Reminders on Cognia's MOY iMSSA Opening

The iMSSA MOY window opens on December 6, 2021 and runs through January 21, 2022. In preparation for administration, participating districts should be taking the following steps:

- Ensure all students are rostered for the assessment: The bulk upload window for rostering is open through December 3, 2021. Supports can be found on the Pre-ID file Upload tab of Cognia's Help and Support site.
- Review manuals for key information regarding administration. These can be found on the iMSSA manuals tab of the Help and Support site.
- Get familiar with the resources available to support communication, administration, and reporting related to the iMSSA on the Resources tab of the Help and Support Site.

SAT School Day Key Dates

A detailed timeline for the spring 2022 SAT School Day administration is now available on the Assessment website. This document lists important deadlines along with explanations, resources, and links to help test coordinators prepare for SAT testing this spring. Please share this with your school testing staff.

SAT Resources for Educators

This standards alignment document identifies which standards used in New Mexico align to which content dimensions assessed on the SAT. This can be used alongside the SAT Suite Question Bank, a set of thousands of real test questions, which can be filtered and exported for more targeted formative assessments.

We have developed two freely available, self-paced Canvas modules, one for ELA teachers and one for math teachers, that explain how best to use the SAT Suite Question Bank in the classroom for both formative and summative purposes.

Mark your Calendar: December ACCESS for ELLs Q&A Webinars

Please join WIDA and DRC to learn about the following ACCESS for ELLs topics:

- **During Testing: Managing Test Sessions – ACCESS Online**
  Tuesday, December 7, 12:00 PM-1:00 PM
- **During Testing: Managing Students in WIDA AMS – ACCESS Paper**
  Tuesday, December 14, 12:00 PM-1:00pm PM

More information and login details can be found in the WIDA Secure Portal on the Webinars page.

Dyslexia Screening Data

This is a reminder that evidence showing all eligible students have screened for dyslexia must be updated in the STARs system prior to the 80th day reporting window. For more information on how to ensure your data is reflected accurately in STARs, please contact the STARs Help Desk.

ACCESS for ELLs Test Administrator Manual: Page Missing from Print Version

The print copy of the ACCESS for ELLs Test Administrator Manual has an incomplete version of the **WIDA Writing Rubric Pre-K – Kindergarten**, which is located in the appendix. When scoring the Kindergarten ACCESS Writing test, test administrators should either refer to the online version of the ACCESS for ELLs Test Administrator Manual, located in the WIDA Secure Portal, or the standalone WIDA Writing Rubric Pre-K – Kindergarten, located in the Resource Library on the WIDA website. A link to this resource may also be found in the Kindergarten ACCESS for ELLs: Administration and Scoring training course, accessed through the WIDA Secure Portal.

Virtual Office Hours for DTCs

The Assessment Bureau will host office hours for District Test Coordinators to address any outstanding questions or issues on Friday, December 3rd and Friday, December 17 from 8:00-9:00 AM. The open office hours can be accessed here.

For questions about newsletter content, please email: PED.Assessment@state.nm.us