Note: The following information is provided for the school year 2024-25 Texas Through-year Assessment Pilot. Information is subject to change across the years as the program evolves. Any further questions can be sent to TTAP@tea.texas.gov.

# 2024—2025 Texas Through-year Assessment Pilot (TTAP) FAQs

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# Section A: Pilot Overview

#### Question A-1

What is the long-term goal of the Texas Through-year Assessment Pilot?

TTAP is a through-year, progress monitoring system. This assessment model provides students multiple opportunities throughout the school year to demonstrate their mastery of standards and to contribute to their summative performance level reported at the fnTc -0.00

# Question B-6

Could the in-year growth information in TTAP

dates:

- Opportunity 1 (Fall): November 11-15, 2024
- Opportunity 2 (Winter): January 27-January 31, 2025
- Opportunity 3 (Spring): March 24-28, 2025

Question C-5

## Question C-10

What happens if a student has to leave due to an emergency (e.g., becomes ill in the middle of testing)? Students can pause a test to temporarily log out of the test session. If a student pauses their test, they can TOTOTOM BELIE IN CONTRACTOR OF A PARTY AND A STATE OF A STATE O

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the item level difficulty.

# Question F-5

# When should I consider a loss between opportunities a concern?

Any gain score value more than 1 standard deviation below the mean would serve as a flag, especially for students who are achieving "Currently Does Not Meet" or "Currently Approaches" in Opportunity 2. Losses may signal that a stud

# Question G-2

#### Will there be paper-based tests available for TTAP?

No, TTAP will be administered 100% online for the 2024-2025 school year. If a student cannot test online due to accessibility issues, the student can take a locally adopted assessment as an alternative.

#### Question G-3

#### Will there be a Spanish version for applicable grades?

Yes. Similar to the STAAR, a Spanish version will be

#### Will students be provided a mathematics reference sheet?

The STAAR and TTAP online platforms include a mathematics reference sheet. Students are permitted to use a paper copy if they choose.

## Question G-9

Where can I find more information on accommodations and how students should be using them? Students taking TTAP may be provided with certain <u>locally approved designated</u> supports based on their individualized education program (IEP) status or Section 504 plan, or on decisions made by the language proficiency assessment committee (LPAC) or another local committee (e.g., RTI). <u>Accessibility features</u> are procedures and materials that should be made available on TTAP to students who regularly use them during classroom instruction. A student cannot be required to use accessibility features during testing, and there is no need to document their use in TIDE for test administrations. For more information, refer to the <u>STAAR</u> <u>Accessibility Educator Guide</u> and the <u>Accommodations</u> section of the DCCR.

## Question G-10

Are dictionaries, calculators, and supplemental aids permitted on TTAP? The same policies set for STAAR administration are in place for TTAP. Refer to the DCCR for more information.

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Constructed Response	Offered for Opportunity 3	N/A
Test Windows	1 week long	Several months long
Test Items	Items are unique for every test administration; Item-level analysis available	Items are not guaranteed to be unique every