

Reading Assessment Mean Scores and Pass Rates by Year and Program for 2024-2025

| Program | 2024-2025 | | | | |
|---|---------------|-------|----------|---|-----------|
| | Passing Score | Mean | St. Dev. | n | Pass Rate |
| Early Primary Education | - | - | - | - | - |
| K-12 Special Education | 157/159 | 172 | 10.66 | 6 | 100% |
| Interdisciplinary Studies/ Elementary Education PK-6 | 157/159 | 162.4 | 3.93 | 9 | 100% |
| Reading Specialist (Reading for Virginia - Reading Specialists) | 162/162 | 165 | 0 | 1 | 100% |

Reading Assessment Mean Scores and Pass Rates by Year and Program for 2020-21 to 2023-24

| Program | 2020-21 | | | | 2021-22 | | | 2022-23* | | | | 2023-24 | | |
|---|---------------|------|---------|----|---------|----------|---|----------|----------|----|-------|----------|----|-----------|
| | Passing Score | Mean | St. Dev | n | Mean | St. Dev. | n | Mean | St. Dev. | n | Mean | St. Dev. | n | Pass Rate |
| Early Primary Education | 157/159* | 174 | 0 | 1 | - | - | 0 | 171.00 | 0.00 | 1 | 163 | 0.00 | 1 | 100% |
| K-12 Special Education | 157/159 | 174 | 10.57 | 7 | 166.50 | 10.78 | 6 | 167.57 | 16.72 | 7 | 166 | 7.79 | 4 | 100% |
| Interdisciplinary Studies/ Elementary Education PK-6 | 157/159 | 171 | 9.74 | 19 | 167.44 | 11.26 | 9 | 173.15 | 12.51 | 13 | 167.7 | 5.52 | 10 | 100% |
| Reading Specialist (Reading for Virginia - Reading Specialists) | 162/162 | 180 | 4.04 | 3 | 180.33 | 18.23 | 3 | 167.00 | 0.00 | 1 | 166 | 0.00 | 1 | 100% |

Note: The assessment is a requirement for VDOE licensure. Up to August 31, 2022, the Virginia Department of Education stipulated the Praxis Reading for Virginia Educators: Elementary and Special Education for initial licensure programs and the Praxis Reading for Virginia Educators: Reading Specialist for the Reading Specialist program. The pass mark for the former was 157 and for the latter was 162. As of September 1, 2022, the Virginia Department of Education required new assessments: Praxis® Teaching Reading: Elementary for initial licensure programs for which the passing score is 159; and Praxis® Reading Specialist for which the passing score is 162.