

# THINKING ABOUT JOINING THE TEACHER EDUCATION PROGRAM?

## SCHEDULE AN ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS APPOINTMENT

- Undergraduate students, contact Ms. Jessica Drukker (E-232), Program Assistant, at [jdrukker@ramapo.edu](mailto:jdrukker@ramapo.edu) or call 201.684.7050
- Post-Baccalaureate students, contact Ms. Joanne Caselli (E-234), Certification Officer, at [icaselli@ramapo.edu](mailto:icaselli@ramapo.edu) or at 201.684.7626

## PASS A BASIC SKILLS EXAM NO LATER THAN PREREGISTRATION:

- Praxis Core** (Combined Test Code 5751)\*. Go to [www.ets.org/praxis](http://www.ets.org/praxis) to register.
  - Reading (Test Code 5712). Minimum score of **156** required.
  - Writing (Test Code 5722). Minimum score of **162** required.
  - Mathematics (Test Code 5732). Minimum score of **150** required

**OR**

- SAT (4/1/1995 – 2/28/2016)**
  - Reading: Minimum score of **560**
  - Mathematics: Minimum score of **540**

### **SAT (After 3/1/2016)**

- Mathematics: Minimum score of **570**
- Evidence-Based Reading & Writing: Minimum score of **610** **or** Reading: Minimum score of **30**

**OR**

- ACT**
  - English: Minimum score of **23**
  - Mathematics: Minimum score of **23**

## HAVE A BACKGROUND CHECK CONDUCTED/RESULTS AVAILABLE NO LATER THAN PREREGISTRATION:

- Visit <https://www.castlebranch.com/>, enter Package Code RT46, establish an account, and pay the \$42.10 fee

**OR**

- Provide a valid Substitute Teacher License (**which requires fingerprinting**) if you have 60+ earned credits

## ESTABLISH THE MINIMUM STATE-MANDATED GPA NO LATER THAN PREREGISTRATION:

- Currently\* the required GPA for program entry and recommendation for certification upon program completion is 3.0 in the degree most recently completed.

## SUBMIT AN ONLINE APPLICATION NO LATER THAN PREREGISTRATION:

- Visit <https://ted.ramapo.edu/>
  - Log in using your Ramapo Username and Password.
  - Upload the required documents (preferably as scanned PDFs) under the Student Docs tab:
    - Proof of Mantoux test (visit Health Services for a copy; be sure to take your photo ID!)
    - Proof of passing scores on either Praxis Core, SAT or ACT (see above)
    - Transcripts from any institutions previously attended (if applicable)
    - Submit your application

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\*Minimum GPA requirements are set by the State of New Jersey and are strictly adhered to by the TE Program at Ramapo College of New Jersey. For transfer students seeking admission, please contact Dr. Lynn about how your transfer GPA may be considered for program course registration. Other requirements must be met as well, but the above are the most critical and time-sensitive.