

TESTING SERVICES

A Department Within:
The Counseling, Testing and Career Center

The University of Akron maintains an extensive Testing Service. The Services are staffed by two testing specialists and one psychologist. Tests and test results are kept secure and confidential.

Tests are done by appointment during regular business hours (8-5, M-F). Note that we are open Tuesday evenings until 8:00PM.



www.uakron.edu/counseling/testing

See our website for detailed information regarding testing services and the services outlined in this brochure.

Hours of Operation: Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday: 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Tuesday: 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

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Testing offices:
The University of Akron Student Affairs Building
Hezzleton E. Simmons Hall Room 304
277 E. Buchtel Avenue
Akron, OH 44325- 4303
(330) 972-7084 / (330) 972-5679 FAX

TESTING SERVICES AVAILABLE:

Career Testing

The University's Testing Services maintains an assortment of tests for helping students make career decisions.

Learning Disorder Assessments

Available for a number of learning problems students experience. A learning disorder is a specific weakness in academic ability that precludes the student from access to an education at the University of Akron. Whether the problem is a learning disorder, anxiety, or academic skills, every effort is made to help students succeed at the University. We can help with counseling, academic skills training, and referral to The University of Akron's Office of Accessibility.

Psychological Testing

Available by referral from one of our psychologists or psychologist trainees. The list of such tests is quite extensive.

The above types of testing require you to first see one of the counselors in the Counseling, Testing and Career Center. Fees for the tests vary.

Course Placement Testing

Language Placement Testing is available for French, German, Spanish, Italian, and Latin at no charge. Appointments are required.

Math, Writing and Reading Placement Tests are now done via computerized Compass testing and takes place at Computer Based Assessment and Evaluation. Call CBAE at 330-972-6511. CBAE is located at Carroll Hall 325.

On-Campus Testing

For University Students who cannot take exams during a regularly scheduled course/exam time. Proctors are available on site during office hours to ensure secure testing procedures.

Faculty members wishing to use our services, please fill out our Campus Proctor Sheets available to download from our website.

Correspondence Testing is available for persons who wish to take tests at our testing service proctored by our staff. Typically the test results are sent to another university. Call the number above to make arrangements for this service. We charge \$16 per hour.

CLEP

The College Level Examination Program is a means to obtain college credit for coursework by examination. Simply call us to make an appointment. Results from the computer testing are printed immediately after the test. The cost is currently \$55.00 per CLEP test, plus a \$15 service fee for the University of Akron. The \$55 fee is payable only by credit card or check. The service fee is payable by cash, check, or credit card.

It is the responsibility of the student to be sure that the CLEP test he or she takes is the correct one for the purposes that the student has in mind. This includes tests taken for use at the University of Akron, and for use at other universities. Contact the school that you will be sending the CLEP results to, to be sure that you know credit is offered via CLEP testing and the passing score you need. We do not offer refunds if you take a CLEP test that is not acceptable at this or another institution.

DANTES (DSST)

Available for college credit at other institutions. This program provides the opportunity for people to earn college credit for what they have learned outside of the traditional classroom. Accepted or administered at over 1,900 colleges and universities nationwide and approved by ACE (American Council on Education), the DSST program enables people to use their knowledge acquired outside the classroom to accomplish their educational and professional goals.

The Millers Analogy Test (MAT)

The MAT is administered on computer, every day that we are open, by appointment. Your test results are printed immediately after you complete the test. Fee for the test is \$60. You must bring a photo ID in order to be admitted to the test.

National Testing Programs

ACT, Residual ACT, SAT, LSAT, PRAXIS, NTE, Subject GRE & OKAP

Given on various scheduled Saturday mornings throughout the year.