## **Testing Requirements for PA Certification**

|   | Pre K-4  | 4-8                              | 7-12                         |
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| Basic Test (Required for Formal Admission to the Program and Certification) | <b>PAPA*</b> Modules 1, 2, 3   | PAPA* Modules 1, 2, 3            | <b>PAPA*</b> Modules 1, 2, 3 |
| Content Test (Required for Certification)                                   | PECT Pre K-4 (Pennsylvania Educator Certification Tests) Modules 1, 2, 3 | ETS Middle Level (PA Grades 4-8) | ETS PRAXIS II                |

\* A qualifying SAT or ACT Plus Writing score meets the basic skills requirement for program admission.

A score of **1550** on the **SAT** with no individual section (Critical Reading, Writing, Mathematics) score of less than 500

OR a composite score of **23** on the **ACT Plus Writing** accompanied by a combined English/Writing score of 22 and a Mathematics score of 21 exempts a student from taking the PAPA.

To register for **PAPA** and **PECT Pre K-4** tests: <a href="http://www.pa.nesinc.com/Home.aspx">http://www.pa.nesinc.com/Home.aspx</a>

To register for **ETS Middle Level (Grades 4-8)**: <a href="http://www.ets.org/praxis/pa/requirements">http://www.ets.org/praxis/pa/requirements</a>

To register for ETS PRAXIS II: <a href="http://www.ets.org/praxis">http://www.ets.org/praxis</a>