



Quick Start Guide

testGEAR® online test preparation improves test scores on high school exit and college entrance exams.

First Time Users

1. Go to **www.RUReadyND.com**.
2. Click **Create a new portfolio** in the Student Sign In section.
3. Select your City and then the name of your School or Site. If your school isn't listed, choose Other High School. Enter your required information and click **Create Your Portfolio**.
4. Select **testGEAR** from the Your Tools box.

Portfolio Name: _____

Password: _____

Returning Users

1. Go to **www.RUReadyND.com**.
2. Enter your **Portfolio Name** and **Password** and click the login arrow.
3. Select **testGEAR** from the Your Tools box.

Get Started Using testGEAR

1. Take the **BrainScan** diagnostic to assess your strengths and weaknesses.
2. Based on your diagnostic results, the **Smart Curriculum** will prescribe a customized study plan.
3. If you choose not to follow the entire Smart Curriculum and want to focus on specific weaknesses, then refer to the **Course Library**.
4. **MicroCourses**, **Practorials** and the **Vocab Lab** will help you build skills and provide useful strategies to help you ace the test you're preparing for.
5. Take the **Practice tests** to gauge your skills with test items that mirror the formats on the real test.
6. Once you're ready, get a feeling for the real thing by taking the two **full-length practice tests** that mimic the final exam.

Ask your counselor for more information about testGEAR.