



Massachusetts Tests for Educator Licensure®

2025–2026 TEST AND SCORE DATES

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- Online registration and registration status
- Test scores as soon as they are released

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The MTEL tests are computer-based. Most tests are administered year-round by appointment, Monday–Saturday, excluding some holidays. Some tests are administered in scheduled windows (see on the back). Online proctoring is available for select tests. See the program website for score reporting dates for online proctored tests.

Bilingual Education, Communication and Literacy Skills, Early Childhood, Foundations of Reading, General Curriculum, and Vocational Technical Literacy Skills Test: Reading			
Test Dates		Score Report Date	
7/21/2025–8/3/2025		8/22/2025	
8/4/2025–8/17/2025		9/5/2025	
8/18/2025–8/31/2025		9/19/2025	
9/1/2025–9/14/2025		10/3/2025	
9/15/2025–9/28/2025		10/17/2025	
9/29/2025–10/12/2025		10/31/2025	
10/13/2025–10/26/2025		11/14/2025	
10/27/2025–11/9/2025		12/1/2025	
11/10/2025–11/23/2025		12/12/2025	
11/24/2025–12/7/2025		12/29/2025	
12/8/2025–12/21/2025		1/9/2026	
12/22/2025–1/4/2026		1/23/2026	
1/5/2026–1/18/2026		2/6/2026	
1/19/2026–2/1/2026		2/20/2026	
2/2/2026–2/15/2026		3/6/2026	
2/16/2026–3/1/2026		3/20/2026	
Test Dates		Score Report Date	
3/2/2026–3/15/2026		4/3/2026	
3/16/2026–3/29/2026		4/17/2026	
3/30/2026–4/12/2026		5/1/2026	
4/13/2026–4/26/2026		5/15/2026	
4/27/2026–5/10/2026		5/29/2026	
5/11/2026–5/24/2026		6/12/2026	
5/25/2026–6/7/2026		6/26/2026	
6/8/2026–6/21/2026		7/10/2026	
6/22/2026–7/5/2026		7/24/2026	
7/6/2026–7/19/2026		8/7/2026	
7/20/2026–8/2/2026		8/21/2026	
8/3/2026–8/16/2026		9/4/2026	
8/17/2026–8/30/2026		9/18/2026	
8/31/2026–9/13/2026		10/2/2026	
9/14/2026–9/27/2026		10/16/2026	
9/28/2026–10/11/2026		10/30/2026	

Biology, English, English as a Second Language, General Science, History/Social Science, Mathematics, Mathematics (Elementary), Mathematics (Middle School), Physical Education, Reading Specialist, Sheltered English Immersion			
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7/21/2025–8/17/2025		9/5/2025	
8/18/2025–9/14/2025		10/3/2025	
9/15/2025–10/12/2025		10/31/2025	
10/13/2025–11/9/2025		12/1/2025	
11/10/2025–11/23/2025		12/12/2025	
11/24/2025–12/21/2025		1/9/2026	
12/22/2025–1/18/2026		2/6/2026	
1/19/2026–2/15/2026		3/6/2026	
Test Dates		Score Report Date	
2/16/2026–3/15/2026		4/3/2026	
3/16/2026–4/12/2026		5/1/2026	
4/13/2026–5/10/2026		5/29/2026	
5/11/2026–6/7/2026		6/26/2026	
6/8/2026–7/5/2026		7/24/2026	
7/6/2026–8/2/2026		8/21/2026	
8/3/2026–8/30/2026		9/18/2026	
8/31/2026–9/27/2026		10/16/2026	

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**Business, Chemistry, Digital Literacy and Computer Science, Earth and Space Science,
Health/Family and Consumer Sciences, Mathematics/Science (Middle School), Middle School Humanities, Music,
Physics, Technology/Engineering, Theater, Visual Art, and Vocational Technical Literacy Skills Test: Writing**

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7/21/2025–9/14/2025	10/3/2025	1/19/2026–3/15/2026	4/3/2026
9/15/2025–11/9/2025	12/1/2025	3/16/2026–5/10/2026	5/29/2026
11/10/2025–11/23/2025	12/12/2025	5/11/2026–7/5/2026	7/24/2026
11/24/2025–1/18/2026	2/6/2026	7/6/2026–8/30/2026	9/18/2026

Chinese (Mandarin), French, German, Italian, Portuguese, Russian, Spanish

Fields	Testing Window	Score Report Date
026 French, 028 Spanish ONLY	9/15/2025–9/28/2025	10/31/2025
ALL LANGUAGES FIELDS	10/13/2025–10/26/2025	12/1/2025
ALL LANGUAGES FIELDS	2/16/2026–3/1/2026	4/3/2026
029 Chinese (Mandarin), 026 French, 028 Spanish ONLY	4/13/2026–4/26/2026	5/29/2026
026 French, 028 Spanish ONLY	6/8/2026–6/21/2026	7/24/2026

Adult Basic Education, Dance, and Latin and Classical Humanities

Testing Window	Score Report Date	Testing Window	Score Report Date
9/15/2025–10/12/2025	10/31/2025	2/16/2026–3/15/2026	4/3/2026
11/10/2025–11/23/2025	12/12/2025	4/13/2026–5/10/2026	5/29/2026

Academically Advanced and Speech

Testing Window	Score Report Date	Testing Window	Score Report Date
9/15/2025–10/12/2025	10/31/2025	2/16/2026–3/15/2026	4/3/2026



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For Additional Information

If you have questions about educator licensure requirements, including which test(s) to take, or how to apply for a license online, contact:

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Office of Educator Licensure
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 Website: www.doe.mass.edu/licensure

If you have questions about registration and taking your test, scoring and reporting, or requesting alternative testing arrangements, visit www.mtel.nesinc.com or contact:

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