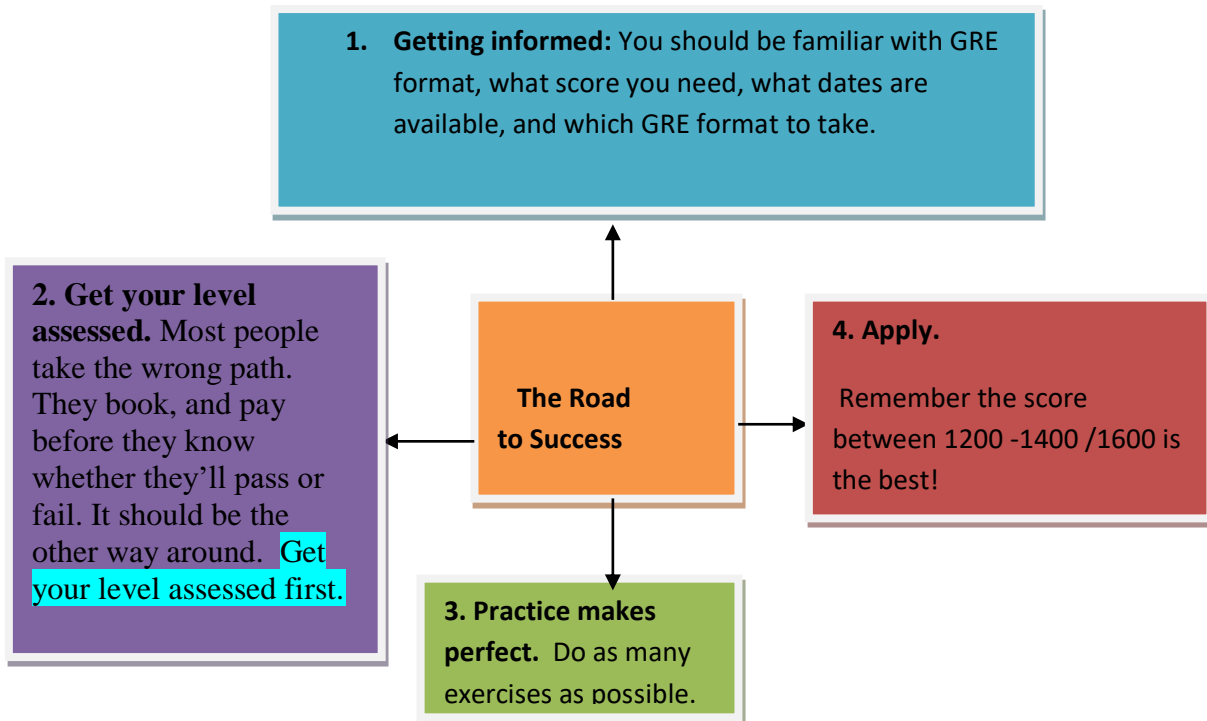




The Graduate Record Examinations (GRE) is an assessment for students looking to pursue a master's, MBA, or PhD admission mostly in the USA and in other parts of the world. There are two versions: GRE General and GRE Subject. Interestingly students with higher scores on GRE often secure a merit-based scholarship. The validity of GRE is five years. The exam measures your verbal reasoning, quantitative reasoning and analytical writing.

Just a word of caution: **MAKE SURE YOU KNOW WHAT EXAMINERS CONSIDER WHEN THEY ARE MARKING YOU!**

### *STEPS TO SUCCESS*



## GRE STRUCTURE

Measured	# of Questions	Time
<p><b>Analytical writing:</b>  <i>The Analytical Writing section measures your ability to:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* articulate complex ideas clearly and effectively</li> <li>* support ideas with relevant reasons and examples</li> <li>* examine claims and accompanying evidence</li> <li>* sustain a well-focused, coherent discussion</li> <li>* control the elements of standard written English</li> </ul>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Analyze an issue task</li> <li>2. Analyze an argument task</li> </ol>	<p><b>30 minutes</b></p> <p><b>for each tasks</b></p>
<p><b>Verbal Reasoning</b>  <i>The Verbal Reasoning section measures your ability to:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* analyze and draw conclusions from discourse; reason from incomplete data; identify author's assumptions and/or perspective; understand multiple levels of meaning, such as literal, figurative and author's intent</li> <li>* select important points; distinguish major from minor or irrelevant points; summarize text; understand the structure of a text</li> <li>* understand the meaning of individual words, sentences and entire texts;</li> </ul>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Reading Comprehension</li> <li>2. Text Completion</li> <li>3. Sentence Equivalence</li> </ol>	<p><b>30 minutes</b></p> <p><b>per section</b></p>
<p><b>Quantitative Reasoning</b>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* understand, interpret and analyze quantitative information</li> <li>* solve problems using mathematical models</li> <li>* apply basic skills and elementary concepts of arithmetic, algebra, geometry and data analysis</li> </ul> </p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Quantitative Comparison Questions</li> <li>2. Multiple-choice Questions — Select One Answer Choice</li> <li>3. Multiple-choice Questions — Select One or More Answer Choices</li> <li>4. Numeric Entry Questions</li> </ol>	<p><b>35 minutes</b></p> <p><b>per section</b></p>