

On the following pages are table that show pass rates by institution for program completion tests in pedagogical knowledge and selected content areas.

Statute requires either a test of pedagogy and a test of content knowledge, or a performance assessment that does both.

Most programs use the ETS Praxis Pedagogy test coupled with the ETS Praxis Content test. The ETS Praxis pedagogy tests are in the first two tables. Tables three through nine show the content tests for elementary education and major secondary areas.

ISU uses a pedagogy performance test called PPAT in lieu of the ETS praxis pedagogy test. Their pass rate is included in the PPAT table #10.

edTPA is a performance test that can be used stand alone in lieu of both ETS Praxis tests. The University of Iowa is the only school that uses edTPA exclusively. Their edTPA data and data for other institutions using edTPA is included in table 11.

The data in the tables is from the period September 1, 2018 through August 31, 2019.

Note that pass rates are not provided by test providers if a test has five or fewer test takers.

Table 1. Elementary Level Pedagogy Test – ETS Praxis

Institution	# Taking	# Passing	% Passing
State Average	965	887	91.92
Briar Cliff University	16	15	93.75
Buena Vista University	68	62	91.18
Central College	23	23	100.00
Clarke University	12	12	100.00
Coe College	24	22	91.67
Cornell College	4	*	*
Dordt University	37	37	100.00
Drake University	14	14	100.00
Emmaus Bible College	6	6	100.00
Faith Baptist Bible College	4	*	*
Graceland University	58	47	81.03
Grand View University	26	25	96.15
Grinnell College	0	*	*
Iowa State University	2	*	*
Iowa Wesleyan College	9	8	88.89
Loras College	32	30	93.75
Luther College	19	18	94.74
Morningside College	35	35	100.00
Mount Mercy College	15	15	100.00
Northwestern College IA	32	30	93.75
Simpson College - IA	37	31	83.78
St. Ambrose University	18	18	100.00
University of Dubuque	12	10	83.33
University of Iowa Education	1	*	*
University of Northern Iowa	336	312	92.86
Upper Iowa University	52	47	90.38
Waldorf College	4	*	*
Wartburg College	23	21	91.30
William Penn University	35	27	77.14

Table 2. Secondary Level Pedagogy Test – ETS Praxis

Institution	# Taking	# Passing	% Passing
State Average	535	497	92.90
Briar Cliff University	6	5	83.33
Buena Vista University	31	28	90.32
Central College	10	10	100.00
Clarke University	3	*	*
Coe College	13	13	100.00
Cornell College	16	15	93.75
Dordt University	14	14	100.00
Drake University	23	23	100.00
Emmaus Bible College	5	5	100.00
Faith Baptist Bible College	0	*	*
Graceland University	6	4	66.67
Grand View University	12	10	83.33
Grinnell College	4	*	*
Iowa State University	2	*	*
Iowa Wesleyan College	1	*	*
Loras College	11	10	90.91
Luther College	28	28	100.00
Morningside College	40	38	95.00
Mount Mercy College	9	8	88.89
Northwestern College IA	11	11	100.00
Regents Alternate Pathway to Iowa Licensure(RAPIL)	3	*	*
Simpson College - IA	24	21	87.50
St. Ambrose University	17	14	82.35
University of Dubuque	6	5	83.33
University of Iowa Education	2	*	*
University of Northern Iowa	182	173	95.05
Upper Iowa University	12	12	100.00
Waldorf College	5	4	80.00
Wartburg College	28	26	92.86
William Penn University	7	5	71.43

Table 3. Elementary Education Content Knowledge Test – ETS Praxis

Institution	# Taking	# Passing	% Passing
State Average	1154	1056	91.51
Briar Cliff University	14	11	78.57
Buena Vista University	68	63	92.65
Central College	22	22	100.00
Clarke University	11	9	81.82
Coe College	19	18	94.74
Cornell College	6	6	100.00
Dordt University	33	33	100.00
Drake University	15	15	100.00
Emmaus Bible College	7	6	85.71
Faith Baptist Bible College	4	*	*
Graceland University	58	45	77.59
Grand View University	23	21	91.30
Iowa State University	226	218	96.46
Iowa Wesleyan College	6	4	66.67
Loras College	31	31	100.00
Luther College	22	22	100.00
Morningside College	31	28	90.32
Mount Mercy College	15	15	100.00
Northwestern College IA	35	31	88.57
Simpson College - IA	24	21	87.50
St. Ambrose University	19	19	100.00
University of Dubuque	14	13	92.86
University of Iowa Education	8	8	100.00
University of Northern Iowa	311	288	92.60
Upper Iowa University	50	48	96.00
Waldorf College	4	*	*
Wartburg College	21	18	85.71
William Penn University	47	33	70.21

Table 4. Mathematics Content Test for secondary Math teachers – ETS Praxis

Institution	# Taking	# Passing	% Passing
State Average	99	90	90.91
Briar Cliff University	1	*	*
Buena Vista University	1	*	*
Central College	1	*	*
Clarke University	3	*	*
Coe College	1	*	*
Cornell College	4	*	*
Dordt University	1	*	*
Drake University	3	*	*
Emmaus Bible College	1	*	*
Graceland University	1	*	*
Grand View University	2	*	*
Grinnell College	1	*	*
Iowa State University	19	18	94.74
Iowa Wesleyan College	0	*	*
Loras College	3	*	*
Luther College	4	*	*
Morningside College	6	5	83.33
Mount Mercy College	0	*	*
Northwestern College IA	0	*	*
Regents Alternate Pathway to Iowa Licensure(RAPIL)	1	*	*
Simpson College - IA	2	*	*
St. Ambrose University	3	*	*
University of Dubuque	0	*	*
University of Iowa Education	4	*	*
University of Northern Iowa	19	18	94.74
Upper Iowa University	2	*	*
Waldorf College	2	*	*
Wartburg College	1	*	*
William Penn University	7	7	100.00

Table 5. Biology Content Test for secondary Biology teachers – ETS Praxis

Institution	# Taking	# Passing	% Passing
State Average	42	40	95.24
Briar Cliff University	0	*	*
Buena Vista University	4	*	*
Central College	0	*	*
Clarke University	1	*	*
Coe College	1	*	*
Cornell College	0	*	*
Dordt University	0	*	*
Drake University	1	*	*
Graceland University	0	*	*
Grand View University	0	*	*
Grinnell College	1	*	*
Iowa State University	6	6	100.00
Iowa Wesleyan College	0	*	*
Loras College	2	*	*
Luther College	0	*	*
Morningside College	5	4	80.00
Mount Mercy College	1	*	*
Northwestern College IA	1	*	*
Regents Alternate Pathway to Iowa Licensure(RAPIL)	4	*	*
Simpson College - IA	3	*	*
St. Ambrose University	2	*	*
University of Dubuque	1	*	*
University of Iowa Education	1	*	*
University of Northern Iowa	6	6	100.00
Upper Iowa University	0	*	*
Waldorf College	0	*	*
Wartburg College	2	*	*
William Penn University	0	*	*

Table 6. History Content Test for secondary History teachers – ETS Praxis

Institution	# Taking	# Passing	% Passing
State Average	78	68	87.18
Briar Cliff University	1	*	*
Buena Vista University	10	8	80.00
Central College	2	*	*
Clarke University	1	*	*
Coe College	2	*	*
Cornell College	4	*	*
Dordt University	2	*	*
Drake University	0	*	*
Emmaus Bible College	1	*	*
Graceland University	3	*	*
Grand View University	0	*	*
Grinnell College	1	*	*
Iowa State University	17	15	88.24
Iowa Wesleyan College	0	*	*
Loras College	2	*	*
Luther College	1	*	*
Morningside College	5	5	100.00
Mount Mercy College	0	*	*
Northwestern College IA	0	*	*
Regents Alternate Pathway to Iowa Licensure(RAPIL)	0	*	*
Simpson College - IA	3	*	*
St. Ambrose University	3	*	*
University of Iowa Education	0	*	*
University of Northern Iowa	13	11	84.62
Upper Iowa University	0	*	*
Waldorf College	0	*	*
Wartburg College	2	*	*
William Penn University	2	*	*

Table 7. English Language Arts Content Test for secondary ELA teachers – ETS Praxis

Institution	# Taking	# Passing	% Passing
State Average	113	107	94.69
Briar Cliff University	1	*	*
Buena Vista University	8	7	87.50
Central College	2	*	*
Clarke University	0	*	*
Coe College	1	*	*
Cornell College	1	*	*
Dordt University	1	*	*
Drake University	3	*	*
Emmaus Bible College	1	*	*
Faith Baptist Bible College	0	*	*
Graceland University	2	*	*
Grand View University	4	*	*
Grinnell College	3	*	*
Iowa State University	23	22	95.65
Iowa Wesleyan College	0	*	*
Loras College	3	*	*
Luther College	2	*	*
Morningside College	3	*	*
Mount Mercy College	0	*	*
Northwestern College IA	1	*	*
Regents Alternate Pathway to Iowa Licensure(RAPIL)	3	*	*
Simpson College - IA	1	*	*
St. Ambrose University	5	5	100.00
University of Dubuque	1	*	*
University of Iowa Education	2	*	*
University of Northern Iowa	30	29	96.67
Upper Iowa University	3	*	*
Waldorf College	3	*	*
Wartburg College	2	*	*
William Penn University	0	*	*

Table 8. Music Content Test – ETS Praxis

Institution	# Taking	# Passing	% Passing
State Average	120	115	95.83
Briar Cliff University	2	*	*
Buena Vista University	0	*	*
Central College	2	*	*
Clarke University	1	*	*
Coe College	5	5	100.00
Cornell College	0	*	*
Dordt University	2	*	*
Drake University	8	8	100.00
Emmaus Bible College	0	*	*
Faith Baptist Bible College	0	*	*
Graceland University	2	*	*
Grand View University	1	*	*
Iowa State University	12	12	100.00
Iowa Wesleyan College	2	*	*
Loras College	2	*	*
Luther College	25	24	96.00
Morningside College	6	6	100.00
Northwestern College IA	0	*	*
Regents Alternate Pathway to Iowa Licensure(RAPIL)	1	*	*
Simpson College - IA	10	10	100.00
St. Ambrose University	1	*	*
University of Iowa Education	1	*	*
University of Northern Iowa	19	19	100.00
Waldorf College	0	*	*
Wartburg College	17	15	88.24
William Penn University	1	*	*

Table 9. Physical Education Content Test – ETS Praxis

Institution	# Taking	# Passing	% Passing
State Average	117	109	93.16
Briar Cliff University	0	*	*
Buena Vista University	5	5	100.00
Central College	2	*	*
Clarke University	0	*	*
Coe College	5	5	100.00
Cornell College	4	*	*
Dordt University	7	7	100.00
Drake University	0	*	*
Graceland University	6	3	50.00
Grand View University	3	*	*
Iowa State University	18	18	100.00
Iowa Wesleyan College	2	*	*
Loras College	0	*	*
Luther College	3	*	*
Morningside College	3	*	*
Northwestern College IA	2	*	*
Regents Alternate Pathway to Iowa Licensure(RAPIL)	1	*	*
Simpson College - IA	13	13	100.00
St. Ambrose University	2	*	*
University of Dubuque	7	7	100.00
University of Iowa Education	1	*	*
University of Northern Iowa	22	19	86.36
Upper Iowa University	3	*	*
Waldorf College	2	*	*
Wartburg College	3	*	*
William Penn University	1	*	*

Table 10. PPAT Pedagogy Performance Assessment

Institution	# Taking	# Passing	% Passing
State Average	397	389	97.98
Iowa State University	366	358	97.81
Regents Alternate Pathway to Iowa Licensure(RAPIL)	31	31	100.00

Table 11. edTPA data (performance assessment that replaces ETS Praxis pedagogy and content)

Institution	# Taking	# Passing	% Passing
Clarke University	7	*	
Drake University	29	27	93
Luther College	13	13	100
University of Iowa	198	195	98
Wartburg College	2	*	