

**Washington Educator Skills Test-Basic – WEST-B and
National Evaluation Series - NES Schedules
Secondary Education in the Sciences or Mathematics Program**
Test Info: www.west.nesinc.com

<p>WEST-B subtests (or state approved alternatives) are required of all applicants to the Teacher Certification Program. Applicants must take the test <u>no later</u> than May 1st of the application year to be considered for admission. Washington State no longer requires a specific score on the WEST-B, SAT or ACT for admission or to become a certified teacher.</p>	<p>Offered six days per week (excluding some holidays)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Jan-Dec</p>
<p>WEST-B Reading (095) – 2 hour test</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Computer Based Test</p>
<p>WEST-B Writing (096) – 3 hour test</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Computer Based Test</p>
<p>WEST-B Mathematics (097) – 2 hour test</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Computer Based Test</p>
<p>NOTE: If all three sections of the WEST-B are taken in one test period, you will have 5 hours.</p>	
<p>One of the following: <i>NES Biology, Chemistry, Earth and Space Science, Physics, or Mathematics</i> tests is required prior to admission and must be taken (and passed) <u>no later</u> than May 1st of the year you apply. However, we highly recommend taking the test earlier than May 1st if possible:</p>	<p>Offered six days per week (excluding some holidays)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Jan-Dec</p>
<p>NES Biology (305)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Computer Based Test</p>
<p>NES Chemistry (306)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Computer Based Test</p>
<p>NES Earth and Space Science (307)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Computer Based Test</p>
<p>NES Physics (308)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Computer Based Test</p>
<p>NES Mathematics (304)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Computer Based Test</p>