

ID requirements: Country or Region Exceptions and Variations

Country or Region Name	Details
European Union (EU) and Schengen zone* countries	<p>If you are a citizen of a EU or Schengen zone country and are taking the test in your country of citizenship or in any other EU or Schengen zone country, you should ideally present your valid passport.</p> <p>If you do not have a valid passport, you may present your valid national identity card.</p> <p>If you are taking the test outside of the EU or Schengen zone country* then you must present your valid passport as primary ID.</p> <p>*Schengen zone countries are: Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland. (Please check information about Schengen zone countries before taking the test.)</p>
Egypt	<p>If you are a citizen of Egypt and testing within Egypt, you may present your Egypt National ID card. This is only allowed only for candidates aged 16 to 18 who do not have a valid passport.</p>
Hong Kong (SAR People's Republic of China)	<p>If you are a citizen of Hong Kong (SAR People's Republic of China) taking the test outside of Hong Kong (SAR People's Republic of China), you must present your valid passport as ID.</p> <p>If you are a citizen of Hong Kong (SAR People's Republic of China) and are taking the test in Hong Kong (SAR People's Republic of China), you should ideally present your valid passport. If you do not have a valid passport, you can present a valid Hong Kong issued national identity card or a Hong Kong special administrative region document of identity.</p> <p>If you are a permanent resident of Hong Kong (SAR People's Republic of China), testing in Mainland China, you must present your Chinese entry permit, or Mainland Travel Permit, e.g., Hui Xiang Zheng.</p>

<p>Macau (SAR People's Republic of China)</p>	<p>If you are a citizen of Macau (SAR People's Republic of China) taking the test outside of Macau (SAR People's Republic of China), you must present your valid passport as ID.</p> <p>If you are a citizen of Macau (SAR People's Republic of China) taking the test in Macau (SAR People's Republic of China), you should ideally present your valid passport. If you do not have a valid passport, you can present a valid Macau government-issued driver's license or a valid Macau government-issued national identity card.</p> <p>If you are a permanent resident of Macau (SAR People's Republic of China), testing in mainland China, you should ideally present your valid passport. If you do not have a valid passport you can present your Chinese entry permit, or mainland travel permit, e.g., Hui Xiang Zheng.</p>
<p>Palestine</p>	<p>If you are a citizen of Palestine taking the test in the Palestine, you should ideally present your valid passport.</p> <p>If you do not have a valid passport, you can present either a Palestinian travel document, Palestinian Authority passport, national identity card, government issued driver's license or military identification card.</p>
<p>Philippines</p>	<p>If you are a citizen of the Philippines taking the test in the Philippines, you should ideally present your valid passport.</p> <p>If you do not have a valid passport, you can present one of the following valid Philippine government-issued national IDs: driver's license, military identification card, national identity card, social security system ID, unified multi-purpose ID, Professional Regulation Commission (PRC ID)</p> <p>The ID must include the following requirements (in Roman characters): name, date of birth, signature and photograph that matches your appearance. If a single ID with all requirements cannot be presented, a second ID containing the missing requirement(s) must also be provided.</p>
<p>Taiwan</p>	<p>If you are a citizen of Taiwan taking the test outside of Taiwan, you must present your valid passport as ID.</p> <p>If you are a citizen of Taiwan taking the test in Taiwan, you should ideally present your valid passport. If you do not have a valid passport, you can present a valid Taiwan government-issued driver's license or a valid national identity card.</p> <p>If you are a permanent resident of Taiwan, testing in mainland China, you must present your Chinese entry permit, or mainland travel permit, e.g., Tai Bao Zheng.</p>

<p>United Kingdom (UK)</p>	<p>If you are a citizen of the UK taking the test in the UK, you must present your valid passport.</p> <p>If you are a citizen of an EU country or Schengen zone country taking the test in the United Kingdom, you should ideally present your valid passport.</p> <p>If you do not have a valid passport, you may present your valid national identity card.</p>
<p>United States (US)</p>	<p>If you are a citizen of the US and its territories and are taking the test outside of US and its territories, you must present your valid passport.</p> <p>If you are a citizen of the US and its territories and are taking the test in the US and its territories, you should ideally present your valid passport.</p> <p>If you do not have a valid passport, you can present either a valid US government-issued driver's license, military identity card, laminated government-issued learner's permit card (allowed in the US only), national or state identity card.</p> <p>Please note: the option to present a US government-issued driver's license, laminated government-issued learner's permit card and national or state identity card will be removed from 28 February 2026.</p> <p>If you do not have a valid passport, you can present a valid permanent resident card, including a US Green Card.</p> <p>Please note: the option to present a valid permanent resident card, including a US Green Card will be removed from 28 February 2026.</p>
<p>Venezuela</p>	<p>If you are a citizen of Venezuela and are taking the test outside of Venezuela, you must present your valid passport.</p> <p>Note: A Venezuelan passport that was issued on or before 21 May 2019 is considered valid for 5 years beyond the expiry date provided the passport is stamped to confirm the extension has been approved.</p>