Washington Educator Skills Tests
2009–2010 REGISTRATION INFORMATION

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- Find the information you need to register
- Register online quickly and easily
- Check your registration status or change your registration
- Find materials to help you prepare for the test
- Get your test scores online as soon as they are released

What is the WEST program?
The purpose of the Washington Educator Skills Tests (WEST) is to assess the basic skills and content knowledge of prospective Washington educators. There are two types of WEST tests: the Washington Educator Skills Test—Basic® (WEST-B®), which measures basic skills in reading, mathematics, and writing, and the Washington Educator Skills Tests—Endorsements™ (WEST-E™), which measure the content knowledge required for endorsement for Washington teaching certificates.

What’s new in 2009-2010?
In addition to the 24 WEST-E tests that are currently offered, the 10 additional tests listed below will be offered beginning in fall 2009. Score reports for these tests for the September 12, 2009, and November 14, 2009, test administrations will not be released before December 7, 2009, due to standard-setting activities and the determination of passing scores by the PESB.

Agriculture Education
Business and Marketing Education
Designated World Languages: Latin
Early Childhood Education
Early Childhood Special Education

Family and Consumer Sciences Education
Library Media
Special Education
Technology Education
Traffic Safety

The Designated World Languages test will be available beginning in January 2010. Score reports for the January 9, 2010, and February 7, 2010, test administrations will not be released before May 3, 2010, due to standard-setting activities and the determination of passing scores by the PESB.

Where do I find more information? How do I register?
The 2009-2010 WEST Registration Bulletin (for both the WEST-B and the WEST-E) will be available in July 2009 on the WEST Web site. Registration for the 2009–2010 administration year will be available in July 2009.

How do I prepare for the tests?
The WEST-B study guide and preparation materials for most WEST-E tests are available on the WEST Web site. Preparation materials for the tests listed above will be available in July 2009.

REGISTRATION SCHEDULE FOR 2009–2010

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*Score reports for the new WEST-E tests will be delayed due to standard-setting activities and the determination of passing scores by the PESB. See "What’s new in 2009-2010?" above for more details.

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