

[SUBJECT: March 8, 2021, Upcoming Texas Assessment Program Activities]

To the ESC and District Testing Coordinator Addressed:

This communication is to inform you of the following upcoming activities for the 2021 State of Texas Assessments of Academic Readiness (STAAR®) Alternate 2, Texas English Language Proficiency Assessment System (TELPAS), and TELPAS Alternate administrations.

STAAR ALTERNATE 2

- Additional Orders

Districts may submit orders for additional materials for the 2021 STAAR Alternate 2 administration until **April 30, 2021**, through the [STAAR Alternate 2, TELPAS, and TELPAS Alternate Assessment Management System](#). A student registration must also be submitted, either by importing a student registration file or by manually registering the student. Additional orders submitted without a student registration will not be approved.

- Preview Window

Test administrators who have been trained on security and confidentiality and have signed an Oath of Test Security and Confidentiality may preview the STAAR Alternate 2 test materials from **March 15–26, 2021**. This window should be used to preview test materials and prepare accommodations; it should not be used to administer the tests. Refer to the [STAAR Alternate 2 Test Administrator Manual](#) for more information.

PRINTED REPORT CARDS

Districts can opt in to receive printed report cards through the Assessment Management System. The deadline to opt in for printed STAAR Alternate 2 report cards is **May 7, 2021**. The deadline to opt in for printed TELPAS report cards and TELPAS Alternate report cards is **May 28, 2021**. Districts that do not opt in will not receive printed report cards.

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