

# TOGETHER, WE CAN MAKE STUDENTS UNSTOPPABLE

Like you, we're dedicated to the success of every student—today, tomorrow, and well into the future. ACT is about more than just a test. We offer products and services that open doors, build confidence, and unleash the potential of your students. Assessment and social and emotional support, done right, is about creating a more holistic view of students so that together, we can help our young people be college and career ready while making the most of their potential.





As with academic learning, evaluating student progress in building SEL skills matters. Measure CASEL-aligned SEL skills, plus school climate, and provide clear feedback to students, educators, and parents with this proven assessment. Use with the Mosaic<sup>™</sup> by ACT<sup>®</sup> Social Emotional Learning curriculum and framework to give students and teachers the most robust support in the industry.

"Our ultimate goal is to matriculate all of our students to a post-secondary education. We have to be sure that they're not only academically ready, but ready socially as well."

— Norma McCormick, TX Region One Director

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"We're trying to make this a whole approach where schools, students, and parents are all aligned to giving our students the best grades possible on their ACT."

—Michael Menth, Teacher, Cedar Mountain High School

ACT Online Prep is an engaging, interactive test prep program that provides an online, interactive program to help students prepare for the ACT test. The program features curriculum and questions from previous tests in all four subject areas (English, math, reading, and science). Highquality learning content includes lessons, practice questions, interactive gaming modules, and fash cards, available on mobile devices with internet so students can practice for the ACT test at home or on the go.

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## **PreACT ASSESSMENTS** Pre ACT° Pre ACT° 8/9 Pre ACT° Secure

"Understanding our own culture and what it's doing to contribute to college readiness is important."

- Bud McMillion, Instructional Facilitator, Arkadelphia High School

PreACT<sup>®</sup> assessments provide educators with rich insights from report data that aid in understanding performance predictions, inform interventions and give instructional support. PreACT 8/9<sup>®</sup> in 8th and 9th grade gives students an early measure of college and career readiness along with PreACT and PreACT<sup>®</sup> Secure<sup>™</sup> (online) for 10th grade gives students practice with taking the ACT. Additionally, PreACT Secure gives schools, districts or states the ability to use for high-stakes or accountability purposes.

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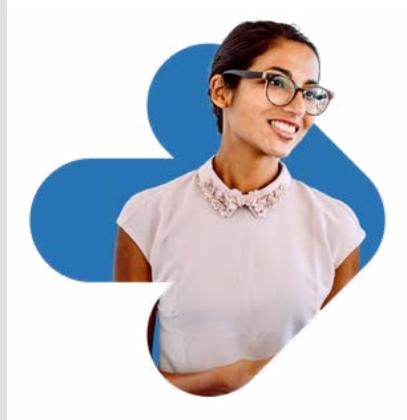
"If we really care about kids, what we want are better results on the tests that are going to get them into college and college scholarships. When we say we value the ACT results and we're going to take assessments once a year to find out where your kids are moving towards that college and career readiness benchmark, parents say that's a value they can get behind."

> Declan FitzPatrick, Executive Director of Curriculum and Instruction, Fox C–6 School District, MO

For many students, attending college and going on to fulfilling careers is part of a lifelong plan. The ACT® test is an essential part of making those plans possible.

ACT scores are accepted by 4-year college and university and provide students with access to millions of dollars in scholarships. For educators, these test results provide you with the data to position students for success after high school.

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"Standards are meaningless until you define how to assess them. Therefore, assessments are the starting point."

- Dr. Jorge Peña, Former Director of School Improvement and Catholic School Accreditation, Archdiocese of Chicago



"For those who do choose a CTE [career and technical education] path, they would also leave with some industry-standard credentials and technical studies, so we think it's a good way to ensure students have a broad array of choices after they graduate."

— Jo Ann Honeycutt, CTE Director at North Carolina DPI

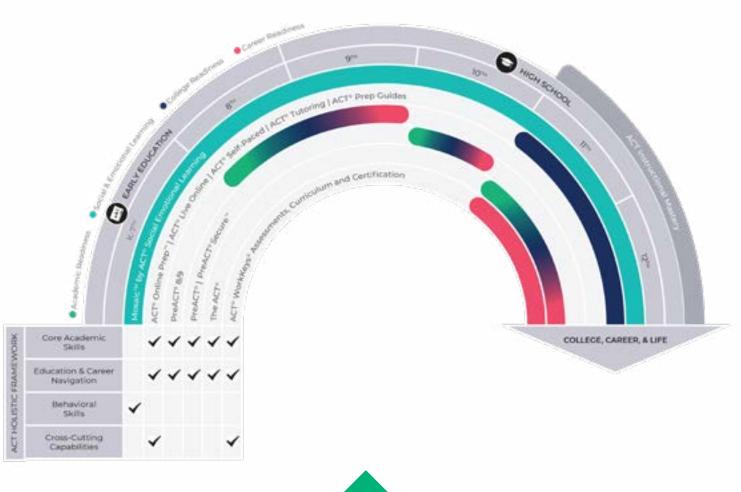
The ACT® WorkKeys® National Career Readiness Certificate® (NCRC®) is a portable, evidence-based credential that certifies the essential skills for workplace success. Employers look for it from job candidates, whether they come directly from high school, work-based learning programs, or through postsecondary paths, because it is a valid predictor of job performance. What does it mean to be "career ready"? While there is no single answer to that question, almost every answer includes a core set of foundational skills in Applied Math, Workplace Documents, and Graphic Literacy. ACT® WorkKeys® Assessments and Curriculum helps individuals demonstrate their job readiness while enabling communities, educators, and employers to build a skilled workforce in a rapidly changing environment.

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#### ACT<sup>®</sup>Instructional Mastery

Provide your educators with professional learning in a holistic understanding of the ACT<sup>®</sup> test. Educators will learn teaching strategies that advance students' abilities to successfully master the core skills needed for college success. ACT Instructional Mastery courses are available in-person or virtually.

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Access resources to help you with the tremendous task of ensuring students reach their full potential. Toolkit includes:

- Digital PDF of the ACT Counselor's
  Guide booklet
- Email communications
- Social media images
- PowerPoint slides
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