

## Summer Learning 2024 Post-Test Guidance

This document outlines the summer test design and administration for students attending summer programming in rising grades K - 9, as required by state law. In Spring 2024, [Chapter 639 of the Public Acts of 2024](#), amending the Tennessee Learning Loss Remediation and Student Acceleration Act, at Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 6, was passed and signed into law. This removes the requirement for districts to administer a pre-test for students participating in summer programming. Districts must administer a post-test for each student in a summer program.

Districts should administer the post-test at the end of camps, or after any make-up days are completed as needed for individual students.

### Summer Post-Test

#### *Rising Kindergarten:*

- **For rising kindergarten students**, districts can choose between administering their existing kindergarten readiness assessments or pre-K screeners.

#### *Rising Grades 1-3:*

- **For ELA in rising grades 1-3**, districts will administer a summer (fourth) administration of their universal reading screener. Districts will continue to use their district-selected universal reading screener platform for the post-test administration. The department has worked with all universal reading screener vendors to ensure that a summer (fourth) administration of the subtests required for the spring composite is available for all students grades 1-3 for ELA.
- **For math in rising grades 1-3**, a standards-aligned assessment is available to download and administer on paper. PDF copies of these assessments can be found in the District Testing Coordinator folder on TNShare. Uploaded documentation includes an administration guide, test form, answer key, and student answer document. The results of these informational math post-tests will be collected in SPEAR.

#### *Rising Grades 4-9:*

- **For rising grades 4-9**, districts will administer a standards-aligned assessment developed using passages and items drawn from the operational bank of TCAP items. Most TCAP-based, post-test assessments have 15 to 20 items. For the timely return of the results, these assessments will not include written response items. All the rising grade 4-9 assessments will be administered in Schoolnet using the secure testing feature. **All rising grade 4-9 post-tests are considered secure administrations and conform to all relevant TCAP administration expectations for administration and accommodations.**

For all post-tests administered online, results will be available in the Schoolnet platform immediately following the assessment.