

## Purpose of the ParaPro Assessment

Federal legislation, known as No Child Left Behind, required that beginning January 8, 2002, paraprofessional is required to have one of the following:

- An associate of arts degree
- A minimum of 60 semesters hours of college credit
- Demonstrated, through a state or local academic assessment, knowledge of, and the ability to assist in the instruction of reading, writing, and math

## About the ParaPro Assessment

The ParaPro Assessment measures skills and knowledge in reading, mathematics, and writing, as well as the ability to apply those skills and knowledge to assist in classroom instruction.

- The test consists of 90 multiple-choice questions.
- Visit [www.ets.org/parapro](http://www.ets.org/parapro) for test prep materials.
- The test takes approximately 2.5 hours.
- Cost of the test is \$65 (non-refundable).
- Bring a photo ID and know your social security number.
- Calculators, cell phones, smart watches, and all other electronic devices are not allowed in the testing room.
- The School District of Leon County's dress code policy is enforced.
- Test-takers should arrive unaccompanied to the test site as there is no place for friends or family to wait.

***Leon County Schools passing score is 464 for the ParaPro Assessment Test.***

### Contact Information:

To schedule to take the Para Pro Assessment Exam, please call or email.

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