



# State Board of Education Meeting: *Assessment Update*

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# Agenda

- \* Date Change Requests
- \* ISTEP+/IREAD-3 Update
- \* Formative Assessment



# ISTEP+ Part 1, IREAD-3 Date Change Requests



# ISTEP+, IREAD-3 Date Change Requests

- State Board provides authority for IDOE to review/ approve requests to begin testing up to seven calendar days in advance
  - Refer to memorandum and Attachment A
    - Fifty-seven (57) requests approved by IDOE
    - No requests received requiring SBOE approval



# ISTEP+/IREAD-3 Update



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- Determining capacity/connectivity: Pearson Technology Readiness Process
  - Statewide Readiness Test – January 29
    - Results to be shared at February State Board meeting



# ISTEP+ Update

- Piloting of future ISTEP+ items
  - Book II
    - Selected statistical sample
  - Part 1 and Part 2
- ISTEP+ administration flexibility
  - Use Practice Test instructionally
  - Administer content area tests to maximize use of computer labs
    - ELA or Math administered first (by grade level)



# Formative Assessment





# Grades 3-10 Formative Assessment Grant Funding Update

<b>Grades 3-10</b>	<b>SBOE November 2015 Mtg.</b>	<b>SBOE February 2016 Mtg.</b>
Total Formative Assessment Grant Amount	\$8,208,941.74	\$9,603,540.72
Total Max Amount per student (combined for both content area tests)	\$19.68	\$18.96
Total Max Amount per student per test	\$9.84	\$9.48



# Grades K-2 Formative Assessment Grant Funding Update

<b>Grades K-2</b>	<b>SBOE December 2015 Mtg.</b>	<b>SBOE February 2016 Mtg.</b>
Total Formative Assessment Grant Amount	\$2,542,288.37	\$2,160,361.52
Total Max Amount per student (combined for both content area tests)	\$20.88	\$13.08
Total Max Amount per student per test	\$10.44	\$6.54



# Formative Assessment Grant Program – Next Steps

- State Board approval of funding
- State Budget Agency approval of funding
- Disbursements to schools/vendors
- Begin implementation of 2016-17 program
  - Application process for schools in late spring



# Thank you...



...for the opportunity to share  
this update!

