

CASAS AND TABE TESTING

FOR INDUSTRIAL AND CULINARY PROGRAMS

All FCTC Industrial and Culinary students must take CASAS and Test of Adult Basic Education (TABE) Assessment unless the requirements for exemption are met*

The Florida Department of Education requires that all Career and Technical Education (CTE) students meet basic skills requirements for program exit. Below you will find the CASAS and TABE assessment requirements for our programs.

Steps for 1st time testers

- 1 – Contact Registration to pay the CASAS/TABE Fee
- 2 – Contact testing to schedule

Program	CASAS Reading Goal	CASAS Math Goal	TABE 11/12 Language Goal	GED or Diploma needed?
Automotive	239	241	584	No
Diesel	239	236	584	No
Heating, Ventilation, AC/Refrigeration	239	241	584	No
Landscape & Turf Management	239	236	584	No
Nursery Management	239	236	584	No
Professional Culinary Arts & Hospitality	239	236	584	No
Welding	239	236	584	No

The required CASAS and TABE scores will not keep you from entering your program

*There are criteria that may exempt you from taking the CASAS and TABE

- Visit <https://fctc.edu/wp-content/uploads/2020/06/Assessment-vs-Basic-Skills-Exemption-FAQ-6.11.20.pdf> or contact Student Advising at StudentAdvising@fctc.edu (904) 547-3282

For Testing Support

Academic Coaching test prep is offered

- Our Adult Education staff can help you meet your goals with one-on-one tutoring and mentoring
- \$30 fee per semester (spring, fall and summer) which includes the cost of retaking the assessments and the required hours to prepare students for success on assessments
 - **In Person or Virtual Classroom Sessions Schedule:**
 - ❖ Monday – Thursday 7:00 AM – 11:00 AM and 11:45 AM – 8:15 PM
 - ❖ Friday 7:00 AM – 11:00 AM and 11:45 AM – 3:00 PM
 - The waiting period to retaking the same assessment is based on individual student needs not the number of days

Academic Coach, Kelly Walters at Kelly.Walters@fctc.edu or

Adult Education Adulted@fctc.edu (904) 547-3434

To Schedule Your Test

- Students not participating in Academic Coaching will visit Registration to pay the \$25 fee to retake
- There is a 90-day waiting period between retaking the same assessment
- Office hours are Monday – Friday 8:00 AM – 3:00 PM
- At least 24-hour notice is required for all appointments
- **SEATING AVAILABILITY IS LIMITED** to maintain social distancing
- Students who arrive more than 15 minutes past their start time will not be admitted to test until the next available start time
- Please request any approved accommodations at the time of scheduling

Test Center Testing@fctc.edu (904) 547-3390

Free Practice Resources

Below are free online resource sites. These sites are NOT endorsed by FCTC.

CASAS Practice

<https://fctc.edu/assessment/casas/>
<https://www.casas.org/product-overviews/curriculum-management-instruction/sample-test-items>
<https://www.240tutoring.com/indiana-core-prep/casa-practice-test/>
<http://eslliteracywebsite.blogspot.com/p/tests-casas-practice.html>
<http://ellcomputerlab.blogspot.com/p/casas.html>
https://was.wuhsd.org/apps/pages/index.jsp?uREC_ID=754322&type=d&pREC_ID=1161928
<https://canvas.instructure.com/courses/1008763/pages/natalyas-page>
<https://mahoningctc.com/casas-math.html>
<https://www.mometrix.com/academy/casa/>

TABE Practice

<https://fctc.edu/assessment/tabe/>
<https://www.test-guide.com/free-tabe-practice-tests.html>
<https://www.ugoprep.com/free-tabe-language-practice-test/>
<https://uniontestprep.com/tabe-test/study-guide/language/pages/1>
<http://www.tabepacticetest.net/>
<https://mycareertools.com/tabe-language-practice-tests/>
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NL-wVT-LQ-8>