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Weekly Count of Administered TESTS

Final Numbers as of April 26, 2016

	STARTED	COMPLETED
ELA CAT	203,145	175,111
MATH CAT	66,707	52,707
ELA PT	157,415	120,677
MATH PT	57,702	52,017
Science	91,534	89,363
Social Sciences	2,679	2,195
TOTAL	579,182	492,070

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IMPORTANT DATES FOR THE WEEKS AND MONTHS AHEAD	
JANUARY 5 - JUNE 10	OAKS Online Testing Window for Science and Social Sciences
FEBRUARY 9 - JUNE 10	Smarter Balanced Testing Window for English Language Arts (ELA) and Mathematics
FEBRUARY 18 - MAY 13	OAKS Extended Assessment Data Entry Window for ELA, Mathematics, and Science
APRIL 21 - MAY 16	Report Validation Window for Institutions for Accountability Reports 2015-16
APRIL 21 - MAY 27	Collection Window for Third Period Cumulative ADM 2015-16
APRIL 28	REMINDER: Deadline for Data Entry of Grade 12 OAKS Extended Assessments (to be scored and posted on May 13)
MAY 2 - 13	Logramos Test Window
MAY 10 @ 2 PM	Webinar: Training for Student Centered Staging (Editing/Checking Assessment Data)
MAY 11 @ 2 PM	Webinar: Training for Freshman On-Track Collection 2015-16 NEW
MAY 12 @ 2 PM	Webinar: Training for Annual Cumulative ADM Collection 2015-16 NEW
MAY 12 - JUNE 27	Collection Window for Class Roster 2015-16
MAY 13 @ NOON	REMINDER: Last day for submitting requests for new school status on Report Cards due to boundary or grade changes
MAY 13	REMINDER: Last day for transmitting OAKS Extended Assessment results to ODE NEW
MAY 19 - JULY 11	Collection Window for Freshman On-Track 2015-16 NEW
MAY 19 - JULY 11	Collection Window for Annual Cumulative ADM 2015-16 NEW

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Test Administration

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No articles this week

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Extended Assessment: Grade 12 Performance Scores

Grade 12 Extended Assessment data entered after April 28, 2016 will be available **May 27, 2016**. For additional information, please contact Brad Lenhardt at Brad.Lenhardt@state.or.us.

■ KINDERGARTEN ASSESSMENT

No articles this week

■ SMARTER BALANCED

ELA Performance Tasks Have a Variable Number of Items

AIR has received inquiries regarding the number of items on ELA Performance Tasks. While the Test Administration Manual notes that Performance Tasks have four items, some PT forms only have three. ELA Performance Tasks have two parts. In Part 1, students read sources and answer **two or three** research questions. During Part 2 (the full write) of PTs, students will provide a written response using those sources.

Smarter Balanced Participation Rules for 2015-16 **REPEAT**

For the 2014-15 administration of the Smarter Balanced English Language Arts and Mathematics assessments, ODE counted as participants all students who responded to at least five items on the computer adaptive (CAT) portion of the assessment and at least one item on the performance task (PT). Students who did not meet this threshold were considered non-participants.

The participation rule will be revised for the 2015-16 administration of Smarter Balanced. To be considered a participant **in 2015-16**, a student must respond to:

- at least five items on the computer adaptive (CAT) portion of the assessment; **OR**
- at least one item on the performance task (PT) portion of the assessment.

Students who do not meet this threshold will be considered non-participants. This change does not affect the participation rules for the statewide Science assessment or for the statewide Alternate (Extended) Assessments.

All students who are participants will be assigned a performance level and will be included in calculations of academic achievement for accountability reports. ODE is in the process of determining when a partially completed test will receive a score. Students who are participants but did not respond to a sufficient number of items to receive a score will be assigned a performance level of 1 with no recorded score.

If you have questions about this change from last year, please contact Jon Wiens at jon.wiens@ode.state.or.us or 503-947-5764.

■ SCIENCE AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

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Accessibility Supports

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Essential Skills

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