



State Board of Education Meeting: *Assessment Update*

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Agenda

- * ISTEP+ Update
- * Support for Students and Educators
- * Fall Assessments
- * Formative Assessment

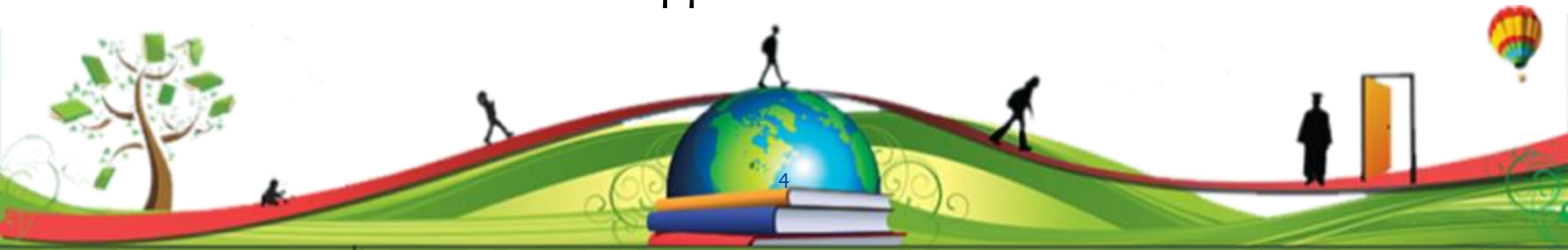


ISTEP+ Update



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- Transition from CTB to Pearson
 - In final stages
 - Collaboration of psychometric staff
- Contract update
 - Moving through the process
- Online testing
 - Readiness
 - Trainings to occur late-October through mid-November
 - Onsite support



Support for Students and Educators



Support for Students and Educators

- Item samplers (October/November)
 - Engaging
 - Instructional tools
- Opportunities to practice in vendor's online system (November)
- Practice Test (December)
 - Designed to model operational test
 - Use instructionally



Fall Assessments



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Assessment	Date(s)
ISTAR Part 1	October 5 – November 6
ACCUPLACER Part 1	October 5 – November 25
PSAT/NMSQT	October 14
ECA – Fall	October 19 – November 13



Formative Assessment



Formative Assessment Test Grant Program Update

- Next steps for IDOE
 - Regarding corporations and schools
 - Regarding vendors
 - Regarding student counts/fiscal-related work



Next Step re: Corporations and Schools

- Next step regarding corporations and schools
 - Provide guidance regarding reimbursement process



Next Steps re: Vendors

- Next steps regarding vendors
 - Communicate school list and student counts
 - Provide guidance regarding invoicing procedures for those offering master contracts



Next Steps re: Student Counts / Fiscal

- Next steps regarding student counts/fiscal-related work
 - Compare pupil enrollment (PE) counts to counts entered manually by schools
 - Calculate final per-pupil amount for each content area
 - Calculate total funding amount per corporation
 - Implement reimbursement (for local contracts) and execute master contracts
 - Implement K-2 allocations with any remaining dollars, as applicable
 - Present final fiscal allocations by school to State Budget Agency



Formative Assessment

The following information applies to the next two slides:

* “Corps” refers to any of the following: public school corporation, charter school, or accredited nonpublic school

DRAFT estimated counts are as of 10/8/15.

A corporation may be included in the count of multiple Formative Assessment vendors. *(For example, Corporation ABC may be included in the counts of four different vendors if the corporation has schools that selected a total of four different vendors.)*



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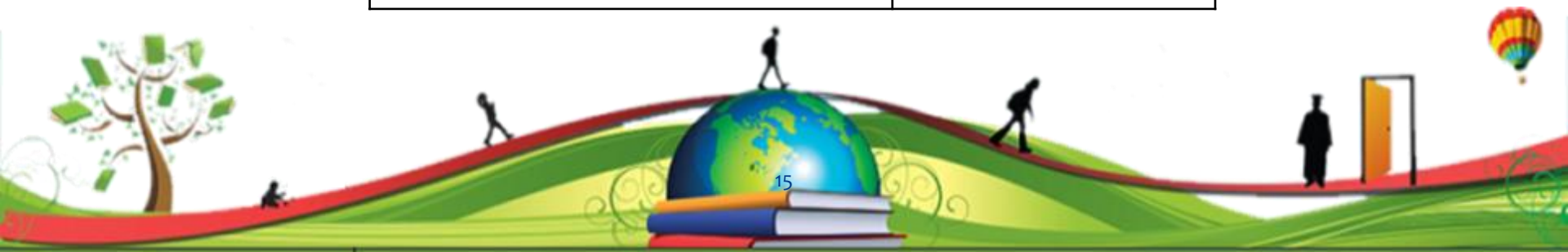
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Estimates

English/Language Arts	
Test Vendor	Number of Corps*
Achieve3000	10
Curriculum Associates	4
Five-Star Technology Solutions	36
Heinemann	2
Houghton Mifflin Harcourt	5
McGraw-Hill Education	174
NWEA	254
Pearson	14
Renaissance Learning	92
Scantron	4
Other	20

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