Education Partners in Support of Plan

- AFT-Missouri
- Missouri Association of Elementary School Principals
- Missouri Association of School Administrators
- Missouri Association of Secondary School Principals
- Missouri National Education Association
- Missouri School Boards’ Association
- Missouri State Teachers Association
Characteristics of New Proposal

• Allows for more instructional time
• Funds local access to formative/interim resources
  • grades 3-8 ELA and math
• Funds one NCAA compliant administration of the ACT®
  • to be bid
  • Each Missouri 11th grade student
• Maintains EOC assessments
  • Algebra I, Algebra II (for students taking Algebra I at middle level),
  English II, Biology, Government, and Personal Finance
• Produces valid, reliable, and quick MAP results
• Maintains Missouri Growth Model and federal compliance
• Maintains federal compliance
5th and 8th grade science

- Spring 2014 online field test
- Online version of our current grade-level science assessments
- Based on current GLEs and test designs
- Administration platform will be same as English language arts and mathematics
- 10 business day score turnaround
11th grade students

ACT® with writing

Accommodations will be available

Valid administration for NCAA, scholarships, and admissions

Single state administration date in March or April 2015

Makeup date exactly 10 business days after the state administration date

College and career ready measure
End-of-Course (EOC) Assessments

- Operational Summative Assessments for accountability purposes in 2014-2015 will be English II, Algebra I/Algebra II, Biology, and Government
- Personal Finance continues as is
- English I, Geometry, and American History will be available at district cost
- English language arts and mathematics EOCs will be updated to align to the Common Core expectations for the courses beginning with the Fall 2014 administration
- 5 business day score turnaround
3-8 English language arts and mathematics

- Online adaptive assessments
- 5th and 8th grade English language arts and mathematics assessments using the Smarter Balanced items, test design and blueprints
- 3rd, 4th, 6th, and 7th grade English language arts and mathematics survey assessments based on the Smarter Balanced test design and blueprints using the Smarter Balanced item banks.
- Unlimited access to English language arts and mathematics interim assessments for grades 3-8
  - Smarter Balance Summative blueprint – grades 3-8
  - Missouri Summative blueprint – grades 3, 4, 6, 7
  - Testlets – grades 3-8
- Unlimited access to English language arts and mathematics formative assessment resources and digital library for grades 3-8
- 10 business day score turnaround
Keeping Up

- The most current information and resources may be found at http://dese.mo.gov/college-career-readiness/assessment/news-and-updates.
  - Administrative Memo - New Assessment Plan
  - Information Presented To State Board
  - More Information About New Vendor
  - Assessment Principles
  - Q&A
  - Letter to Legislators

- All resources will be versioned, so check back often for the latest information.

- Questions should be sent to assessment@dese.mo.gov.