

Survey of Superintendents: Each superintendent or their designee is asked to respond to the following survey:

Introduction: This session, Act 155 replaced the High School Assessment Program (HSAP) with a college and career readiness assessment and with the WorkKeys assessment for all students in grade 11. In addition, the replacement of the Palmetto Assessment of State Standards (PASS) in English language arts (ELA) and mathematics for students in grades 3 through 8 will be decided in the future.

As part of the Education Oversight Committee's ongoing operations and in light of the Committee's completion of the cyclical review of the accountability system [click here](#) the EOC is contacting you to get your professional insight into the following: **To guarantee that teachers, principals and superintendents have the necessary data to improve teaching and learning so that all students can succeed in the 21st century, what should be the necessary components of the state's summative assessment system?**

*** 1. Name of Person Completing Survey:**

*** 2. Title:**

*** 3. District:**

4. To meet the instructional needs of students served in your district, what information should the results of an assessment or system of assessments provide to you and your staff? Please identify and rank accordingly with your top five responses.

1	<input type="text"/>
2.	<input type="text"/>
3.	<input type="text"/>
4.	<input type="text"/>
5	<input type="text"/>

5. Please rate the importance of each characteristic below in terms of what you value in a Grade 3-8 summative assessment and a college and career readiness assessment using the following scale:

	Unimportant	Of Little Importance	Moderately Important	Important	Very Important
Comparability of student achievement in South Carolina to student achievement in other states	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Publication of assessment results to schools and districts prior to the end of the school year	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Documentation of individual student progress toward college and career readiness	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Measurement of each student's preparedness for the next grade level	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Cost to the state of purchasing the assessment	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Cost to your district to purchase computers or electronic devices for online administration of assessments	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Availability of test administration options via paper and pencil, computer or electronic devices	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Ability of reports to explain student assessment results to parents or guardians	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Can be used to determine annual student growth	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Test security	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The testing window (number of days, weeks) spent testing at the end of the year	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Provides detailed information that will inform instructional practices	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The qualifications of the vendor or entity providing the assessment	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

6. How confident are you that your district could implement computer-based or online assessments beginning as early as school year 2015-16 but no later than 2016-17? Use the following scale to respond:

No Confidence	Confident	Highly Confident
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

7. Are there other priorities you see that an assessment system should address? If so, please list those. (Limit to 3)

1.	<input type="text"/>
2.	<input type="text"/>
3.	<input type="text"/>

8. What is your greatest concern that the assessment system will NOT address?

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Summative Assessment 1

If your district is already implementing a summative assessment that is aligned to the Common Core State Standards or to college and career readiness standards, please provide the following information by grade level based on the 2013-14 school year by indicating the summative assessment used, the content areas assessed, the grade levels assessed, if the assessment was administered to students with disabilities, and the approximate annual cost of the assessment.

9. Name of Summative Assessment 1

10. Grade levels assessed

	K5	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th
Check all that apply:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

11. Content areas assessed (check all that apply)

	Yes
English Language Arts	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mathematics	<input type="checkbox"/>
Science	<input type="checkbox"/>
Social Studies	<input type="checkbox"/>
Writing	<input type="checkbox"/>

Other (please specify subject areas separated by commas)

12. Please indicate the grade levels that this assessment is administered to students with disabilities.

	K5	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	none
Grade level administered	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

13. What is the approximate annual cost to your district to administer the assessment?

Summative Assessment 2

14. Name of Summative Assessment 2

15. Grade levels assessed

	K5	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th
Check all that apply:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

16. Content areas assessed (check all that apply)

	Yes
English Language Arts	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mathematics	<input type="checkbox"/>
Science	<input type="checkbox"/>
Social Studies	<input type="checkbox"/>
Writing	<input type="checkbox"/>

Other (please specify subject areas separated by commas)

17. Please indicate the grade levels that this assessment is administered to students with disabilities.

	K5	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	none
Grade level administered	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

18. What is the approximate annual cost to your district to administer the assessment?

Formative Assessment 1

If your district is already implementing a **formative** assessment that is aligned to the Common Core State Standards or to college and career readiness standards, please provide the following information by grade level based on the 2013-14 school year by indicating the **formative** assessment used, the content areas assessed, the grade level assessed, if the assessment was administered to students with disabilities, and the approximate annual cost of the assessment. Please note there are no current plans to procure formative assessments on the state level; these survey questions are intended to gather information about what formative assessments districts are using.

19. Name of Formative Assessment 1

20. Grade levels assessed

	K5	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th
Check all that apply:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

21. Content areas assessed (check all that apply)

	Yes
English Language Arts	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mathematics	<input type="checkbox"/>
Science	<input type="checkbox"/>
Social Studies	<input type="checkbox"/>
Writing	<input type="checkbox"/>

Other (please specify subject areas separated by commas)

22. Please indicate the grade levels that this assessment is administered to students with disabilities.

	K5	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	none
Grade level administered	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

23. What is the approximate annual cost to your district to administer the assessment?

Formative Assessment 2

24. Name of Formative Assessment 2

25. Grade levels assessed

	K5	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th
Check all that apply:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

26. Content areas assessed (check all that apply)

	Yes
English Language Arts	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mathematics	<input type="checkbox"/>
Science	<input type="checkbox"/>
Social Studies	<input type="checkbox"/>
Writing	<input type="checkbox"/>

Other (please specify subject areas separated by commas)

27. Please indicate the grade levels that this assessment is administered to students with disabilities.

	K5	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	none
Grade level administered	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

28. What is the approximate annual cost to your district to administer the assessment?

Formative Assessment 3

29. Name of Formative Assessment 3

30. Grade levels assessed

	K5	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th
Check all that apply:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

31. Content areas assessed (check all that apply)

	Yes
English Language Arts	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mathematics	<input type="checkbox"/>
Science	<input type="checkbox"/>
Social Studies	<input type="checkbox"/>
Writing	<input type="checkbox"/>

Other (please specify subject areas separated by commas)

32. Please indicate the grade levels that this assessment is administered to students with disabilities.

	K5	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	none
Grade level administered	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

33. What is the approximate annual cost to your district to administer the assessment?

Formative Assessment 4

34. Name of Formative Assessment 4

35. Grade levels assessed

	K5	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th
Check all that apply:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

36. Content areas assessed (check all that apply)

	Yes
English Language Arts	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mathematics	<input type="checkbox"/>
Science	<input type="checkbox"/>
Social Studies	<input type="checkbox"/>
Writing	<input type="checkbox"/>

Other (please specify subject areas separated by commas)

37. Please indicate the grade levels that this assessment is administered to students with disabilities.

	K5	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	none
Grade level administered	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

38. What is the approximate annual cost to your district to administer the assessment?

Formative Assessment 5

39. Name of Formative Assessment 5

40. Grade levels assessed

	K5	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th
Check all that apply:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

41. Content areas assessed (check all that apply)

	Yes
English Language Arts	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mathematics	<input type="checkbox"/>
Science	<input type="checkbox"/>
Social Studies	<input type="checkbox"/>
Writing	<input type="checkbox"/>

Other (please specify subject areas separated by commas)

42. Please indicate the grade levels that this assessment is administered to students with disabilities.

	K5	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	none
Grade level administered	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

43. What is the approximate annual cost to your district to administer the assessment?