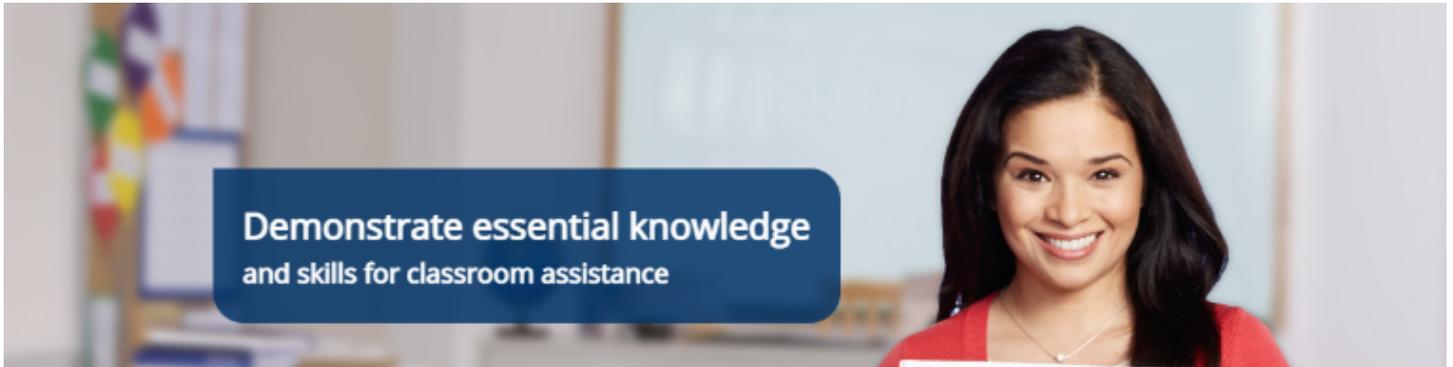


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ETS ParaPro Assessment Information

What is the ParaPro Assessment?

The ParaPro Assessment is for prospective and practicing paraprofessionals. It measures skills and knowledge in reading, math and writing and the ability to apply those skills and knowledge to assist in classroom instruction.

What is the format and length of the test?

This two-and-a-half-hour test consists of 90 selected-response questions in reading, writing and math. Approximately two-thirds of the questions focus on basic skills and knowledge and the remaining one-third focus on applying those skills and knowledge in a classroom setting.

In what language is the test?

The test is in English.

How is the test given?

The test is delivered on a computer at participating school districts, regional offices of education, and other agencies, or remotely on your own computer at home or another secure location.

How much does the test cost?

Test center appointments: The test fee is \$55. Some test centers may charge an additional premium or proctoring fee. Contact your test center directly for additional information. **At home appointments:** The test fee is \$91 and the reschedule fee is \$45.50. All fees are nonrefundable.

In order to be considered for a Paraeducator position with MCPS, you must pass the ParaPro Assessment with a score of 455 or higher. <https://www.ets.org/parapro>

Maryland Testing Centers

City	Center Name	Contact Information
Baltimore	Baltimore City Community College	1-410-462-7666 testcenter@bccc.edu https://www.registerblast.com/bccc/Exam/List
Baltimore	Baltimore Teachers Union PDC	1-443-642-5006
College Park	University of Maryland Counseling Center	1-301-314-7688 cc-testingoffice@umd.edu https://www.counseling.umd.edu/testing/computer/
Frederick	Frederick Community College	1-301-846-2522 testingcenter@frederick.edu http://www.frederick.edu/student-resources/testing-center/parapro-faq.aspx
Hagerstown	Hagerstown Community College-Academic Testing Center	1-240-500-2398 testingcenter@hagerstowncc.edu http://www.registerblast.com/hcc/Exam/Index?Group=3811
Suitland	MKM Higher Education Testing Center	khwilliams@mkmhetc.org 1-240-455-6136