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GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

"DTC Roadmap" Now Available REPEAT

In response to the large number of DTCs new to their role, ODE is pleased to release the new "Roadmap for DTCs" resource on the Test Administration webpage. The DTC Roadmap is designed to summarize all of the roles and responsibilities of a DTC, as well as resources available to support DTCs in their work. While the DTC Roadmap does not replace any manuals or user guides, it does include a comprehensive set of links to all resources, a printable "year at-a-glance" section, and a list of acronyms used in the work of statewide assessment. ODE wishes to thank each of the DTCs and ESD Partners who reviewed the DTC Roadmap – this resource is more accurate and complete as a result of this collaboration!

For DTCs new to their role in 2022-23, ODE will be facilitating a set of "New DTC Orientation" webinars in September and October based on the contents and structure of the DTC Roadmap. Information about the "New DTC Orientation" will be coming soon.

Please direct any questions or comments about the DTC Roadmap to Andrew Byerley, Math Assessment Specialist.

DTC Fact Finder and Webinar Registration Available REPEAT

Each year, DTCs must complete required training. Among other ingredients, this includes completion of a Fact Finder, participation in an ODE-facilitated DTC Webinar, and completion of required DTC Training Modules. The 2022-23 DTC Fact Finder and ODE-facilitated webinar registrations are now available on the Assessment Training Materials page and also linked in this announcement; the 2022-23 DTC Training Modules are still being finalized and will be updated on or prior to October 3.

DTC Webinar registration links:

- November 1, 2022
- November 2, 2022
- November 3, 2022

DTC Webinar REPEAT

This optional webinar series is an important communication channel between ODE and DTCs. News, updates, and problems of practice will be discussed. ODE recommends that all DTCs attend. The webinars are held on the second Wednesday of each month through June 2023, from 10-11 a.m.

- September 14, 2022
- October 12, 2022
- November 9, 2022
- December 14, 2022
- January 11, 2023
- February 8, 2023
- March 8, 2023
- April 12, 2023
- May 10, 2023
- June 14, 2023

DTC Webinar link and logon information will be sent out at noon the day before the webinar via DTC listserv.

Please contact Crys Plattner, Assessment Administrative Support, with questions or concerns.

TEST ADMINISTRATION

INTERIM ASSESSMENT

2022-2023 Interim Assessments Now Available

The statewide test window for the Oregon Interim Assessments in ELA, Math, and Science is now open for the 2022-2023 school year. Schools and districts may administer these assessments to students in-person or remotely. To assist with questions regarding test administration, viewing scores and results, hand-scoring items, and Tools for Teachers, refer to ODE's Interim Assessment webpage.

As a reminder, test administrators (TAs) must be assigned the "Interim" test group in TIDE by their District Test Coordinator (DTC) or School Test Coordinator (STC). TAs must complete Training Module 8 - Interims: Remote Administration and Test Security prior to the DTC/STC granting permission to the "Interim" test group in TIDE.

Contact the appropriate member of ODE's Assessment Team with any questions (Tony Bertrand, ELA; Andrew Byerley, Math and Science).

MATHEMATICS

Now Recruiting for Math Item and Achievement Level Descriptor (ALD) Review Workshop REPEAT

ODE and Smarter Balanced are recruiting Oregon educators to apply for the fall Math Item and ALD Review workshop, held virtually from October 17 - 20. Educators not under contract at the time of the workshop will be compensated. Educators who are under contract will have substitute/guest teacher costs reimbursed. Interested educators can apply directly with Smarter Balanced: https://recruitment.smarterbalanced.org/apply/.

ACCOUNTABILITY & REPORTING

2021-22 At-A-Glance Narrative Data Collection Closes September 16, 2022

The At-A-Glance Narrative Data Collection will **close on September 16, 2022**. The At-A-Glance Narrative Data Collection is located within the Achievement Data Insight (ADI) application.

At-A-Glance Narratives must be submitted, not just saved, before ODE will publish them. You will see a row of green checkmarks on the maintenance page when the narrative sections for your institution(s) are successfully submitted.

Training on how to submit the At-A-Glance Narrative was conducted on June 9, and a recording is available. If you have questions regarding the At-A-Glance Narrative Data Collection, please contact Bianca Llamas or your Regional ESD Partner.