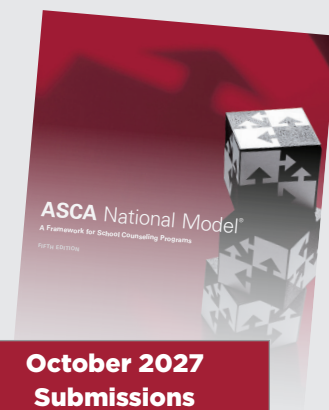


# RAMP® in the Fifth Edition

The fifth edition of RAMP® applications will begin October 2026. This will begin the phase out for fourth edition submissions. The final year to submit a fourth edition RAMP® application will be October 2026.

The fifth edition RAMP® rubric will be released fall 2025. All schools are encouraged to spend time transitioning to the fifth edition to prepare for submitting an application that reflects updated concepts and terminology. See chart below for future RAMP® submission preparation.



	October 2025 Submissions	October 2026 Submissions	October 2027 Submissions
<b>Fourth Edition</b>	Allowed	Allowed (final year)	Not available
<b>Fifth Edition</b>	Not available	Allowed (first year)	Fifth edition only
<b>Use-of-Time Calculator*</b>	Fourth edition	Fourth edition version	Fifth edition version

\*Because the use-of-time calculator is required from the school year prior to the data collection year, fifth edition submissions in October 2026 will allow the fourth edition version of the calculator. Beginning with October 2027 RAMP® submissions, all applications must include the fifth edition version of the use-of-time calculator.

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