

Not yet Certified Candidates

Further Information about Retakes

Materials:

Score report

Scoring Guide – Part 1: Understanding and Interpreting Your Scores

Interpreting Your Scores

Accessing Your Score Report

Please verify that all personal information found in your score report is correct, if not, please update on “My Profile” and with OCTP

Understanding Your Score Report

- a. Detailed information about score report
- b. “0” and “NS” scores – notify Jennifer ASAP
- c. Feedback is standardized

Key Aspects of the Scoring Process

Evaluating Your Performance

More information about each score family

Moving Forward with your Scores

Identifying Your Strengths and Weaknesses

This is the reflection piece

Next Steps

*****Retake Considerations*****

What happens to Your Scores?

Selecting Your Retake Entries and/or Exercises

For the following steps, you may want to use the online retake calculator, which is located in “My Profile”, Score and Retake Calculator.

Step 1: Determine how many points you need to increase your Total Weighted Scaled Score to the performance standard of 275.

275 - Your score = points needed

Step 2: Determine which individual entries and/or exercise you are eligible to retake.

Only those with an asterisk

Identify the raw exercise scores you received on those entries and/or exercises.

Located in the Raw Exercise Score (RES) column

Step 3: Estimate your possible score increase for each eligible portfolio entry and/or assessment center exercises

For possible score it is suggested by former advance candidates to use no higher than
2.75

If you are using the online retake calculator, it will calculate the weighted score
Experiment with using different entries to see how it will raise your score
The lower the score, the more room for improvement.

Remember the greater the weight associated with a specific entry or exercise, the more
impact an increased score will have

**Step 4: Assess your personal strengths and weaknesses relative to each of the entries and/or
exercises you are eligible to retake**

Are you more comfortable with the Portfolio or assessment exercises?

Do you become anxious during timed assessments?

Do you have good ideas about how to improve your performance on portfolio entries
and Assessment Center exercises?

Step 5: Solicit feedback from colleagues

Regional Coordinator, Trainer, CSP, NBCT, or notify Jennifer

**Step 6: Consider other personal factors when choosing which of the entries or exercises to
retake**

Are you still teaching in the same certificate area?

What are your personal obligations during the retake timeframe?

What are your school related obligations during the retake timeframe?

What are your other outside school obligations during the retake timeframe?

Is funding an issue?

Each portfolio entry or assessment center exercise you retake will cost \$350. If
you receive an ELO scholarship, we will fund up a total of two retakes (\$700).

You will be responsible for the remaining amount. (We can talk about options if
needed)

Preparing Your Retake Submissions

Guidelines for retake entries

After you have submitted your retake application to NBPTS:

1. Make OCTP a copy of the completed retake application. **Make sure your name is
clearly visible on the retake application.**
2. You will pay for additional entries by credit card or electronic check directly to
NBPTS.

If you are eligible for OCTP funding, please bring a copy of the retake application to the Advanced Candidate Professional Development Institute on **January 14, 2012.**

Advanced Candidate Support Professional Development Institute

January 14, 2012

9:00 a.m. – 3:00p.m.

University of Central Oklahoma (UCO), Edmond
Education Building