Reclassification Extended Testing Window
Fall 2021

Background

- Reclassification testing which takes place in late spring each year. Schools assess students with the *Iowa Assessments* for grades 1, 2 11, and 12 to exit EL programs.
- Students are required to score =>40 NPR in both Reading and Language (Grades 1 and 2) or both Reading and Written Expression (Grades 11 and 12) to exit EL.
- Due to COVID-19, TEA has extended Reclassification testing through the first 60 days in Fall 2021.

Three Fall 2021 Reclassification Testing Scenarios

1) **Tested Paper/Pencil in Spring** – <u>No changes</u> – You will test any student in Fall as if they tested in Spring 2021.

2) **Tested Online in Spring** – You will <u>Reopen</u> the Spring Test Event and test the student at the same grade as if testing in Spring. For example, I am testing a current third grader who was a second grader in Spring. The student would take Grade 2 test (Iowa Survey Level 8).

3) **Did not test in Spring, Testing Online in Fall** – You need to create a <u>New</u> "Reclass Roster File 2021" and <u>New</u> "Reclass Fall 2021" test event with Test Event Date of July 31, 2021. <u>This must be created by Aug 30!</u>

Scenario 1: Fall 2021 Paper/Pencil Testing Instructions

1) Tested Paper/Pencil in Spring – No changes – You will test students in Fall as if they tested in Spring 2021.
2) Use the same level test books, answer documents, answer keys and Spring Norms.
   a. Current (Fall 2021) Grade 2 = Iowa Survey Level 7 (Spring 2021 – Grade 1)
   b. Current (Fall 2021) Grade 3 = Iowa Survey Level 8 (Spring 2021 – Grade 2)
   c. Current (Fall 2021) Grade 12 – Iowa Complete Level 17/18 (Spring 2021 – Grade 11)

Scenario 2: Fall 2021 Tested Online in Spring Instructions

1) Reopen Spring 2021 Test Event

2) Add any students to the Spring 2021 Roster. <u>IMPORTANT</u> – When adding students, make sure to use the grade they were in the Spring 2021 and Spring norms.
   a. Current (Fall 2021) Grade 2 = Iowa Survey Level 7 (Spring 2021 – Grade 1)
   b. Current (Fall 2021) Grade 3 = Iowa Survey Level 8 (Spring 2021 – Grade 2)
   c. Current (Fall 2021) Grade 12 – Iowa Complete Level 17/18 (Spring 2021 – Grade 11)

3) You will need to reopen the test event in 30 days if you have not completed all testing.

Scenario 3: Fall 2021 DID NOT test Online in Spring Instructions

1) Create a new Roster File "Reclass Roster Fall 2021"
   a. You will use this roster file to add all students testing in Fall of 2021
2) Create a new Test Event "Reclassification Fall 2021"
   a. Test Event Date must be July 31, 2021. This must be created by Aug 30!
3) Create Test Event Assignment using the tests and levels below.
4) You will need to reopen the test event at the end of Aug if you have not completed all testing.

TEST EVENT		LOCATION	
Reclassification Fall 2021	⌄	District 101	⌄

Grade	Test Group		Level	
Grade 1	Iowa Form F Survey	⌄	Level 7	⌄
Grade 2	Iowa Form F Survey	⌄	Level 8	⌄
Grade 11	Iowa Form F Complete	⌄	Level 17/18	⌄
Grade 12	Iowa Form F Complete	⌄	Level 17/18	⌄

FAQ

1) *Any changes if I tested in Spring using Paper/Pencil and hand scored?*
   a) No, it will be the exact same process and you should use the same grade level as if they tested in spring. You will also need to use Spring Norms when hand scoring.
2) *Should districts reopen the Spring Test Event (same roster file) or open new Test Event using Fall Norms?*
   a) Yes, if you tested online in the Spring 2021 you should "Reopen" and use the same test event. You will have to add students to the same roster you used in the Spring and make sure to add students at their grade level in Spring 2021.
3) *If I am opening a new test event, what grade do I roster the student to?*
   a) You will roster students to their previous grade level, as if the student is testing in Spring 2021.
4) *How do I reopen a Test Event?*
   a) Click on Assessment/Test Event, select Status "All" and then choose Manage - Under Complete Tasks click on "Reopen Test Event"

All Test Events

Use the filters to narrow your search or click the test event name to open or edit it.

FILTERS	Select year	⌄	Select assessment type	⌄	Status: All	⌃		
					Open			
Assessment Type ▾	**Test Event Name** ▾		**Assessment Creator** ▾		Closed		▾	**Actions**
Iowa Assessments	Reclassification Fall 2021		Dennis Murphy		✓ All			Manage Assign