# State Board of Education Meeting
## September 16, 2015

### Assessment Update

- **New Business – Action**
    - ACCUPLACER Participation Criteria
    - Standard Setting (ECA CCRA, NCSC)

- **Discussion and Reports**
    - Assessment Update Presentation
        - Testing Time Estimates
            - Comparison Charts
        - Test Administration Modes
        - Building the New Grade 10 ISTEP+ Test
        - ECA Phase-Out
        - Alternate Assessment
        - Support for Educators
        - Formative Assessment
            - Updates as of 9-15-15

    - ISTEP+ Spring 2015
        - IDOE Proposed Timeline for Release of Data

    - Transfer of Information and Data from CTB to Pearson

# Test Administration Times – Based on Early Estimates for 2016
## *2016 to 2014 Comparisons*
### (Time in Hours)

## *Combined Part 1 and Part 2*

Important Notes:

- 2014 test assessed previous standards (2000 Mathematics, 2006 English/Language Arts)

- 2016 test assesses new 2014 college- and career-ready Indiana Academic Standards
  - 2016 figures are *early estimates*
  - final testing times determined after items selected to create test forms (Late Fall)

| Content Area | Grade 3 | | Grade 4 | | Grade 5 | | Grade 6 | | Grade 7 | | Grade 8 | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Spring 2016 | Spring 2014 | Spring 2016 | Spring 2014 | Spring 2016 | Spring 2014 | Spring 2016 | Spring 2014 | Spring 2016 | Spring 2014 | Spring 2016 | Spring 2014 |
| Mathematics | 2 | 1.5 | 2 | 1.5 | 2 | 1.5 | 2 | 1.5 | 2 | 1.5 | 2 | 1.5 |
| English/Language Arts | 3.75 | 3.25 | 3.75 | 3.25 | 3.75 | 3.25 | 3.75 | 3.25 | 3.75 | 3.25 | 3.75 | 3.25 |
| Science | | | 1.75 | 1.5 | | | 1.75 | 1.5 | | | | |
| Social Studies | | | | | 1.6 | 1.5 | | | 1.6 | 1.5 | | |

# Test Administration Times – Based on Early Estimates for 2016
## *ISTEP+ Grade 10 to ECA Comparisons*
### (Time in Hours)

### *Combined Part 1 and Part 2*

Important Notes:

- 2014 test assessed previous standards (2000 Mathematics, 2006 English/Language Arts)

- 2015 test addressed transition from previous standards to new standards

- 2016 test assesses new 2014 college- and career-ready Indiana Academic Standards
    - 2016 figures are *early estimates*
    - final testing times determined after items selected to create test forms (Late Fall)
    - Grade 10 ISTEP+: operational field test for all three content areas; adds to Gr. 3-8 vertical scale

| Content Area | ISTEP+ Grade 10 | ECA CCRA | ECA |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Spring 2016 | Spring 2015 | Spring 2014 |
| Mathematics | 2.5 | 2.75 | 1.8 |
| English/Language Arts | 4 | 3.75 | 1.8 |
| Science | 2 | 1 | 1 |

# Formative Assessment Test Grant
*Updates as of September 15, 2015*

| School-Level Counts Grades 3-10 | | |
| --- | --- | --- |
| *Number of schools eligible to apply for the grant: 2588* | As of 9/8/15 | As of 9/15/15 |
| Number of schools submitted *Request to Participate* form | 940 | 1,372 |

| School-Level Counts Grades K-2 | | |
| --- | --- | --- |
| *Number of schools eligible to apply for the grant: 1,571* | As of 9/8/15 | As of 9/15/15 |
| Number of schools submitted *Request to Participate* form | 405 | 627 |

| Corporation-Level Counts | | |
| --- | --- | --- |
| *Number of corporations eligible to apply for the grant: 525 (includes school corporations and charter/Choice/nonpublic schools)* | As of 9/8/15 | As of 9/15/15 |
| Submitted Status | 330 | 420 |
| Started Status | 127 | 93 |

## ISTEP+ Spring 2015
## IDOE Proposed Timeline for Release of Data

| # | Date(s) | Action |
|---|---------|--------|
| 1 | October 5-8 | Cut Score Setting |
| 2 | October 14 | SBOE cut score approval |
| 3 | Ongoing | CTB staff provide ISTEP+ Validity Study support for SBOE-requested studies.* |
| 4 | Week of October 19 | Individual Parent Invitation Code Letters printed and shipped to corporations.  (Only hard copy; no electronic PDFs of the letters will be made available electronically in INORS.) |
| 5 | November 2 | Release preliminary data file to Damian Betebenner for growth concordance work to begin.  In parallel, final quality checks (QC) on this file will be in progress by IDOE and CTB teams. |
| 6 | November 5-6 | IDOE and CTB teams conduct Parent Network reporting quality checks and data quality checks. |
| 7 | November 9 | Scoring information from CTB should have been distributed by LEAs to parents by this date.  Information will include scale scores, performance level, and points possible/earned. |
| 8 | November 9 – November 13 | Parent Rescore Request Window: Parents will be able to notify CTB of rescore requests via electronic request form. |
| 9 | November 16 – December 1 | CTB conducts handscoring based on rescore requests. |
| 10 | December 2-9 | CTB incorporates rescore results into data calculations. |
| 11 | December 7 | IDOE and CTB teams conduct data quality checks on data file. |
| 12 | December 8 | Release of final data file to Damian Betebenner for growth concordance work to begin |
| 13 | December 8 | Release of final results electronically (data file only) to schools *(incorporates all data, including rescore request results)* |
| 14 | December 16-18 | IDOE and CTB teams conduct online reporting quality checks. |
| 15 | December 22 | Release of final results electronically (PN and INORS launch) to schools and parents *(incorporates all data, including rescore request results)* |

*This work may affect the timeline.