

The **FTCE Professional Education Test (PEd)** is a certification exam required for teachers in Florida. It assesses professional knowledge and pedagogical skills necessary for success in a Florida classroom. Here's a breakdown of what you need to know:

Exam Format

- **Type:** Computer-based test (CBT)
- **Number of Questions:** ~80 multiple-choice
- **Time Limit:** 2.5 hours
- **Question Types:** Scenario-based and knowledge-based

Content Breakdown

The exam covers eight key competencies:

1. **Instructional Design and Planning (18%)** – Standards-based instruction and lesson planning.
2. **Student-Centered Learning Environment (15%)** – Classroom management and inclusive learning spaces.
3. **Instructional Delivery and Facilitation (18%)** – Differentiated instruction, strategies for diverse learners, and technology integration.
4. **Assessment Strategies (12%)** – Types of assessments, data analysis, and student progress monitoring.
5. **Educator Professional Development (12%)** – Setting measurable goals and improving teacher performance.
6. **Principles of Professional Conduct (9%)** – Legal responsibilities, ethical use of technology, and student information management.
7. **Teaching English Language Learners (7%)** – Understanding second-language literacy acquisition and the Consent Decree.
8. **Effective Literacy Strategies (7%)** – Developing reading comprehension, vocabulary, and critical thinking skills.

Scoring & Passing Requirements

- **Passing Score:** 200 out of 300
- Scores are converted from raw scores (total correct answers) into a scaled score.

Study Resources

You can find study guides and practice tests at:

- The Learning Liaisons – Offers exam blueprints, tips, and resources.
- FTCE Test Prep – Includes practice questions, videos, and flashcards.
- Florida Department of Education – Official FTCE information and test guides.