LEN ELPAC Updates:

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ELPAC Updates

Summative Reminders

Test Form Assignments and Estimated Testing Times

- To check the Summative ELPAC or the Summative Alternate ELPAC form assignment for your LEA, use the lookup tool on the ELPAC website.
  - There are additional field test forms and *Directions for Administration* (*DFA*) for the 2023–24 Summative ELPAC.
- Estimated Testing Times for each form are also on ELPAC website.

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Summative Alternate ELPAC Reminders

Summative Alternate ELPAC Second Scoring

- Second scoring is a required task
- Resources are available for schools selected for second scoring
- Submission of second scores go into the Data Entry Interface (DEI) in the moment
- Second scoring plays a crucial role in the reliability of the assessment



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Reclassifcation Reminders

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Criterion 4: Basic Skills Relative to English Proficient Students

- ELA scores, CAA for ELA, LEA benchmarks, or other assessments by LEA that measure ELA can be used
- Can be measured by set score point or point span
- The comparison of performance in basic skills that demonstrates whether the student is sufficiently proficient in English and ready to effectively participate in curriculum designed for students whose native language is English



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Reclassification Using Prior Year's ELPAC Results

When a student meets all four reclassification criteria using the 2022–23 ELPAC results (Summative ELPAC: Overall Level 4 and the Summative Alternate ELPAC: Overall Level 3) **before** the end of the 2023–24 administration window the student can be reclassified and should not be administered the ELPAC in 2023-24.

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Using 2022–23 ELPAC Results for Reclassification

- A student reclassified July 1, 2023, through May 31, 2024, using 2022-23 results:
  - will count towards the 2023-24 reclassification rates
  - will not be included in the 2023-24 participation rate



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ELPAC Interim Assessments

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Purpose and Features of the ELPAC Interim Assessments

Purpose: To improve teaching and learning in the classroom

Features:

- They are optional
- Individual tests are designed to fit in a 50-minute class period and are untimed
- Utilize the same performance level descriptors and scale scores as the summative assessments
- Can be administered in any order
- Can be administered in a standardized or non-standardized manner



Instructional Uses of the ELPAC Interim Assessments

- **Instructional Uses:**
  - with students in the classroom to help support teaching and learning
  - to monitor student progress toward English language proficiency
  - nonstandardized ways to support the formative assessment process
  - professional learning purposes
- IAs are considered secure materials.
- Also keep in mind that the California Education Code prohibits the use of interim assessments for any high-stakes purpose



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2023-24 ELPAC IA Statewide Data

- LEAs: 663
- Started Domain: 257,646
- Completed Doma… 193,889



Santa Barbrara County- 9 LEAs administered ELPAC Interim Assessments

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ELPAC IA Use: Preliminary Feedback

- Provide first time access to IAs for grades K-2
- Teachers are discussing student writing for the ELPAC IAs in their PLCs
- Incorporated into daily instruction
- Non-standardized examples:
  - The IA viewing system is being used for whole group instruction
  - Conducting the Writing Tasks on paper so that teachers can provide feedback to students

The CDE is interested in gathering more feedback, more to come on this process.



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Get Involved

- We are currently looking for educators who would like to participate in data review meetings this summer for the CSA and ELPAC.
- The ELPAC and Alternate ELPAC Opportunities to Get Involved web page on the ELPAC website: https://www.elpac.org/getinvolved/.
  - When you navigate to the Get Involved web page, you will find information on how to apply for these opportunities.

ETS

CAASPP & ELPAC Test Security Audits

- Starting with the 2023–24 test administration year, the test security audit process will change to a three-tiered process:
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- Tier 1—Online Audit Survey
- Tier 2—Virtual Meeting
- Tier 3—In-person Visit

Announcements

Batalla de los libros

Santa Barbara County Education Office
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Tuesday, May 21, 2024

9:30 am - 11:30 am

Multilingual and DLI

Students in Grades 4-6

$7/student WITH portal contract

$12/student WITHOUT portal contract

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World Languages

with
Dr. Margaret Peterson

April 25th
at SBCEO
8:30-3pm