

With national testing dates affected by the COVID-19 pandemic, the West Virginia Higher Education Policy Commission has worked with colleges and universities across the state to make additional testing opportunities available for 2020 PROMISE Scholarship applicants. ACT on-campus allows colleges to administer an official ACT test for institutional purposes only. 2020 PROMISE applicants have been given special permission to use ACT on-campus scores to qualify for the PROMISE scholarship through September 2020.

To register for an ACT on-campus test, contact the college directly. You can find a list of contacts for registering at each campus offering the on-campus test [here](#). You cannot register on the ACT website for an on-campus test. Seating capacity is limited. Students should register as soon as possible.

Students are encouraged to take the test at the college they plan to attend in the 2020-21 academic year. Scores from an ACT on-campus test are not sent to ACT and cannot be shared with other colleges. Only the college administering the ACT on-campus test may use the results to determine eligibility for institutional scholarships, course placement, or admission. Colleges may give priority to their own applicants if space is unavailable.

There is a fee for taking the ACT on-campus test. After the test is complete, the college will score the test and send the results directly to the West Virginia Higher Education Policy Commission to be evaluated for PROMISE Scholarship eligibility.

In addition to ACT on-campus testing, PROMISE applicants can take any national ACT or SAT testing scheduled between now and the end of October to qualify. For the scholarship program to receive test scores as soon as possible, students should enter the code 4539 when registering for the ACT, and 3456 for the SAT.

Applicants must obtain an eligible score in all areas in one test sitting. All other PROMISE eligibility requirements, including test scores, remain the same:

- ACT: 22 composite score with a minimum of 20 in English, math, science, and reading.
- SAT: 1100 total score with a minimum of 520 in math, and 530 in evidence-based reading and writing.

Questions about the PROMISE Scholarship can be directed to our office at 304-558-4618 or by email [PROMISE@wvhepc.edu](mailto:PROMISE@wvhepc.edu). For additional information visit [cfwv.com/promise](http://www.wvhepc.edu/coronavirus/) or <http://www.wvhepc.edu/coronavirus/>.