State Board of Education Meeting:
Assessment Update

August 10, 2016

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IMAGINING
the possibilities.
MAKING THEM HAPPEN.

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Agenda

* Formative Assessment Update

* ISTAR Update

* ISTEP+ Update

Formative Assessment Update

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- Implementation for 2016-17
  - Funding formula presented to the State Board of Education for action on August 10
  - Vendor list includes recommendations collected from schools and corporations last spring
  - Program implementation improved
    - Use pupil enrollment counts from 2015-16
      - Aligns with other grants
      - Improves timeline for distribution of dollars
    - Local contracts only (no "savings" for state contract)
      - Avoids confusion regarding billing for corporations
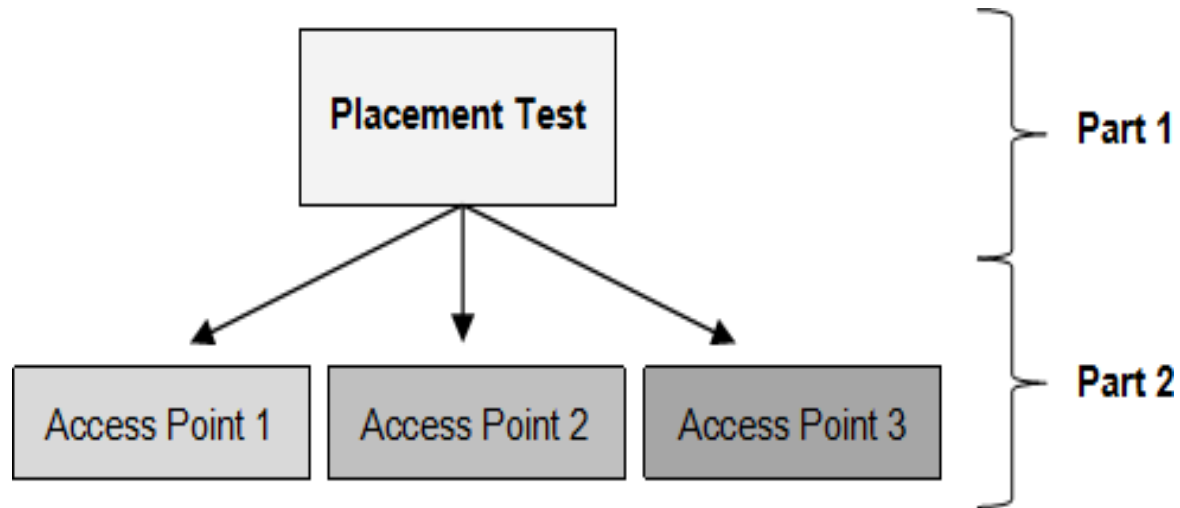   - Expedites vendor program services

ISTAR Update

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- ISTAR test design based on TAC recommendations
  - Utilize design option 3 for at least a year to establish stable item statistics
    - Placement test combined with Part 1
      - Informs placement into access level for Part 2
  - Implement two test windows in 2016-17
    - Part 1 during existing January window
    - Part 2 during existing April window

ISTAR Update

Diagram showing Placement Test (Part 1) branching into Access Point 1, Access Point 2, and Access Point 3 (Part 2).

ISTAR Update

- Sharing 2015-16 results with students, parents, and schools
    - Tier assignment; percent of items correct
    - Questar currently creating draft report documents
        - Disseminate early fall

ISTEP+ Update

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- ISTEP+ Spring 2016 results
  - Updated reporting timelines
    - Grades 3-8
    - Grade 10

ISTEP+ Update

- Standard setting (cut score setting) for ISTEP+ Grade 10 ELA, Math, and Science
  - August 2-3, 2016
    - Recommended cut scores presented to the State Board of Education for action on August 10

ISTEP+ Update

- Online and paper/pencil mode adjustment recommendations
  - Grades 3-8 and 10
    - Presentation to the State Board of Education for action on August 10

Thank you...

...for the opportunity to share

this update!

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ISTEP+ Spring 2016
Proposed Timeline for Release of Data
Grades 3-8

Legend:
  Yellow highlight = update
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#	Date(s)	Action
1	June 13	• Schools download and distribute parent access codes
2	June 30	• Release of statewide summary data—percent of *Pass+, Pass, Did Not Pass*
3	July 5	• Release of Proficiency Roster displaying student scale scores and proficiency levels (P+, P, DNP) to corporations and schools • Access to the Pearson Parent Portal begins • Rescore Window opens
4	August 10	• SBOE reviews and approves the mode adjustments
5	August 12	• Rescore Window closes
6	September 2 *(previously July 28)*	***Including mode adjustments and rescore results:*** • Release of student results data files to the IDOE and corporations • Delivery of *Individual Student Report* (ISR) copies via PDF for schools
7	September 16 *(* previously August 8)*	***Including mode adjustments and rescore results:*** • *Delivery of *Individual Student Report* (ISR) paper copies and labels for students' cumulative files • Phase 2 Reports: Academic Standards Summary Report, Proficiency Grouping Report, Academic Standards Frequency Distribution, Applied Skills Frequency Distribution, Summary Files, Disaggregation Files
8	October 14	***Including mode adjustments and rescore results:*** • Disaggregation Summary Reports

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ISTEP+ Spring 2016
Proposed Timeline for Release of Data
Grade 10

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#	Date(s)	Action
1	July 25	• Schools download and distribute parent access codes
2	August 2-3	• Conduct cut-score setting
3	August 10	• SBOE reviews and approves the mode adjustments • Report cut-score setting results to the State Board of Education • Adoption of final cut scores by State Board of Education
4	September 2	***Data includes mode adjustments:*** • Release of statewide summary data—percent of *Pass+, Pass, Did Not Pass* • Release of Proficiency Roster displaying student scale scores and proficiency levels (P+, P, DNP) to corporations and schools • Access to the Pearson Parent Portal begins • Rescore Window opens (September 2 – September 16) • Release of student results data files to the IDOE and corporations
5	September 16	• Phase 2 Reports: Academic Standards Summary Report, Proficiency Grouping Report, Academic Standards Frequency Distribution, Applied Skills Frequency Distribution, Summary Files, Disaggregation Files • Rescore Window closes (September 2 – September 16)
6	October 14 *(*previously Sept. 19)*	***Including mode adjustments and rescore results:*** • *Delivery of *Individual Student Report* (ISR) copies via PDF for schools • Post-rescore student data files available for the IDOE, corporations, and schools • Disaggregation Summary Reports
7	October 24	***Including mode adjustments and rescore results:*** • Delivery of *Individual Student Report* (ISR) paper copies and labels for students' cumulative files