CULTIVATING STUDENTS' POTENTIAL

with Data Advancements

NSCAS Roster Review Maggie Sis November 8, 2023

NSCAS and ELPA Assessments

NSCAS Growth & General Science

- NWEA/MAP Growth
- Fall, Winter, and Spring Administrations
- General Science in the Spring only

NSCAS Alternate Assessment

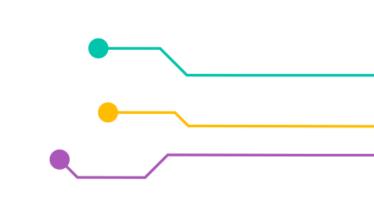
- DRC/INSIGHT
- Intended for Students with the Most Significant Cognitive Disabilities (Typically About 1% or less of the population)
- Spring Administration only

NSCAS ACT Assessment

- ACT/PearsonAccess next (PA Next or PAN)
- Spring Administration only

• ELPA21 and Alternate ELPA

- Cambium Assessment
- Spring Administration (Feb-Mar)



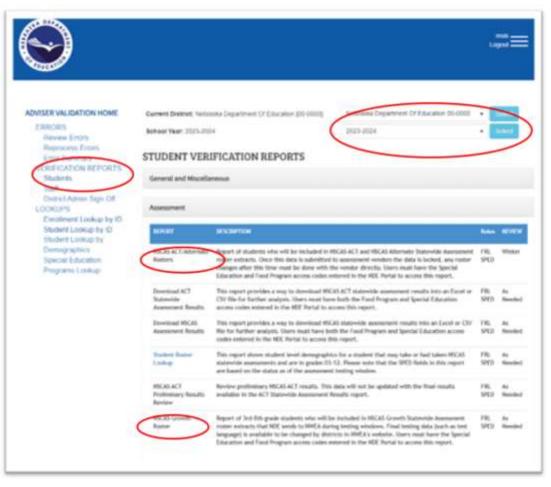
ADVISER English Language Testing

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ADVISER VALIDATION HOME ERRORS Review Errors Reprocess Errors Error Errors VERIFICATION REPORTS Students	Current District: Nebraska Department Of Education (00-0000) Nebraska Department Of School Year: 2023-2024 STUDENT VERIFICATION REPORTS General and Miscellaneous	r Education 00-0000 • Desta	
District Admin Sign Off LOOKUPS	Assessment	REPORT DESCRIPTION	REVIEW
		Dominant Language Summary of dominant language reported, with detailed student lists available.	Fall & Year-End
		English Language Report of students who will be included in English language testing (ELPA21) Testing preprinted labels extract.	Prior to Extract Date (December/January)
		English Learner Report lists all students reported with an English Learners Program and lists them as Status Report Eligible Districtionation and/or Redesignated This report does not work in the 2018	Fall, Year-End

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English Learner Status Report	Report lists all students reported with an English Learners Program and lists them as Eligible, Participating, and/or Redesignated. This report does not work in the 2018- 2019 Year.	Fall, Year-End
English Learner Cohort Lookup by Student Id	Look up English Learner Cohort	Any Time
ELPA Assessment Download	This report provides a way to download ELPA Statewide Assessment results into an Excel or CSV file for further analysis. Users must have both the Food Program and Special Education access codes entered in the NDE Portal to access this report.	As Needed

ADVISER Roster Reports

*You may need to obtain the SPED & FRL codes from your district admin



ADVISER Roster Reports

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DATA ELEMENTS

BIRTHDATE
STUDENT_GENDER
ETHNIC_CODE
SPED
PRIMARY_DISABILITY
EL
LOCK_DATE



- ADVISER Data Requirements
 - Grade level 3 8
 - Full-time Equivalency (FTE) is 51% or higher
 - Alternate Assessment field coded "NO" in the SPED record
 - School of Record and School of Attendance

NSCAS Alternate Assessment

- ADVISER Data Requirements
 - Grade level 3 8 or 3rd-Year High School Cohort (2025)
 - Full-time Equivalency (FTE) is 51% or higher
 - Alternate Assessment field coded "YES" in the SPED record
 - School of Record and School of Attendance

NSCAS ACT Assessment

- ADVISER Data Requirements
 - 3rd-Year High School Cohort (2025)
 - NOT grade level
 - Full-time Equivalency (FTE) is 51% or higher
 - Alternate Assessment field coded "NO" in the SPED record



2023-2024 NSCAS Roster Review Process

Roster Review Deadline is 1/8/2024

After the Jan 8th review deadline

Districts are responsible for

- 1. Publishing student data updates to ADVISER Validation regularly, more often closer to the spring administration
- 2. Add/Update student data in the appropriate vendor test system when student management opens
 - a. Create records for new students
 - b. Add a Not Tested Code to students who have left your district (with the expectation of NSCAS Growth students that are transferred within Acacia Manage)
- 3. During the test window for the NSCAS Growth, I will be running verifications on the NTC codes

ADVISER Rosters Reports

Exempt (Home)School Students

Review the <u>Exempt Schools – School District Report</u> within the <u>Data</u> <u>Collections</u> area of the <u>NDE portal</u> for submission status of the exempt (home) school students. A "submitted" or "pending" status on the report can be coded in ADVISER with a 205 enrollment code in their SIS/SRS/ADVISER.

External Program Students

Districts should be in direct contact with the Rule 18/ESU/Contracted Agencies to ensure your students attending these programs participate in NSCAS testing.

In the January roster file, ensure these students are listed under their Reporting School.

NSCAS Test Windows

2023 - 2024 NSCAS Testing Windows (partner 10/21/2022)

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NSCAS Growth - Fall (Optional for Options)	August 7, 2023	August 21, 2023 - September 29, 2023	NK
SCAS Growth - Winter (Optional for Ontorica)	November 33,2023	December 5, 2023 - January 26, 2024 (he bidleg bid 29 - 44 1)	NA
EUPA23 Alternate EUPA	January 19, 2024	February 5, 2028 - March 15, 2028	Case by Case*
NSCAS Growth General Science NSCAS Alternate	Mamh 11, 2028	April 1, 2028 - May 10, 2028	April 26, 2024
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2023-2024 NSCAS Testing Windows

* Please reach out to the NDE's Title XVESPA Office staff to help determine if a new or ewiting student should participate in testing.

NSCAS Key Dates

KEY DATES	START	END
NWEA: NSCAS Growth Winter Test Window	12/4/2023	1/26/2024
All Spring Admin NSCAS & ELPA roster reviews in ADVISER Validation	11/8/2023	1/8/2024
NSCAS ACT: Open Enrollment Review in PA Next (to have bar codes)	1/15/2024	2/9/2024
NSCAS ACT: Late Enrollment Review (no bar codes)	2/12/2024	4/12/2024
NSCAS Alternate: student/test admin opens in INSIGHT	TBD	5/10/2024
NSCAS Growth: spring student/test admin opens in Acacia	3/11/2024	5/10/2024
NSCAS ACT: Test Administration Training - Paper Testing (Session 1)	10 am CT	12/5/2023
NSCAS ACT: Test Administration Training - Online Testing (Session 2)	10 am CT	2/6/2024
NSCAS Growth: Test Administration Q&A	10:30 - 11:30 am CT	3/7/2023
NSCAS Alternate Test Administration Workshop #1	TBD	TBD
NSCAS Alternate Test Administration Workshop #2 (repeat of workshop #1)	TBD	TBD

ELPA21Key Dates

Date	Event
October 26, 2023-October 27, 2023*	TIDE Offline for Updates
October 30, 2023	Initial Order Window for ELPA21 Summative Paper, Large Print, and Braille Tests (via Help Desk) Opens
November 16, 2023	Initial Order Window for ELPA21 Summative Paper, Large Print, and Braille Tests (via Help Desk) Closes
November 30, 2023	Updated ELPA21 Summative Training Modules Available
January 2, 2024	Kindergarten ELPA21 Screener Window Opens
January 8, 2024	ELPA21 K-12 Roster Due Date
January 22, 2024	ELPA21 Accommodated Materials Arrive in Districts
January 16, 2024	Additional Order Window for ELPA21 Summative Paper, Large Print, and Braille Tests (via Help Desk) Opens
February 5, 2024	ELPA21 Summative Test Window Opens
February 5, 2024	Entering Alt ELPA & ELPA21 Non-Participation Codes in TIDE Window Opens
February 5, 2024	Alt ELPA Test Window Opens
March 8, 2024	Additional Order Window for ELPA21 Summative Paper, Large Print, and Braille Tests (via Help Desk Closes
March 15, 2024	ELPA21 Summative Test Window Closes
March 15, 2024	Last Day to Ship ELPA21 Summative Paper Test Materials Back to Measurement Inc.
March 15, 2024	Alt ELPA Test Window Closes
March 29, 2024	Deadline to Enter Alt ELPA & ELPA21 Non-Participation Codes in TIDE
May 6, 2024	ELPA21 Summative Scores Released
TBD	Alt ELPA Scores Released
July 12, 2024	2023-24 ELPA21 Screener Window Closes (includes Future Kindergarten and Kindergarten Screener

NSCAS Resources

NDE Statewide Assessment Website

https://www.education.ne.gov/assessment/

NWEA-NE Assessment Portal

Assessment Portal

Scroll to bottom of page for additional resources

NSCAS Growth Resources to Date

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<u>INSIGHT</u>

All resources are within their test system, you must have a login/password for access

ACT

ACT state testing webpage

ELPA21

ELPA21 Resources

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QUESTIONS?