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To the Education Service Center and District Testing Coordinator Addressed:

This communication is to inform you of the following upcoming activities for the 2021–2022 Texas Assessment Program.

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2021–2022 STAAR READING LANGUAGE ARTS RESOURCE DOCUMENTS

As a transition to the redesigned State of Texas Assessments of Academic Readiness (STAAR®) reading language arts (RLA) assessments in 2023, a one-year modification will be implemented in 2022. STAAR RLA tests administered in April through December 2022 will include only items that assess the current 2017 standards for reading grades 3–8 English, reading grades 3–5 Spanish, and reading and writing in English I and English II.

The Texas Education Agency (TEA) has posted the assessed curriculum documents identifying the standards eligible to be included in the 2022 STAAR grades 3–8 reading, STAAR Spanish grades 3–5 reading, STAAR English I end-of-course (EOC) assessment, and STAAR English II EOC assessment. Blueprints and test design schematics for 2022 are also available.

- [STAAR Reading Resources](#)
- [STAAR English I and English II Resources](#)

DECEMBER 2021 STAAR EOC ADMINISTRATION

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- OOD and OOS Test Site Directory
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The out-of-district (OOD) and out-of-school (OOS) Test Site Registration form for the December 2021 administration is now available through **October 8, 2021**. Districts must register each participating OOD and OOS test site in the [test site registration form](#).

- OOD and OOS Registration

OOD and OOS examinees will be able register for the December 2021 STAAR administration **October 11–29, 2021**. A link to the registration form will be available on the [Other Testing Resources](#) webpage.

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TEXAS FORMATIVE ASSESSMENT RESOURCE

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Educators may now create multi-part items in the Texas Formative Assessment Resource (TFAR) Authoring platform. Multi-part items consist of two or more parts that are administered and scored together. The individual parts can be created from the existing item types available in the authoring platform. Currently, multi-part items delivered through the Test Delivery System (TDS) online platform will be limited to two parts. Multi-part items with three or more parts will require hand

scoring in the Centralized Reporting System (CRS). More information will be provided to support educators creating multi-part items in TFAR.

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TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES

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A [short registration video](#) is available to assist in the process of completing student registration for the December 2021 STAAR EOC administration.

For questions or assistance regarding the information in this communication, contact Texas Testing Support at 833-601-8821, TexasTestingSupport@cambiumassessment.com, or via [live chat at TexasAssessment.gov](#).