

# PLATO® Simulated Skills



## Pre-Professional Test

- A web-based instructional support and test preparation program for colleges offering teacher preparation programs and for teachers working toward certification on the PLATO Simulated Pre-Professional Skills Test (PPST®).

Includes a simulation of the PPST Assessment and PLATO® courseware aligned directly to the test.

PLATO® Assessment Solutions



*Listening. Learning. Leading.*



Determine each learner's skill levels and conduct periodic reassessments to evaluate readiness.

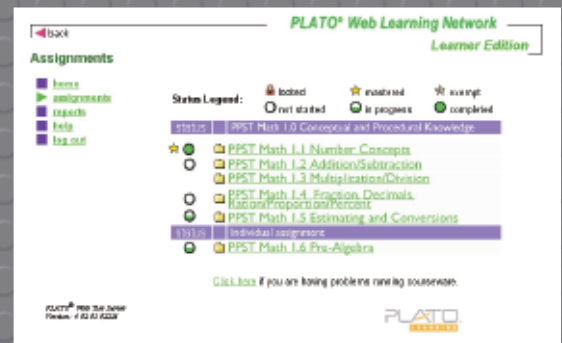
### The package:

- Allows students to practice for the PPST Assessment, making them more confident when taking the actual test.
- Scores practice tests automatically using the e-rater® automated online scoring engine from ETS for the essay portion of the writing test—providing instant feedback so students can focus on areas needing development.
- Provides assessment and alignment in reading, writing, and math based on the results of the simulated tests and skill proficiency.
- Creates a learning path within the PLATO® Web Learning Network, using PLATO courseware to provide instruction and fill identified skill gaps.
- Includes courseware that helps learners sharpen their skills in key areas, increasing their chances of passing the test.
- Records student data and test scores to track individual and group performance, providing teachers, administrators, and students with valuable reports to monitor progress and demonstrate results.

### Learner outcomes:

- Reinforce readiness skills in preparation for the PPST Assessment.
- Receive immediate feedback regarding strengths and weaknesses in specific objective areas including reading, writing, and math.
- Periodically reassess to track progress and improve test scores.
- Develop higher-order thinking skills and problem-solving strategies.
- Use the customized learning path in PLATO courseware to close skill gaps.
- Offers convenient anytime access, via the Internet, to state-of-the-art instructional support and test preparation resources.

For more information, please call 800.44.PLATO or visit [www.plato.com](http://www.plato.com). For more information on the ETS Pre-Professional Skills Test (PPST), please call 866.ETS.LEARN or visit [www.ets.org/praxis](http://www.ets.org/praxis).



*Give students an experience closely related to the actual test and provide diagnostic placement for skill building in reading, writing, and math.*



Real learning. Real results.™

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