



TCAP Assessment Updates

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TCAP Assessment Updates

Writing Assessment

- Pre-ID answer documents
- Upload of student data - mid-October
- New Diagnostic Test –
 - Grades 3 and 7
 - Constructed Response Items
 - Fall testing
 - Item Writing Committee – Oct. 21





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Portfolio Assessment

- If orders need to be edited, contact Lori Nixon.
- Online Report of Irregularity
- Binders delivered by November
- Binders shipped back to MI no later than Feb. 10
- Range Finding - Feb. 4-5, 2010





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Achievement Assessment

- AER Website –
 - New Item Samplers
 - New Reporting Categories with SPIs
- TDOE will not process K-2 tests
- Big improvements to Pearson Access
- MAAS and ELSA - operational Spring 2010
- Achievement & MAAS Cut Scores set
Summer 2010





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End of Course/Gateway Assessments

- Gateway-EOC Transition
- Gateway Reporting Update
- EOC Reporting Update
- EOC Answer Document Changes
- EOC Standard Setting





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Diagnostic Assessments

ACT State Test Date Information Web Address

<http://www.act.org/aap/tennessee/>

2010 State Test Date - March 9

Make-Up Date - March 23

Training Workshops

Nov. 16 – Memphis

Nov. 17 – Nashville

Nov. 18 – Knoxville

Nov. 19 – Chattanooga

Registration Period Oct. 5 - 16





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Fall Regional Meetings

October 26 – Cookeville

October 27 – Milan

October 28 – Nashville

October 30 – Knoxville

Register by October 16

