



ACCESS for ELLs 2.0 Webinars/Q&A Sessions 2017–18

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MONTH	WEBINAR EVENTS
September 2017	Thursday, September 7 from 11am-12pm CT <i>Welcome Back: Using 2017 ACCESS for ELLs 2.0 Results in the New School Year</i> Join Now
	Wednesday, September 20 from 2pm-3pm CT <i>Welcome Back: Using 2017 ACCESS for ELLs 2.0 Results in the New School Year</i> Join Now
	Thursday, September 21 from 1:00pm-2:00pm CT <i>Welcome Back: What's New This Year?</i> Join Now
	Tuesday, September 26 from 11:00am–12:00pm CT <i>Pre-Testing: Training at wida.us</i> Join Now
	Thursday, September 28 from 1:00pm–2:00pm CT <i>Pre-Testing: Software Updates & Technology Readiness Checklist</i> Join Now
October 2017	Tuesday, October 3 from 11:00am–12:00pm CT <i>Pre-Testing: Ordering Materials</i> Join Now
	Thursday, October 5 from 1:00pm- 2:30pm CT <i>Pre-Testing: Technology Installations</i> Join Now
	Tuesday, October 10 from 11:00am–12:00pm CT <i>Pre-Testing: Training at wida.us</i> Join Now
	Wednesday, October 11 from 1:00pm-2:00pm <i>Pre-Testing: ACCESS for ELLs 2.0 for new District Test Coordinators (New this year!)</i> Join Now
	Tuesday, October 24 from 11:00am–12:00pm CT <i>Pre-Testing: Test Scheduling</i> Join Now
November 2017	Wednesday, November 8 from 2:00pm–3:00pm CT <i>Pre-Testing: Ordering Materials</i> Join Now
	Thursday, November 9 from 1:00pm–2:00pm CT <i>Pre-Testing: Technology Coordinator Support for Test Administration</i> Join Now
	Wednesday, November 15 from 11:00am–12:00pm CT <i>During Testing: Managing Students (Online)</i> Join Now

December 2017	Wednesday, December 6 from 1:00pm–2:00pm CT <i>Alternate ACCESS for ELLs Administration</i> Join Now
	Tuesday, December 12 from 11:00am–12:00pm CT <i>During Testing: Managing Test Sessions (Online)</i> Join Now
	Wednesday, December 13 from 2:00pm–3:00pm CT <i>During Testing: Managing Students (Paper)</i> Join Now
	Thursday, December 14 from 1:00pm–2:00pm CT <i>During Testing: Technology Troubleshooting</i> Join Now
January 2018	Thursday, January 4 from 1:00pm–2:00pm CT <i>Pre-Testing: Technology Coordinator Support for Test Administration</i> Join Now
	Tuesday, January 16 from 11:00am–12:00pm CT <i>During Testing: Managing Students (Online)</i> Join Now
	Wednesday, January 17 from 2:00pm–3:00pm CT <i>During Testing: Managing Students (Paper)</i> Join Now
	Thursday, January 18 from 1:00pm–2:00pm CT <i>During Testing: Technology Troubleshooting</i> Join Now
	Wednesday, January 24 from 2:00pm–3:00pm CT <i>During Testing: Managing Test Materials (Paper)</i> Join Now
February 2018	Wednesday, February 7 from 11:00am–12:00pm CT <i>During Testing: Monitoring Completion (Online)</i> Join Now
	Tuesday, February 27 from 11:00am–12:00pm CT <i>Post-Testing: Data Validation</i> Join Now
	Wednesday, February 28 from 2:00pm–3:00pm CT <i>Post-Testing: Returning Materials (Paper)</i> Join Now
April 2018	Wednesday, April 18 from 11:00am–12:00pm CT <i>Post-Testing: Interpreting Score Reports</i> Join Now
May 2018	Tuesday, May 1 from 11:00am–12:00pm CT <i>Post-Testing: Data Validation</i> Join Now
	Tuesday, May 8 from 1:00pm–2:00pm CT <i>Post-Testing: Interpreting Score Reports</i> Join Now

Webinar Descriptions

Webinar Title	Description <i>During the Webinar, WIDA and DRC will:</i>	Audience	Dates
WELCOME BACK!			
Welcome Back: Using the 2017 ACCESS for ELLs 2.0 Results in the New School Year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Share insights about how the 2017 scores can be used to address local needs related to accountability, planning, instruction and 2017-2018 test preparation. In particular, WIDA will focus on the Speaking domain scores allowing ample time for Q & A. 	All K-12 Educators and Administrators	9/7/17, 9/20/17
Welcome Back: What's New This Year?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Introduce new items in WIDA AMS, in the WIDA training process, and on the WIDA website. 	Test Admins, District Test Coordinators, Tech Coordinators	9/21/17
PRE-TESTING			
Pre-Testing: Training at wida.us	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provide an overview of ACCESS for ELLs 2.0 training and certification Share a website overview, highlighting changes for 2017-2018 	Test Admins, District Test Coordinators	9/26/17, 10/10/17
Pre-Testing: Software Updates & Technology Readiness Checklist	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Share new updates to the TSM, INSIGHT Introduce and walkthrough the Technology Readiness Checklist 	Technology Coordinators	9/28/17
Pre-Testing: Technology Installations * 1.5 hours	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provide installs of the TSM, INSIGHT and DTK on varying devices (Windows, Macs, Chromebooks, iPads) Share information on updated system requirements 	Technology Coordinators	10/5/17

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Pre-Testing: Technology Coordinator Support for Test Administration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide Technology Coordinators information to communicate with Test Coordinators and Administrators • Facilitate how to establish a local communication plan to identify issues and troubleshoot if problems arise • Review when to support Test Administrators at their testing sites by training them to respond to technical issues and when/how to report them 	Technology Coordinators	11/9/17, 1/4/18
Pre-Testing: Ordering Materials	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide how-to information on <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Ordering test materials for paper and online ○ Monitoring order status ○ Confirming shipping address ○ Communicate ordering expectations ○ Share grade levels 1-3 and 4-5 ordering considerations 	Test Admins, District Test Coordinators	10/3/17, 11/8/17
Pre-Testing: Test Scheduling	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide how-to information on <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Scheduling paper and online testing ○ Grouping students ○ Timing of tests ○ Scheduling practice tests ○ Scheduling a room 	Test Admins, District Test Coordinators	10/24/17
Pre-Testing: ACCESS for ELLs 2.0 for new District Test Coordinators	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide how-to information on <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Creating WIDA user accounts ○ Monitoring test administrator training completion ○ Using WIDA AMS as a District Test Coordinator 	District-level Test Coordinators	10/11/17
DURING TESTING			
During Testing: Managing Students (Online)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide how-to information on <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Student demographic information and accommodations 	Test Admins	11/15/17, 1/16/18
During Testing: Managing Students (Paper)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide how-to information on <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Bubbling/Labeling ○ Comparing Student Information in WIDA AMS 	Test Admins	12/13/17, 1/17/18
During Testing: Managing Test Sessions (Online)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide how-to information on <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Creating test sessions ○ Printing test tickets ○ Managing test sessions 	Test Admins	12/12/17

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During Testing: Managing Test Materials (Paper)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide information on <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Paper inventory ○ Additional materials ○ Secure material protocol 	Test Admins	1/24/18
During Testing: Monitoring Completion (Online)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide information on <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Student status reports ○ Daily cumulative student status report ○ Online testing statistics 	Test Admins	2/7/18
During Testing: Technology Troubleshooting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide an overview of the <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Various error messages ○ Common Troubleshooting solutions 	Test Admins, District Test Coordinators	12/14/17, 1/18/18
POST TESTING			
Post Testing: Returning Materials (Paper)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Determine what materials to return, how, and when 	Test Admins	2/28/18
Post Testing: Data Validation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide how-to information on <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Validating student data ○ Correcting student data 	Test Admins, District Test Coordinators	2/27/18, 5/1/18
Post Testing: Interpreting Score Reports	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Share how to interpret score report data • Review General Data Corrections and Scoring appeals process 	Test Admins, District Test Coordinators	4/18/18, 5/8/18

Webinar Title	Description <i>During Webinar, WIDA and DRC will:</i>	Audience	Dates
Alternate ACCESS for ELLs Administration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide an overview of Alternate ACCESS for ELLs, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Scheduling ○ Basics of administration ○ Review of training resources 	Test Admins, District Test Coordinators who administer the Alternate ACCESS for ELLs assessment	12/6/17