CMAS & CoAlt Technology Overview

Mathematics, English Language Arts, Science, and Social Studies

This information applies to all CMAS content areas and CoAlt Science and Social Studies. Refer to the following sites for updates leading up to the spring administration:

- Pearson - https://support.assessment.pearson.com/TN
- CDE - https://ed.cde.state.co.us/assessment/newassess-dtc

Additional information regarding technology updates is shared with District Assessment Coordinators and District Technology Coordinators through *DAC* and *DTC* emails from CDE.

Student Testing

TestNav is the application students use to take the CMAS assessments.

- Browsers cannot be used for testing – the TestNav App must be used.
- TestNav App downloads are available at https://download.testnav.com and in device app stores.

Students can use the following devices for CMAS testing this spring (refer to *TestNav System Requirements* for details):

- Desktop/laptop computers
- Chromebooks
- iPads

System Requirements - https://support.assessment.pearson.com/display/TN/TestNav+System+Requirements

Test Administration

LaunchPad and **ADAM** are the CMAS and CoAlt assessment management systems districts and schools use to manage student data, order materials, coordinate administration of assessments, indicate accountability coding, and view assessment results. The systems are used for both online and paper-based testing.

- LaunchPad - https://launchpad.pearson.com > Colorado
    - Assessment Coordinators have LaunchPad accounts to manage student rostering and non-student user accounts. LaunchPad is also used as an SSO to access ADAM to indicate student testing details and enter the Adobe LMS to access administration training and DAC forms.
- ADAM Test Proctoring - https://ltr-tester.adamexam.com/proctor
    - Assessment Coordinators provide Proctor Cards to Test Administrators so they can access the dashboard used to manage live testing. Test Administrators do not need accounts.

Technology Readiness

- Use the Training Administrations available in ADAM to access a CMAS practice administration
    - CDE strongly suggests schools test their equipment with secure practice forms
- Directions for setting up the CMAS Training Administration shared with District Technology Coordinators
    - Device set up - https://support.assessment.pearson.com/display/TN/Set+up+and+Use+TestNav