



## FLORIDA ACT TEST PREPARATION Implementation Ideas

### 10 STEPS TO PREPARE FOR THE ACT EXAM

1. **Get to Know the ACT**
  - a. [The ACT Test Overview](#)
  - b. Create/access [MyACT](#) account to access ACT quizzes, test questions, ACT Question of the Day
  - c. [ACT Reporting Category](#)
  - d. [Interactive Student Score Report](#) and [Sample Student Score Report \(PDF\)](#)
  - e. [How Do Tests, Questions, and Reporting Categories Relate to One Another?](#)
2. **Understanding ACT Standards and Setting Goals**
  - a. [ACT College and Career Readiness Standards](#) – English, Reading, Math
  - b. [How to use the ACT College Readiness Posters](#)- Available to print
    - i. Posters can be used to:
      1. Relate test scores to the skills needed in high school and beyond
      2. Communicate widely shared learning goals and expectations
      3. Understand the increasing complexity of skills needed across the score ranges in English, mathematics, reading, science, and writing
3. **ACT PRACTICE TEST**
  - a. Provide a practice test opportunity - start by taking a [practice test](#) (Preparing for the ACT) to understand strengths and weaknesses
    - i. Administer over multiple days, if appropriate
    - ii. Answer key located behind *Preparing for the ACT* booklet
    - iii. Review with students
4. **SCORE AND REVIEW**
  - a. Refer to ACT Student Report
  - b. Explore [free ACT resources](#) to find practice material
    - i. Check practice test score against ACT College and Career Readiness Benchmarks for a better understanding of performance
    - ii. [CCR Benchmarks](#) are performance standards, representing the minimum ACT test scores required for students to have a reasonable chance of success in first-year, credit-bearing college courses.
  - c. Register students for free [Kaplan Free ACT Events](#)
    - i. Sign up and receive the [ACT Question of the Day](#) for daily practice



## MULTIPLE PRACTICE DAYS PER SUBJECT

### 5. ENGLISH

- ACT Question of the Day for daily practice.
- Take ACT English Half-Length Practice Test

### 6. MATH

- ACT Question of the Day for daily practice.
- Take ACT Math Half-Length Practice Test

### 7. READING

- ACT Question of the Day for daily practice.
- Take ACT Reading Half-Length Practice Test

### 8. SCIENCE

- ACT Question of the Day for daily practice.
- Take ACT Science Half-Length Practice Test

### 9. SCORE REPORTS

- a. Students should review PreACT or ACT Score Report (if they have taken the ACT) for insights into reporting categories and the number of questions per category.
- b. PreACT tests can be administered

### 10. PACING

- a. Timing their responses might help with pacing
- b. Include questions/quizzes

Good luck and contact me, should you have any question

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