

MAP-A Update

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MAP-A Test Windows 2017-2018	Opening Date	Closing Date
Instructionally Embedded Window	September 19, 2017	February 28, 2018
Science Field Testing Window	November 13, 2017	February 28, 2018
ITI in EP Closed in December	January 1, 2018	December 20, 2017
Spring Assessment Window	March 26, 2018	May 18, 2018

Part I Tour of DESE DLM website links: This week would be a good time to review the resources found on the DESE website under the Administration tab that are available for teachers who give the MAP-A assessment. See... <https://dese.mo.gov/college-career-readiness/assessment/map-a>.

- [Administration](#)

Resource	Description
ELA Familiar Texts	Webpage with links to familiar texts that will be used in 2014–15 assessments. Texts may be downloaded and used in instruction.
ELA Materials Collections Excel Spreadsheet	A list of common ELA materials by grade, including materials to use with alternate test forms for students with visual impairments
MAP-A Best Practices for District Test Coordinators PDF Document	A timeline for district test coordinators to direct teachers on the efficient use of the embedded instruction window for MAP-A
Math Glossary PDF Document	Summarizes the terms used in mathematics assessments
Mathematics Materials Collections Excel Spreadsheet	A list of common mathematics materials by grade for the spring testing window

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Score Reporting Guide PDF Document	A guide that explains the individual student score reports and group results provided by Dynamic Learning Maps to local administrators such as principals and superintendents.
Technical Requirements	KITE Suite Requirements: screens, platforms and browsers.
Writing Testlet FAQ PDF Document	A list of common questions regarding DLM writing testlets and their answers
Writing Testlet Video	A video walkthrough of DLM writing testlets

Broken Links: If you find a broken link on a MAP-A page, please let Caryn know!

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