must pass prior to entering the first placement
	***edTPA Portfolio submitted to Pearson (This involves a \$300 fee payable to Pearson at time of submission, with possibly extra fees if the cut score is not reached.)	Must be submitted in early Spring semester, and passed prior to graduation & Licensure.
Content Area (Single Subject) PreK- 12 (i.e. Middle Level or High School: Language Arts, Math, Sciences, Social Sciences, etc.)	Subject Matter Examination – www.orela.nesinc.com or www.est.org/praxis *NOTE: If you do <u>not</u> pass the (High School) subject matter/content exam, you MAY take a middle level exam (MG LA, MG SS, MG Science) and qualify for a PreK-12 <i>Foundational</i> endorsement that will allow you to teach at the middle level. This limits employment and we strongly advise that you take the High School (content area) exams.	Must pass prior to entering the first placement
	ORELA Protecting Student and Civil Rights in the Educational Environment www.orela.nesinc.com	Must pass prior to entering the first placement
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PLUS ENDORSEMENT	ESOL: English to Speakers of Other Languages www.orela.nesinc.com	Before licensing
	Reading: Reading # 5301 www.ets.org/praxis	Before licensing
	SPED: Special Education www.orela.nesinc.com	Last summer before practicums

** The following exams are no longer accepted by TSPC, as of 2009, the Praxis MSAT, and as of 2012, the ORELA (Pearson) Multiple Subjects. As of Sept 1, 2012, **Teacher candidates must take and pass the ORELA/NES (Pearson) Elementary Education Subtest I & II exam.**

*** The State of Oregon (TSPC) will set the cut score for edTPA on January 1st, 2018. edTPA will become **consequential September 1st, 2018**. Additional submissions may be required ranging in price starting at \$100 – to a full second submission fee of \$300 until the (TSPC) cut score is met for licensure.