

Oregon State Board of Education
September 22, 2016

<p>SUBJECT: 2015-16 state assessment results STAFF NAME & OFFICE: Derek Brown, Jon Wiens, Assessment and Accountability</p> <p>SUMMARY: ODE staff will provide a briefing to summarize the 2015-16 state assessment results. In addition, ODE staff will compare results to the previous year, and will discuss the results relative to achievement gaps across student groups.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> New Rule <input type="checkbox"/> Amend Existing Rule <input type="checkbox"/> Repeal Rule</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Consent Agenda <input type="checkbox"/> First Reading <input type="checkbox"/> Action (Adoption) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Information</p>
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BACKGROUND

In 2013, the State Board of Education adopted Smarter Balanced as Oregon’s state assessments aligned to the Common Core State Standards in English language arts (ELA) and mathematics. During this briefing, ODE staff will provide information based on 2015-16 state ELA and mathematics assessment results. These results represent the second operational year of the new assessments. Analysis will include an explanation of participation rates and comparisons of student group performance. In addition, ODE staff will discuss patterns and trends in the data over the first two years of the new assessments. Lastly, ODE staff will provide information about similarities and differences observed in achievement gaps based on the new tests.

SUMMARY OF PREVIOUS BOARD ACTION

N/A

POLICY ISSUE OR CONCERNS (IF APPLICABLE)

N/A

CHANGED SINCE LAST BOARD MEETING? (IF APPLICABLE)

- N/A; first read—hasn’t been before board
- No; same as last month
- Yes – As follows:

EFFECT OF A “YES” OR “NO” VOTE (AS APPROPRIATE)

N/A

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

- Approve Approve next month No recommendation at this time

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Hearing Date:

Prompted by:

State law changes Federal law changes other

FISCAL ANALYSIS (AS APPROPRIATE)

N/A

ATTACHMENTS (e.g., OAR with “track changes” ...)

N/A