

Test Preparation Resources for the Superintendent Test

The Superintendent Test assesses the knowledge, skills, and abilities focused within the domains of visionary leadership, culture of learning, and the instructional program, organizational management, collaboration with stakeholders, and educational contexts, planning for improved student success, and school district data assignment. This document provides information and links to online resources available on the program website for test preparation and test-taking strategies.

Test-Taking Strategies and Test Content

[Test-Taking Strategies](#) are designed to help candidates:

- Understand the structure and content of the test.
- Plan an effective course of study.
- Learn strategies for successful test taking.

The [Superintendent Test Design and Framework](#) provides a detailed outline that identifies and explains the knowledge and skills measured on this test. The framework, [also available as a PDF document](#), includes the content domains and the approximate percentage of the test score of each, the range of competencies, and descriptive statements that provide more detailed information about the content of a competency.

The [How to Prepare for Your Teacher Certification Test](#) video provides a general overview of test preparation and test-taking strategies and is designed to help candidates prepare for the test by describing how to use the study resources provided on the testing program website. Also available is a fee-based [online practice test](#) containing sample test questions, explanations of correct responses, and comprehensive feedback.

Multiple-Choice Question Response Strategies

Candidates can prepare for the multiple-choice questions of the test by reviewing the following sections of the online study guide: [Superintendent Sample Questions](#) and test-taking strategies for [Success on the Day of the Test](#).

Constructed-Response Assignment Strategies

The [Superintendent Sample Constructed-Response Assignments](#) section of the online study guide contains directions for the constructed-response assignments, sample assignments, examples of strong responses, and the performance characteristics and scoring scale.

Candidates are advised to:

- Respond to every element of each assignment with appropriate support.
- Pay attention to how many issues, approaches, types of data, and/or strategies are required.
- Organize the response.
- Respond to bullets in the order presented.
- Identify each section in the response.

Additional Information regarding the Superintendent level test and other content assessments are available on the [program website](#).