



# ExamView Quick Step Guide

## Introduction to LAN Testing

The **ExamView Assessment Suite** includes all of the tools you need to create and administer online tests on your LAN. Use the online testing features to save time grading tests and generate the information to improve student performance.

You can create online tests that anyone can take using your LAN, or you can assign a roster to an online test. For example, you can use **ExamView Test Generator** to create self-grading practice tests (or study guides) that provide feedback for incorrect responses. You can also use this testing option to administer chapter tests, quizzes, benchmark tests, homework, and worksheets. Then, use **ExamView Test Manager** to get results from an online test and produce reports.

### Before You Begin

Before students can take tests using your LAN, you must get ready for online testing.

1. Talk to your network administrator to secure space on your LAN to put the online tests. You and your students both need **read/write (full) access to the network folder and LAN test file**.
2. Ask your network administrator to install the player program on each computer. You may also install the Test Player on a network computer and place a shortcut to the network .exe file on each testing computer.
3. *Advanced:* You can create a shortcut for the program and set the target properties to include the following options.  
For example, set the target to **c:\examview\evpro.exe /nobrowse**.
  - **/nobrowse** This option turns off the option for students to change the path (or location) of the tests.
  - **/noprefs** This option directs the program not to write the preferences to the local computer.
  - **/testpath=** This option allows you to set the default path for the tests.
4. Start **ExamView Test Generator**, choose **Edit > Preferences** from the menu options and click the **Files** icon. Set the default online (LAN) path to the location on the network.

