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GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Test Delivery System (TDS) Access

ODE has determined that access to the Test Delivery System (TDS) will not be permitted at this time due to statewide school closures. Notification will be posted when the TDS system is reopened and testing may resume. TIDE and ORS will remain available during this time.

ESSENTIAL SKILLS

Spring AESRP Meeting on April 10, 2020 REPEAT

The spring Assessment of Essential Skills Review Panel (AESRP) meeting will be **April 10, 2020, 9 -10:30 a.m.**, via webinar. Please <u>register</u> to attend the meeting.

All meetings of the Assessment of Essential Skills Review Panel are open to the public and will conform to Oregon public meetings laws. The upcoming meeting schedule and materials from past meetings are posted on the <u>ODE Essential Skills homepage</u>.

For more information, please see the article posted in the <u>March 12</u> <u>A&A Update</u>. If you have further questions or potential topics of discussion, contact <u>Tony Bertrand</u> at 503-947-5830.

ACCOUNTABILITY & REPORTING

Informal Accountability Webinars

ODE hosts a webinar on the last Tuesday of every month to discuss accountability topics. There is an on-going open call to submit questions and topics of interest for the agenda. This could include sharing accountability-related research or practices being implemented in schools and districts.

If you have a topic that you would like to add to the agenda, please submit it through the "<u>Informal Accountability Webinar Open Call</u> <u>Agenda form</u>" or via email. The agenda for our **March 31** webinar is provided below:

- Welcome and meeting agenda (2 minutes)
- News relating to assessments and accountability
- Open call for next discussion topics
- Adjourn

Please note that the webinar length will be flexible depending on content, with a minimum of 5-10 minutes up to a maximum of one hour.

When you <u>register</u> to participate you will automatically be registered for all webinar dates in the series (for convenience). You are encouraged but not required to attend every webinar. Here are the upcoming webinar dates:

- Tue, Apr 28, 2020 2:00 PM 3:00 PM PDT
- Tue, May 26, 2020 2:00 PM 3:00 PM PDT

If you have any questions or comments about this webinar series, please reach out to <u>Jon Wiens</u> at 503-947-5764.