



Test Coordinator Monthly Webinar

September 20, 2023

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Test Coordinator Monthly Webinars

- **Details:**

- **WHO:** district and school test coordinators, special education directors, EL directors, data managers, technology coordinators
- **WHAT:** pertinent information about state assessments, including monthly tasks, to support schools and LEAs in a successful test administration year
- **REGISTRATION:** the link to register for the entire series can be found at www.ride.ri.gov/tc
<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/4324337882363514716>

- **Webinar Calendar (Wednesdays at 10:00am) – Save the Dates!**

- October 18
- November 15
- December 20
- January 17, 2024
- February 14, 2024
- March 20, 2024
- April 24, 2024
- May 15, 2024
- June 12, 2024

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Jackie Branco • NAEP
• Accommodations for all state assessments
• Medical Exemptions

Agenda for September 20, 2023

- Reporting Assessment Results for 2022-23
 - Reporting Calendar
 - Review of Individual Student Report (ISR) Policy
 - Review of ADP/SDP Resources
- Preparing for the 2023-24 RI State Assessments
 - Overview of the 2023-24 RI State Assessment Program
 - Testing Calendar for State Assessments
 - 2023-2024 Training Calendar
 - Updating the Master/School Directory
 - Individual Test Updates

Assessment Results from 2022-2023

2022-23 State Assessment Reporting

www.ride.ri.gov/Assessment-Results

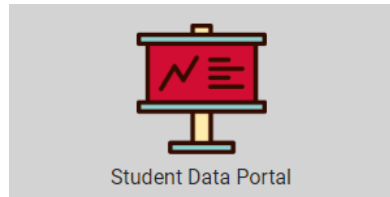
State Assessment reporting information

- All assessment results will be released this fall.
 - Public release through the RI Assessment Data Portal (ADP) (<https://www3.ride.ri.gov/ADP>)
 - Educator release through the RI Student Data Portal (SDP) (<https://portal.ride.ri.gov>)

RIDE Data Portal

To access the RIDE Data Portal:

1. Visit the RIDE website. <https://ride.ri.gov/>
2. Click on the instruction and **Assessment** tab at the top of the homepage.
3. Choose **Assessment** from the drop down.
4. Choose **Assessment Results** from the left.
5. Choose RIDE Portal and log in.
6. Once logged in, click on *All Applications* on left and find the Portal icon.



Assessment Results

This page provides links to the results of Rhode Island's statewide assessments. Below you will find results from past and current assessments and score interpretation materials.

Assessment data and interactive reports can be found on the following sites:



Public Access

An open link to aggregate data dashboard visualizations and downloads that provide an in-depth presentation of assessment results data by school year at the state, district and school levels, including by grade and/or student subgroups for all Rhode Island state assessments. [Download the RIADP User Guide](#).

Educator Access Only

Districts, school administrators, and teachers can access student assessment data through the "Student Data Portal" app within the RIDE Portal.

- [SDP Teacher Level Access](#)
- [SDP District & School Level Access](#)
- [Student Data Portal User Guide](#)
- [Data Managers Super User Module Guide](#)

SDP/ADP Resources

- [RI ADP User Guide \(Public\)](#)

Rhode Island Assessment Data Portal User's Guide

The Rhode Island Assessment Data Portal is a public website that provides access to aggregate Rhode Island assessment performance for current and past years. Users can review performance at a district, school, and/or grade level in aggregate form, and/or filtered by certain criteria.

- [Student Data Portal User Guide \(Confidential\)](#)

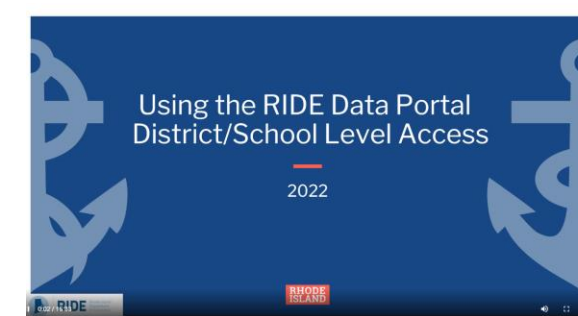
RIDE Portal – Student Data Portal Application User's Guide

The Student Data Portal provides role-appropriate access to confidential student-level statewide assessment performance for current and past years for use by educators to support instructional and curricular decisions. Users can review performance at a district, school, and/or course level (depending on role) in aggregate form, filtered by certain criteria, or at the individual student level.

- [Video guide to teacher level access of SDP](#)



- [Video guide to district level access of SDP](#)



Student Score Reports Calendar

2022-23 Testing Year: www.ride.ri.gov/assessment-results

| Test | Date | | Online Location |
|-----------------|-----------------------|----------------------|--|
| | Paper (mailed) | Online | |
| ACCESS | <i>Arrived in LEA</i> | <i>Available now</i> | WIDA AMS |
| DLM | <i>Arrived in LEA</i> | <i>Available now</i> | Educator Portal |
| RICAS | November | TBD | PearsonAccess^{next} |
| PSAT 10* | N/A | Fall | RIDE Portal: SDP |
| SAT* | N/A | Fall | RIDE Portal: SDP |
| NGSA | <i>Arrived in LEA</i> | <i>Available now</i> | NGSA Reporting Portal |

**RIDE-produced student score reports must be printed from the RI-ADP and mailed to families. These score reports are different from those reports posted on the College Board Reporting Portal.*

Assessment Results

2022-23 Testing Year: www.ride.ri.gov/assessment-results

| Test | Type of Data Available | Online Location |
|-----------------|--|---|
| ACCESS | LEA, school, and student | WIDA AMS |
| DLM | LEA, school, and student | Educator Portal |
| RICAS | Student-level (only raw data; no scale scores) | PearsonAccess^{next} |
| PSAT 10* | LEA, school, and student | College Board K-12 Reporting Portal |
| SAT* | LEA, school, and student | College Board K-12 Reporting Portal |
| NGSA | Student-level only | NGSA Reporting Portal |
| NAEP | State and national data | The Nations's Report Card |

Individual Student Score Reports (ISRs)

www.ride.ri.gov/assessment-results

Sending Score Reports to Families

- Families should receive score reports no more than two months after LEAs receive them.
- Score Report Shells in languages other than English are available for all state assessments.
- Outplacement Schools:
 - Sending LEAs are responsible for ensuring families receive score reports.
 - Sending LEAs are responsible for providing outplacement schools with score reports for student records.

Score Interpretation Materials

- Available for teachers and families
- Available for past years' assessments

Preparing for the 2023-24 RI State Assessments

State Assessments by Grade Level

| Grade Tested | Alternate Assessments | | | General Education Assessments | | | | | |
|--------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|----------------|-------------------------------|----------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| | Alternate ACCESS for ELs | DLM | DLM | ACCESS 2.0 for ELs | NGSA | RICAS | PSAT™10 | SAT | NAEP |
| | <i>ELP</i> | <i>ELA & Math</i> | <i>Science</i> | <i>ELP</i> | <i>Science</i> | <i>ELA & Math</i> | <i>ELA & Math</i> | <i>ELA & Math</i> | |
| K | K | | | K | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | | | 1 | | | | | |
| 2 | 2 | | | 2 | | | | | |
| 3 | 3 | 3 | | 3 | | 3 | | | |
| 4 | 4 | 4 | | 4 | | 4 | | | 4 |
| 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | | | |
| 6 | 6 | 6 | | 6 | | 6 | | | |
| 7 | 7 | 7 | | 7 | | 7 | | | |
| 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 | | | 8 |
| 9 | 9 | | | 9 | | | | | |
| 10 | 10 | | | 10 | | | 10 | | (Age 15) |
| 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | | | 11 | |
| 12 | 12 | | | 12 | | | | | 12 |

2023-2024 State Assessment Calendar: Elementary & Middle School

State testing windows are posted at www.ride.ri.gov/Assessment-Schedules

| Test | Content Area(s) | Grades | Primary Test Window | Makeup Test Window |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| ACCESS for ELLs | ELP | K-12 | Jan. 8 – Feb. 16, 2024 | Feb. 19 – March 1, 2024 |
| Alternate ACCESS for ELLs | ELP | K-12 | Jan. 8 – Feb. 16, 2024 | Feb. 19 – March 1, 2024 |
| RICAS | ELA | 3-8 | March 25 – April 19, 2024 | April 22 – April 26, 2024 |
| | Math | 3-8 | April 22 – May 17, 2024 | May 20 – May 24, 2024 |
| DLM | ELA, Math Science | 3-8 5, 8, 11 | April 1 – May 31, 2024 | N/A |
| NGSA | Science | 5, 8, 11 | May 1 – 19, 2024 | May 22 – 31, 2024 |
| NAEP | <i>See following slides</i> | | | |

2023-2024 State Assessment Calendar: High School

State testing windows are posted at www.ride.ri.gov/Assessment-Schedules

| Test | Content Area(s) | Grades | Primary Test Window | Makeup Test Window |
|---------------------------|----------------------|---------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| ACCESS for ELLs | ELP | K-12 | Jan. 8 – Feb. 16, 2024 | Feb. 19 – March 1, 2024 |
| Alternate ACCESS for ELLs | ELP | K-12 | Jan. 8 – Feb. 16, 2024 | Feb. 19 – March 1, 2024 |
| DLM | ELA, Math Science | 3-8, 11 5, 8, 11 | April 1 – May 31, 2024 | N/A |
| PSAT10 | Reading, Math | 10 | April 1-April 12, 2024 | April 22-April 26, 2024 |
| RI SAT School Day* | Reading, Math | 11 | April 1-April 12, 2024 | April 22-April 26, 2024 |
| NGSA | Science | 5, 8, 11 | May 1-May 19, 2024 | May 22-May 31, 2024 |

2023-2024 State Assessment Calendar: NAEP

State testing windows are posted at www.ride.ri.gov/Assessment-Schedules

| Test | Content Area(s) | Grades/Ages | Test Window Opens | Test Window Closes |
|-----------------|-------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| NAEP Pilot | reading, math | 4,8 | January 29, 2024 | March 8, 2024 |
| NAEP 2024 | reading, math | 4,8,12 | January 29, 2024 | March 8, 2024 |
| NAEP 2024 | science | 8 | January 29, 2024 | March 8, 2024 |
| PISA Field Test | reading, math, science | 15-yr-old students | March 2024 | April 2024 |
| TALIS 2024 | principals and teachers | | | Spring 2024 |

- *Not all schools will be selected for every test. More information will be available at the beginning of the school year.*
- PISA: Program for International Student Assessment
- TALIS: Teaching and Learning International Survey
- NAEP National Assessment of Educational Progress

Upcoming Test Coordinator Trainings

| Assessment/Title of Training | Dates/Times | Registration Link |
|---|---|--|
| SAT/PSAT 10 Test Day Training-Part 1 | September 18 (1:00-3:30) <ul style="list-style-type: none">In person September 21 (9:30-11:30) <ul style="list-style-type: none">Webinar | https://www.eride.ri.gov/workshopReg/ViewWorkshop.aspx?workshopid=1897 https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/1574156937015290454 |

2023-2024 RISAP Training Calendar

www.ride.ri.gov/assessment-training

Rhode Island State Assessment Program: Guide to Required Training

This document contains training requirements for district and school test coordinators, their teams, and test administrators for the 2023-24 Rhode Island State Assessments.

More information is at www.ride.ri.gov/assessment-training



- Training requirements for all tests
- Dates for upcoming trainings for all assessments
- Links to registrations

Best Practices for Selecting Your Testing Windows

1. Determine how many staff you will need *before* selecting your testing window.
2. Use as much of the state testing window as possible. Even if your school testing window is over, if you're within the state assessment window, you can continue testing.
3. Plan to test 100% of students in each content area.
4. Start as early in the state primary testing window as possible.
5. Adhere to the state testing window for make-up testing.

Update Master/School Directory

- http://www2.ride.ri.gov/Applications/MasterDirectory/Organization_Default.aspx
- RIDE uses roles in the master directory to create accounts in each test platform and update the assessment listserv.
- Updating your information requires two steps:
 1. Please email any changes to the test coordinator role to assessment@ride.ri.gov.
 2. Inform your data manager of changes to the Master Directory. Make sure the following roles are assigned, even if the title is something different:
 - District Test Coordinator
 - School Test Coordinator
 - Principal
 - Data Manager
 - Technology Coordinator/Manager
 - SSD Coordinator (for schools administering SAT and PSAT 10)
- Select **one primary role for each person**. Selecting multiple primary roles results in duplicate entries in the directory.
- Data Managers: contact Mario Goncalves at mario.goncalves@ride.ri.gov for help.

District Directory (example)

Organization Summary

Search For Organization Education Directory Reports



| LEA Information: | | Parent: | Status: Active |
|--------------------|--|---------------------|------------------|
| Name: Barrington | | Start Date: | End Date: |
| Code: 01 | | Grade Span: PK - 12 | Level: |
| Type: LEA | | RI Relay#: | TDD#: |
| NCES Code: 4400030 | | | Region: East Bay |
| Comments: | | | |


| Location(s): | Contact(s): | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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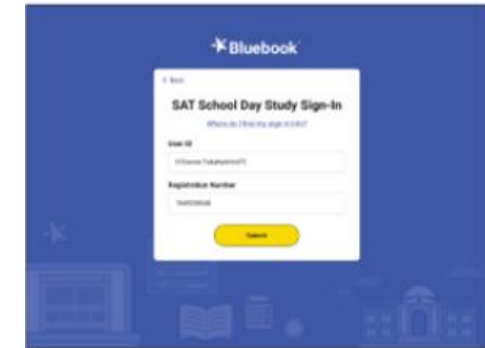
Individual Test Updates

2023-2024

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The New Digital SAT/PSAT

- State Assessment SAT and PSAT 10 testing window has been lengthened:
 - April 1-12 PRIMARY TESTING April 22-26 MAKEUP TESTING
- Students will be taking the assessment on the BlueBook app 
 - There are far more universal tools built into the Bluebook test application which can reduce accommodation requests
- NEW **Digital** test for Spring 2024
 - Previous SAT/PSAT testing was the "paper test" being accessed on the computer
 - Students requiring a paper test will be taking the original linear paper test
- Two stage adaptive test
 - Students will take 2 modules in each content:
 - Module 1 will determine the "route" of module 2
 - Students are not aware of the transition from module 1 to module 2
- Every student will have a unique test



Bluebook
(for Students)

[What You Need to Know About the New Digital SAT Suite Presentation \(May 2023\)](#)



[Overview of New Digital SAT Suite Webinar \(May 2023\)](#)

The New Digital SAT/PSAT

- **Test Day Toolkit (TDTK)** is replacing TIDE
- SSD Online will talk to TDTK and accommodations will automatically be linked
- Testing time for students has significantly decreased
- Number of questions has decreased
- Calculator is now allowable on entire test and does not require an accommodation request
- Flexibility to allow for multi grade testing rooms *if necessary*
- New test coordinators should contact College Board to ensure all important information is received [State Testing School Contact Update Form \(smartsheet.com\)](https://smartsheet.com)
- Educators who have children taking either the SAT or the PSAT this year:



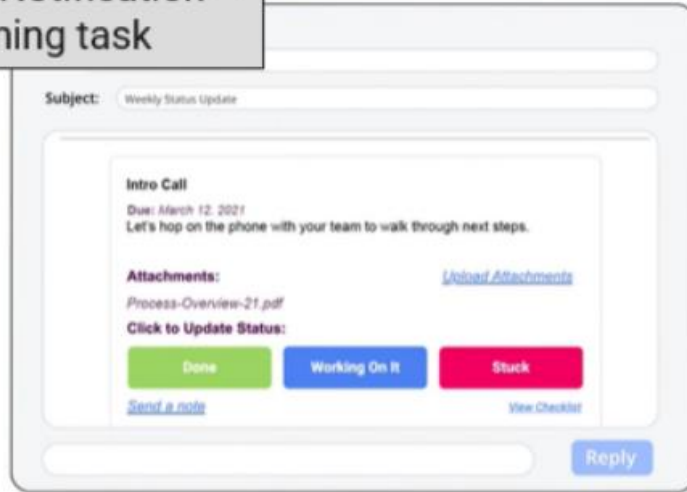
Test Day Toolkit
(for Test Coordinators and Proctors)

| Can proctor | Cannot proctor | Can be school test coordinator | Cannot be school test coordinator |
|--|--|--|--|
| I'm proctoring for SAT and my child is taking the PSAT 10 or vice versa. | I'm proctoring the same test my child is taking. | My child is taking the SAT or PSAT in another school | My child is taking the SAT or PSAT in the school which I am coordinating |

The New Digital SAT/PSAT

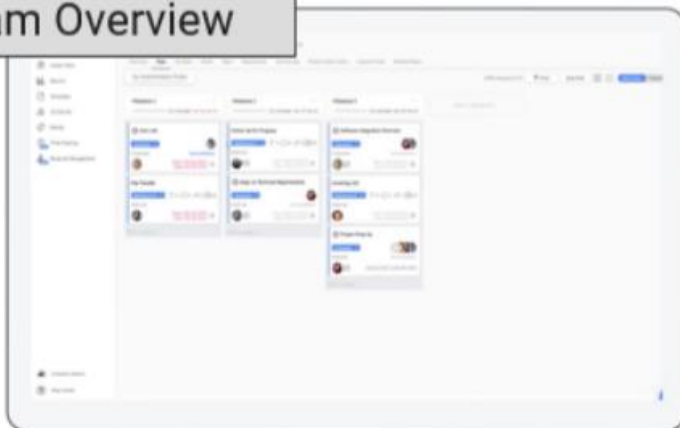
NEW for 2023-24! Monthly newsletters and interactive checklists from College Board

Email Notification –
upcoming task



College Board will be sending out monthly communication in the form of a newsletter and interactive checklist.

Program Overview




RICAS

www.ride.ri.gov/Assessment-Results

[PearsonAccess](#) Next

- RICAS ELA and mathematics 2023 item level data available now in the Early Release Reports in PearsonAccess^{Next}
 - These data files include raw scores and cannot not be reported publicly or used to predict proficiency levels.
- 2023 RICAS ELA and math item maps available now on the RIDE website www.ride.ri.gov/Released-Items
- Keep an eye out for student ISRs being delivered at the end of October
 - Support parents in using the Family Guide to Understanding RICAS
 - Remind parents to access their child's individualized Spotlight Video using the QR code on their ISR
 - Sample Videos are available on the RIDE website

<https://prod.spotlight-education.com/backend/videoReport/v-4P9fsqkKjYSKhvm.mp4>

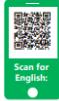
Spring 2023 RICAS Individual Student Report 

| | |
|----------------|-----------|
| Name: | District: |
| SASID: | School: |
| Date of Birth: | Grade: |

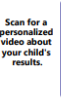
This report provides your child's results from the 2023 Rhode Island Comprehensive Assessment System (RICAS) tests in English Language Arts (reading and writing) and mathematics.

Information from the RICAS, in combination with other academic and social measures, will help educators assess grade-level placement, design specialized instruction, set learning goals, and monitor progress. These tests will allow schools, districts, and RIDE to identify where we need to take action to improve teaching and learning.


These tests help guide critical work to improve outcomes for students. We hope understanding your child's comprehension of ELA and mathematics knowledge and skills will empower you as an advocate for your child. For more information on how to better understand the results, visit <https://ride.ri.gov/instruction/assessment/assessment/assessment-results>.



Scan for English



Scan for a personalized video about your child's results.



Scan for Spanish

For each subject, the report shows:

- Your child's score between 440 and 560 and their achievement level
- How your child performed in reading and mathematics based on the test reporting categories
- A growth score that shows how your child performed compared to other students who scored similarly

Alternate Assessment: DLM

Teacher/test administrator training modules are available now:

1. Log in to Kite Educator Portal and click yes to the security agreement.
2. Wait a couple of hours for the Training site (Moodle) to update before logging in.
3. If teachers complete the modules now, they won't have to complete them in the spring.
4. To add teachers and create accounts, log in to Kite Educator Portal and select Users.

Alternate Assessment: One Percent and Revised Eligibility Criteria and Guidelines

September 26 and 27: Revised Eligibility Guidance and Criteria for Alternate Assessment

- Will cover why we revised the criteria and process we used to update it, how the new criteria and guidance differ from our current criteria and guidance, the timeline for LEAs to train educators, the process for training educators, and the timeline for implementation.
- **Registration:** <https://register.gotowebinar.com/rt/9130435149725106005>
 - September 26 (10:00 – 11:00 AM)
 - September 27 (2:00 – 3:00 PM)
- **Recording** will be posted at: www.ride.ri.gov/dlm.

NAEP - National Assessment of Educational Progress

New for 2023-34:

AMS (Assessment Management System)

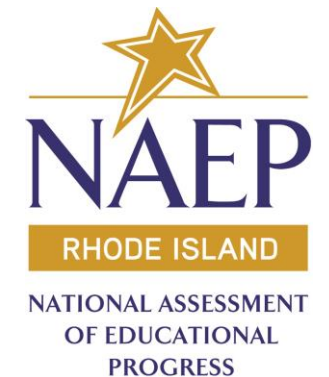
District & School Technology Coordinators added to NAEP Team

Assessments:

- State, National & Pilot
- Grade 8 TALIS (Teaching & Learning International Survey)
- Grade 4 & 8 Math & Reading
- Grade 8 Science
- Grade 12 Math & Reading includes High School Transcript Study

Rhode Island Sample:

- 50 Districts
- 157 Schools

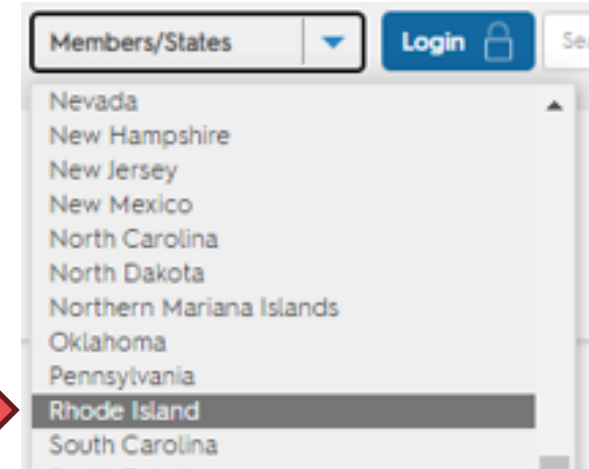


ACCESS & Alternate ACCESS: Getting Started

WIDA Home Page: <https://wida.wisc.edu/>

Testing Dates

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| 11/30/23-3/1/24 | WIDA AMS Test Setup Available for Registrations |
| 12/20/23 | Districts Receive Test Materials |
| 12/20/23-2/23/24 | Additional Test Material Ordering Window in WIDA AMS |
| 1/8/24-3/1/24 | Test Window |
| 3/8/24 | Deadline for Shipping Completed Test Materials to DRC |
| 4/29/24 | Reports and Data Files Available - Online in WIDA AMS |
| 5/17/24 | Reports Available in District - Printed |
| 9/16/24 | Alternate ACCESS Reports and Data Files Available - Online in WIDA AMS |
| 10/2/24 | Alternate ACCESS Reports Available in District - Printed |



Requirements and Resources

See below for state-specific information and resources related to ELL assessment, including your state's ACCESS for ELLs Checklist, where you can find each step in the ACCESS testing process from beginning to end.

[ACCESS for ELLs Online Checklist](#)

[ACCESS for ELLs Paper Checklist](#)

ACCESS & Alternate ACCESS: What's new?

- **WIDAAMS** enhancements, including refreshed student and test management applications, and new locations for score reports
- The **DRC INSIGHT** Secure Student Browser has been refreshed, for a more accessible student experience. This includes changes to navigation buttons, magnification and color contrast tools, and a simplified microphone check process
- Three redesigned ACCESS training courses now available:
 - The [Online ACCESS for ELLs: Administration](#) and [Paper ACCESS for ELLs: Administration](#) courses are completely redesigned
 - To support the redesigned Alternate ACCESS, WIDA significantly revised the [Alternate ACCESS: Administration and Scoring](#) training course.

Reference Information

Primary RIDE Website Resources

These websites are referenced the most in our state assessment guidance materials

| Webpage Name | Contents | Link |
|------------------------------------|--|--|
| RISAP Test Coordinator Information | Updates, memo archives, monthly webinar registration link and recording/presentation archive, help desk and general RISAP info | https://ride.ri.gov/TC |
| Assessment Schedules | State testing windows for all assessments | www.ride.ri.gov/assessment-schedules |
| Assessment Manuals & Materials | Manuals, guides, and links to assessment websites to support administration | https://ride.ri.gov/assessment-manuals |
| Statewide Assessment Training | Training requirements and resources for test coordinators and test administrators, training calendar | www.ride.ri.gov/Assessment-Training |
| Assessment Accommodations | Accommodations and Accessibility Features Manual, assessment-specific resources | www.ride.ri.gov/Accommodations |
| Assessment Exemptions | Information about medical exemptions | www.ride.ri.gov/assessment-exemptions |
| Assessment Results | Assessment reporting website resources and archive | www.ride.ri.gov/Assessment-Results |
| Released Items / Practice Tests | Released items, practice tests, and other resources | www.ride.ri.gov/Released-Items |

Assessment Office Resources

- Assessment Mailbox: assessment@ride.ri.gov
- Assessment Resources: www.ride.ri.gov/TC
 - Manuals: www.ride.ri.gov/assessment-manuals
 - Training: www.ride.ri.gov/assessment-training
 - Accommodations: www.ride.ri.gov/accommodations
- Assessment Data Portal:
 - Public Site: <https://www3.ride.ri.gov/ADP>
 - Confidential Site: <https://portal.ride.ri.gov/Account/Login>
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