

# After the Test

## How Your Test Is Scored

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- The multiple-choice subtests are scored electronically.
- The Writing subtests are scored by trained scorers.
- Pearson uses computerized and manual quality-control procedures to ensure the accuracy of test scores.
- The personal Score Report is the only official information available to you about your results. The unofficial preliminary Score Report you received at the Pearson VUE Test Center at the time of testing is **not** considered official.
- Lists of test items, or a copy of your Writing essay, are not available for review.

## Score Reporting

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- Within **5 weeks of the end of the testing window**, your personal Score Report will be available online for one year from the date of your test, and Official Transcripts will be sent via the U.S. Postal Service to the institutions to which you requested your scores reported.
- **Under no circumstances will scores be reported over the phone or faxed.**
- Pharmacy schools will only accept Official Transcripts.
- Your most recent PCAT scores and other PCAT scores that you earned during the previous 5 years will be reported on your Official Transcript, unless you selected the No Score Option at the time of testing.
- Scores more than 5 years old will not be reported.

## Interpreting Your Personal Score Report

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- Scores on the personal Score Report are reported as scaled scores and percentile ranks for each of the five multiple-choice subtests and as a composite score for the combined multiple-choice subtests.
- Writing subtest scores are reported separately for Conventions of Language and Problem Solving.