



# Middle School Testing Bulletin

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## SAGE Benchmarks (7-9)

Testing window **8/22/2017 to 6/15/2018**

SAGE benchmark tests allow teachers to give brief (15-30 min) online assessments for one reporting category or standard. These tests are designed to be used formatively. They are fixed-form tests, not adaptive. The questions are drawn from the SAGE Interim item bank. Student scores and responses are both visible in teacher reports. The scores and reports are accessed via AIR Ways Reporting instead of via ORS. Report guides: [http://sageportal.org/wp-content/uploads/AIR-Ways-Benchmarks-School-Guide\\_09272016.pdf](http://sageportal.org/wp-content/uploads/AIR-Ways-Benchmarks-School-Guide_09272016.pdf); [http://sageportal.org/wp-content/uploads/AIR-Ways-Benchmarks-Teacher-Guide\\_09272016.pdf](http://sageportal.org/wp-content/uploads/AIR-Ways-Benchmarks-Teacher-Guide_09272016.pdf) If you have questions, please contact Brooke Anderson at 801-567-8393 or [brooke.anderson@jordandistrict.org](mailto:brooke.anderson@jordandistrict.org). You can also contact Gaylene Miller at 801-567-8112 or [gaylene.miller@jordandistrict.org](mailto:gaylene.miller@jordandistrict.org).

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## DLM: Spring Summative (LA, MA) (per IEP) (7-9)

Testing window **3/12/2018 to 6/8/2018**

Information will be posted on the assessment website: [assessments.jordandistrict.org](https://assessments.jordandistrict.org). Please check the site often for more information. If you have questions, please contact Gaylene Miller at 801-567-8112 or [gaylene.miller@jordandistrict.org](mailto:gaylene.miller@jordandistrict.org).

**Link to interface:** <https://educator.cete.us/AART/login.htm>

## UAA (Sci) (per IEP) (7-9)

Testing window **3/12/2018 to 6/8/2018**

Please ensure you have chosen an instructional goal for students by October. This is the goal they will be tested on at the end of the year. Please enter end-of-year test results on the Google spreadsheet shared with you by Gaylene Miller. If you have questions, please contact Gaylene Miller at 801-567-8112 or [gaylene.miller@jordandistrict.org](mailto:gaylene.miller@jordandistrict.org).

## SAGE Summative (7-9)

Testing window **3/26/2018 to 5/25/2018**

As of the 2017-18 school year, SAGE Writing in grades 3-8 will include only 1 prompt. The prompt will either be explanatory or opinion, and assignment to either prompt will be random. Grades 9 & 10 will have no SAGE Writing test. Grade 6-8 Science classes have new tests this year and teachers are strongly encouraged to view the practice clusters at [sageportal.org](http://sageportal.org) More information can be found at <http://assessments.jordandistrict.org/sage/>. If you have questions, please contact Brooke Anderson at 801-567-8393 or [brooke.anderson@jordandistrict.org](mailto:brooke.anderson@jordandistrict.org). You can also contact Gaylene Miller at 801-567-8112 or [gaylene.miller@jordandistrict.org](mailto:gaylene.miller@jordandistrict.org).

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## CTE Skills Test Semester 2/ Full-year (7-9)

Testing window **4/30/2017 to 5/31/2017**

If you have questions, please contact Jason Skidmore at 801-256-5953 or [jason.skidmore@jordandistrict.org](mailto:jason.skidmore@jordandistrict.org).

## SLO Assessments

SLO assessments are included as part of each educator's evaluation. Departments, grade level teams, or teacher teams will choose to use an existing SLO or a common assessment and will determine the appropriate pre and post test dates. Administrators are asked to approve SLOs at the beginning of the year and review the status of SLOs during evaluations.

Is something missing or unclear? Please contact Brooke Anderson at 567-8393 or [brooke.anderson@jordandistrict.org](mailto:brooke.anderson@jordandistrict.org) so she can update the bulletin accordingly.