Ohio's New State Tests

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FOCUS OF TODAY'S BRIEF PRESENTATION

- QUICK REVIEW OF TESTS FOR HIGH SCHOOL
- LOOK AT PRACTICE TEST ITEMS
- PROVIDE INFORMATION FOR TEACHERS:
 HOW TO LOCATE AND USE THE TESTING SITES

"OHIO'S NEW STATE TESTS"

PARCC Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers

- "Next Generation Assessments" (NGA)
- Mathematics
- English Language Arts/ Literacy

AIR American Institutes for Research

- "Ohio's Computer Based Assessments" (OCBA)
- Science
- Social Studies

Aligned with Ohio's New Learning Standards
PBA: Performance Based Assessment (February/March)
EOY: End of Year (April/May)

Testing Windows for 2014-15

Subject	High School Courses
ELA	I, II, <i>III-</i> PARCC OGT-
Math	Alg 1, Geo, <i>Alg-2</i> -PARCC OGT-
Science	Phys. Sci. OR Biology AIR OGT-
Social Studies	Am Hist, Am Govt- AIR OGT-

Feb 16		
Feb 23		PBA
Mar 2	PBA SCI/SS	ELA & MATH Window
Mar 9	Window March 2-13	
Mar 16		
Mar 23	OGT Window Gr 10 (& non-passers) only	
Mar 30		
Apr 6		
Apr 13		
Apr 20		EOY
Apr 27		ELA & MATH
May 4	EOY	Window
May 11	SCI/SS Window May 4-15	
May 18		
May 25		

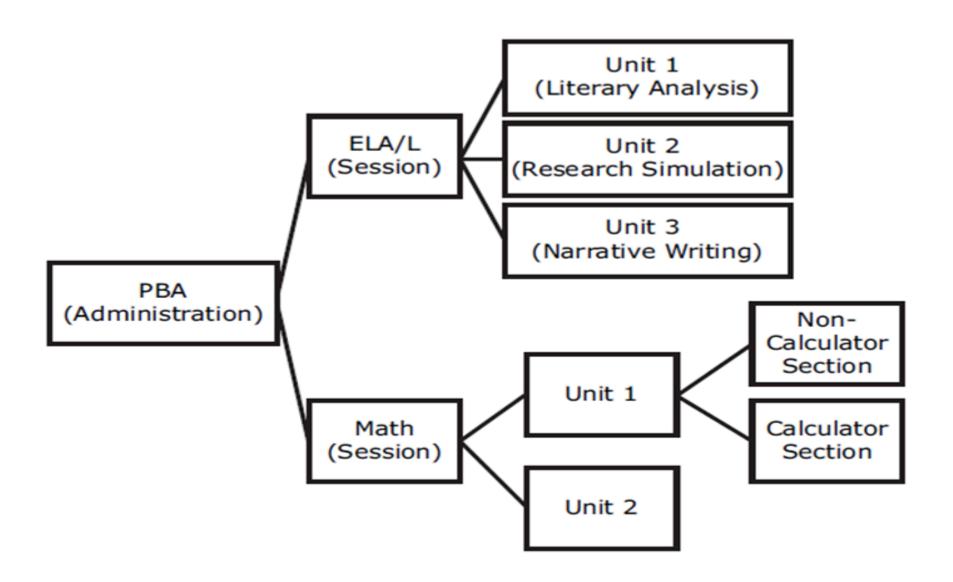
Ohio's New State Tests-Common Vocabulary

Estimated time for "Units"

http://education.ohio.gov/getattachment/Topics/Testing/News/Guidance-on-PARCC-AIR-Session-Times-Now-Available/parrc_schedule_formatted.pdf.aspx

Sessions-

Test Administrator-



PRACTICE ITEMS

- English Language Arts/Literacy and Mathematics
 - Online Practice Tests
 - PARCC using Pearson software
- Science and Social Studies
 - Online Practice Tests

http://oh.portal.airast.org/ocba/

American Institutes of Research (AIR) software

Five Things You Need to Know Week of 12/19/14

12/30/2014

Third Grade Reading

In the spring of 2015, students in grade three will take which reading test?

Students in third grade will take the Ohio Achievement Assessment in reading. They will not take the PARCC English language arts test. Third-graders will still take the new state test for mathematics (PARCC – Math) in spring of 2015.

Next Steps

- Visit the testing sites to familiarize yourself with the format of the tests.
- Be sensitive and aware of your student's testing needs.
- Work together with your Perrysburg administrators and teachers to make sure you and your students are ready for the tests.
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