GRADE 3: ELA



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ICAs for ELA assess the full range of targets.

Assessment Name	Total Items	Hand-Scored Short Answer Response	Hand-Scored Full Write Response
ELA ICA	39	1	1



IABs for ELA assess up to 8 targets.

Assessment Name	Claim and Target	Total Items	Hand-Scored Items
Read Literary Texts	Claim 1, Targets 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7	15	1
Read Informational Texts	Claim 1, Targets 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14	16	1
Brief Writes	Claim 2, Targets 1a, 3a, 6a	6	6
Revision	Claim 2, Targets 1b, 3b, 6b	14	0
Research	Claim 4, Targets 2, 3, 4	16	0
Performance Task—Beetles	Claim 2, Target 7; Claim 4, Target 2, 3, or 4	4	3



Assessment Name	Claim and Target	Total Items	Hand-Scored Items
Language and Vocabulary Use	Claim 2, Target 8	15	0
Editing	Claim 2, Target 9	15	0
Listen/Interpret	Claim 3, Target 4	15	0
Research: Interpret and Integrate	Claim 4, Target 2	10	0
Research: Analyze Information	Claim 4, Target 3	10	0
Research: Use Evidence	Claim 4, Target 4	10	0
Write and Revise Opinion Texts	Claim 2, Targets 6a, 6b	10	2
Write and Revise Informational Texts	Claim 2, Targets 3a, 3b	10	2
Write and Revise Narratives	Claim 2, Targets 1a, 1b	10	2



GRADE 3: MATHEMATICS

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ICAs for mathematics assess the full range of targets.

Assessment Name	Total Items	Hand-Scored Short Answer Response	Hand-Scored Full Write Response
Mathematics ICA	40	4	0



IABs for mathematics assess up to 8 targets.

Assessment Name	Claim and Target	Total Items	Hand-Scored Items
Operations and Algebraic Thinking	Claim 1, Targets A, B, C, D	15	0
Measurement and Data	Claim 1, Targets G, H, I, J	15	0
Performance Task—Order Form	A range of targets in Claims 2, 3, and 4	6	4



Assessment Name	Claim and Target	Total Items	Hand-Scored Items
Multiplication and Division: Interpret, Represent, and Solve	Claim 1, Target A	12	0
Four Operations: Interpret, Represent, and Solve	Claim 1, Target D	14	0
Linear and Area Measurement	Claim 1, Targets I, J	12	0
Properties of Multiplication and Division	Claim 1, Target B	11	0
Multiply and Divide within 100	Claim 1, Target C	14	0
Number and Operations in Base Ten	Claim 1, Target E	14	0
Number and Operations—Fractions	Claim 1, Target F	14	0
Time, Volume, and Mass	Claim 1, Target G	13	0
Geometry	Claim 1, Target K	12	0





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ICAs for ELA assess the full range of targets.

Assessment Name	Total Items	Hand-Scored Short Answer Response	
ELA ICA*	41	0	1



IABs for ELA assess up to 8 targets.

Assessment Name	Claim and Target	Total Items	Hand-Scored Items
Read Literary Texts	Claim 1, Targets 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7	15	1
Read Informational Texts	Claim 1, Targets 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14	14	1
Brief Writes	Claim 2, Targets 1a, 3a, 6a	6	6
Revision	Claim 2, Targets 1b, 3b, 6b	15	0
Research	Claim 4, Targets 2, 3, 4	15	0
Performance Task— Reptiles**	Claim 2, Target 7; and Claim 4, Target 2, 3, or 4	4	3



Assessment Name	Claim and Target	Total Items	Hand-Scored Items
Language and Vocabulary Use	Claim 2, Target 8	13	0
Editing	Claim 2, Target 9	15	0
Listen/Interpret	Claim 3, Target 4	14	0
Research: Interpret and Integrate	Claim 4, Target 2	12	0
Research: Analyze Information	Claim 4, Target 3	10	0
Research: Use Evidence	Claim 4, Target 4	10	0

Assessment Name	Claim and Target	Total Items	Hand-Scored Items
Write and Revise Opinion Texts	Claim 2, Targets 6a, 6b	11	2
Write and Revise Informational Texts	Claim 2, Targets 3a, 3b	10	2
Write and Revise Narratives	Claim 2, Targets 1a, 1b	10	2

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GRADE 4: MATHEMATICS

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ICAs for mathematics assess the full range of targets.

Assessment Name	Total Items	Hand-Scored Short Answer Response	Hand-Scored Full Write Response
Mathematics ICA	40	4	4



IABs for mathematics assess up to 8 targets.

Assessment Name	Claim and Target	Total Items	Hand-Scored Items
Operations and Algebraic Thinking	Claim 1, Targets A, B, C	16	0
Number and Operations—Fractions	Claim 1, Targets F, G, H	15	0
Measurement and Data	Claim 1, Targets I, J, K	15	0
Number and Operations in Base Ten	Claim 1, Targets D, E	15	0
Performance Task—Animal Jumping	A range of targets in Claims 2, 3, and 4	6	4



Assessment Name	Claim and Target	Total Items	Hand-Scored Items
Four Operations: Interpret, Represent, and Solve	Claim 1, Target A	14	0
Fraction Equivalence and Ordering	Claim 1, Target F	13	0
Build Fractions from Unit Fractions	Claim 1, Target G	14	0
Fractions and Decimal Notation	Claim 1, Target H	13	0
Factors and Multiples	Claim 1, Target B	11	0
Generate and Analyze Patterns	Claim 1, Target C	8	0
Multi-Digit Arithmetic: Place Value and Operations	Claim 1, Target E	12	0
Place Value and Multi-Digit Whole Numbers	Claim 1, Target D	13	0
Geometry	Claim 1, Target L	11	0



GRADE 5: ELA

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ICAs for ELA assess the full range of targets.

Assessment Name	Total Items	Hand-Scored Short Answer Response	Hand-Scored Full Write Response
ELA ICA*	41	0	1



IABs for ELA assess up to 8 targets.

Assessment Name	Claim and Target	Total Items	Hand-Scored Items
Read Literary Texts	Claim 1, Targets 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7	14	1
Read Informational Texts	Claim 1, Targets 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14	15	2
Brief Writes	Claim 2, Targets 1a, 3a, 6a	6	6
Revision	Claim 2, Targets 1b, 3b, 6b	14	0
Research	Claim 4, Targets 2, 3, 4	17	0
Performance Task— Recycling**	Claim 2, Target 4; and Claim 4, Target 2, 3, or 4	4	3



Assessment Name	Claim and Target	Total Items	Hand-Scored Items
Language and Vocabulary Use	Claim 2, Target 8	15	0
Editing	Claim 2, Target 9	14	0
Listen/Interpret	Claim 3, Target 4	14	0
Research: Interpret and Integrate	Claim 4, Target 2	12	0
Research: Analyze Information	Claim 4, Target 3	10	0
Research: Use Evidence	Claim 4, Target 4	10	0
Write and Revise Opinion Texts	Claim 2, Targets 6a, 6b	10	2
Write and Revise Informational Texts	Claim 2, Targets 3a, 3b	10	2
Write and Revise Narratives	Claim 2, Targets 1a, 1b	10	2

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GRADE 5: MATHEMATICS

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ICAs for mathematics assess the full range of targets.

Assessment Name	Total Items	Hand-Scored Short Answer Response	Hand-Scored Full Write Response
Mathematics ICA	40	4	0



IABs for mathematics assess up to 8 targets.

Assessment Name	Claim and Target	Total Items	Hand-Scored Items
Operations and Algebraic Thinking	Claim 1, Targets A, B	15	0
Number and Operations—Fractions	Claim 1, Targets E, F	15	0
Measurement and Data	Claim 1, Targets G, H, I	14	0
Number and Operations in Base Ten	Claim 1, Targets C, D	15	0
Performance Task—Turtle Habitat	A range of targets in Claims 2, 3, and 4	6	4



Assessment Name	Claim and Target	Total Items	Hand-Scored Items
Numerical Expressions	Claim 1, Target A	14	0
Operations with Whole Numbers and Decimals	Claim 1, Target D	12	0
Add and Subtract with Equivalent Fractions	Claim 1, Target E	15	0
Convert Measurements	Claim 1, Target G	13	0
Place Value System	Claim 1, Target C	11	0
Volume Concepts	Claim 1, Target I	11	0
Geometry	Claim 1, Targets J, K	13	0



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ICAs for ELA assess the full range of targets.

Assessment Name	Total Items	Hand-Scored Short Answer Response	Hand-Scored Full Write Response
ELA ICA	42	4	1



IABs for ELA assess up to 8 targets.

Assessment Name	Claim and Target	Total Items	Hand-Scored Items
Read Literary Texts	Claim 1, Targets 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7	12	1
Read Informational Texts	Claim 1, Targets 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14	16	1
Brief Writes	Claim 2, Targets 1a, 3a, 6a	6	6
Revision	Claim 2, Targets 1b, 3b, 6b	15	0
Research	Claim 4, Targets 2, 3, 4	17	0
Performance Task— Multivitamins	Claim 2, Target 4; and Claim 4, Target 2, 3, or 4	3	3



Claim and Target	Total Items	Hand-Scored Items
Claim 2, Target 8	15	0
Claim 2, Target 9	14	0
Claim 3, Target 4	15	0
Claim 4 Target 2	10	0
Claim 4, Target 3	12	0
Claim 4, Target 4	10	0
Claim 2, Targets 3a, 3b	10	2
Claim 2, Targets 1a, 1b	11	2
Claim 2, Targets 6a, 6b	12	2
	Claim 2, Target 8 Claim 2, Target 9 Claim 3, Target 4 Claim 4 Target 2 Claim 4, Target 3 Claim 4, Target 4 Claim 2, Targets 3a, 3b Claim 2, Targets 1a, 1b	Claim and Target Items Claim 2, Target 8 15 Claim 2, Target 9 14 Claim 3, Target 4 15 Claim 4 Target 2 10 Claim 4, Target 3 12 Claim 4, Target 4 10 Claim 2, Targets 3a, 3b 10 Claim 2, Targets 1a, 1b 11

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ICAs for mathematics assess the full range of targets.

Assessment Name	Total Items	Hand-Scored Short Answer Response	Hand-Scored Full Write Response
Mathematics ICA*	38	2	0



IABs for mathematics assess up to 8 targets.

Assessment Name	Claim and Target	Total Items	Hand-Scored Items
The Number System	Claim 1, Targets B, C, D	15	0
Expressions and Equations	Claim 1, Targets E, F, G	16	0
Performance Task—Cell Phone Plan	A range of targets in Claims 2, 3, and 4	6	3
Performance Task— Feeding the Giraffe**	A range of targets in Claims 2, 3, and 4	6	3



Assessment Name	Claim and Target	Total Items	Hand-Scored Items
Ratios and Proportional Relationships	Claim 1, Target A	13	0
Divide Fractions by Fractions	Claim 1, Target B	14	0
Algebraic Expressions	Claim 1, Target E	12	0
One-Variable Expressions and Equations	Claim 1, Target F	14	0
Dependent and Independent Variables	Claim 1, Target G	11	0
Multi-Digit Numbers, Factors, and Multiples	Claim 1, Target C	14	0
Rational Number System	Claim 1, Target D	11	0
Geometry	Claim 1, Target H	14	0
Statistics and Probability	Claim 1, Targets I, J	13	0

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ICAs for ELA assess the full range of targets.

Assessment Name	Total Items	Hand-Scored Short Answer Response	
ELA ICA	42	4	1



IABs for ELA assess up to 8 targets.

Assessment Name	Claim and Target	Total Items	Hand-Scored Items
Read Literary Texts	Claim 1, Targets 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7	15	0
Read Informational Texts	Claim 1, Targets 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14	16	1
Brief Writes	Claim 2, Targets 1a, 3a, 6a	6	6
Revision	Claim 2, Targets 1b, 3b, 6b	15	0
Research	Claim 4, Targets 2, 3, 4	18	0
Performance Task—Mobile Ed Technology	Claim 2, Target 7; and Claim 4, Target 2, 3, or 4	4	3



Assessment Name	Claim and Target	Total Items	Hand-Scored Items
Language and Vocabulary Use	Claim 2, Target 8	15	0
Editing	Claim 2, Target 9	13	0
Listen/Interpret	Claim 3, Target 4	15	0
Research: Analyze and Integrate Information	Claim 4, Target 2	12	0
Research: Evaluate Information and Sources	Claim 4, Target 3	12	0
Research: Use Evidence	Claim 4, Target 4	10	0
Write and Revise Argumentative Texts	Claim 2, Targets 6a, 6b	10	2
Write and Revise Explanatory Texts	Claim 2, Targets 3a, 3b	11	2
Write and Revise Narratives	Claim 2, Targets 1a, 1b	10	2



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ICAs for mathematics assess the full range of targets.

Assessment Name	Total Items	Hand-Scored Short Answer Response	Hand-Scored Full Write Response
Mathematics ICA	39	3	0



IABs for mathematics assess up to 8 targets.

Assessment Name	Claim and Target	Total Items	Hand-Scored Items
Expressions and Equations	Claim 1, Targets C, D	15	0
Geometry	Claim 1, Targets E, F	13	0
Performance Task—Camping Tasks	A range of targets in Claims 2, 3, and 4	6	3



Assessment Name	Claim and Target	Total Items	Hand-Scored Items
Ratios and Proportional Relationships	Claim 1, Target A	13	0
The Number System	Claim 1, Target B	14	0
Angles, Areas, and Volume	Claim 1, Target F	11	0
Equivalent Expressions	Claim 1, Target C	10	0
Algebraic Expressions and Equations	Claim 1, Target D	13	0
Geometric Figures	Claim 1, Target E	11	0
Statistics and Probability	Claim 1, Targets G, H, I	15	0

GRADE 8: ELA



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ICAs for ELA assess the full range of targets.

Assessment Name	Total Items	Hand-Scored Short Answer Response	Hand-Scored Full Write Response
ELA ICA*	40	3	1



IABs for ELA assess up to 8 targets.

Assessment Name	Claim and Target	Total Items	Hand-Scored Items
Read Literary Texts	Claim 1, Targets 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7	16	1
Read Informational Texts	Claim 1, Targets 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14	16	2
Brief Writes	Claim 2, Targets 1a, 3a, 6a	6	6
Research	Claim 4, Targets 2, 3, 4	16	0
Edit/Revise	Claim 2, Targets 1b, 3b, 6b, 8, 9	14	0
Performance Task—Maps and Technology**	Claim 2, Target 7; and Claim 4, Target 2, 3, or 4	4	3



Assessment Name	Claim and Target	Total Items	Hand-Scored Items
Listen/Interpret	Claim 3, Target 4	15	0
Editing	Claim 2, Target 9	14	0
Language and Vocabulary Use	Claim 2, Target 8	14	0
Research: Analyze and Integrate Information	Claim 4, Target 2	11	0
Research: Evaluate Information and Sources	Claim 4, Target 3	12	0
Research: Use Evidence	Claim 4, Target 4	10	0
Write and Revise Explanatory Texts	Claim 2, Targets 3a, 3b	12	2
Write and Revise Narratives	Claim 2, Targets 1a, 1b	10	3
Write and Revise Argumentative Texts**	Claim 2, Targets 6a, 6b	10	2

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ICAs for mathematics assess the full range of targets.

Assessment Name	Total Items	Hand-Scored Short Answer Response	Hand-Scored Full Write Response
Mathematics ICA	40	2	0



IABs for mathematics assess up to 8 targets.

Assessment Name	Claim and Target	Total Items	Hand-Scored Items
Expressions & Equations I	Claim 1, Targets B, C, D	14	0
Geometry	Claim 1, Targets G, H, I	14	0
Performance Task—Baseball Tickets	A range of targets in Claims 2, 3, and 4	6	2



Assessment Name	Claim and Target	Total Items	Hand-Scored Items
The Number System	Claim 1, Target A	13	0
Proportional Relationships, Lines, and Linear Equations	Claim 1, Target C	10	0
Analyze and Solve Linear Equations	Claim 1, Target D	12	0
Volume of Cylinders, Cones, and Spheres	Claim 1, Target I	10	0
Expressions & Equations II	Claim 1, Targets D, J	13	0
Functions	Claim 1, Targets E, F	15	0
Congruence and Similarity	Claim 1, Target G	12	0



HIGH SCHOOL: ELA

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ICAs for ELA assess the full range of targets.

Assessment Name	Total Items	Hand-Scored Short Answer Response	Hand-Scored Full Write Response
Grade 9-11 ELA ICA	40	4	1



IABs for ELA assess up to 8 targets.

Assessment Name	Claim and Target	Total Items	Hand-Scored Items
Read Literary Texts	Claim 1, Targets 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7	16	1
Read Informational Texts	Claim 1, Targets 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14	15	2
Brief Writes	Claim 2, Targets 1a, 3a, 6a	6	6
Revision	Claim 2, Targets 1b, 3b, 6b	15	0
Research	Claim 4, Targets 2, 3, 4	18	0
Performance Task—How We Learn	Claim 2, Target 4; and Claim 4, Target 2, 3, or 4	3	3



Claim and Target	Total Items	Hand-Scored Items
Claim 2, Target 8	15	0
Claim 2, Target 9	15	0
Claim 3 Target 4	15	0
Claim 4, Target 2	10	0
Claim 4, Target 3	10	0
Claim 4, Target 4	12	0
Claim 2, Targets 6a, 6b	11	2
Claim 2, Targets 1a, 1b	10	3
Claim 2, Targets 3a, 3b	12	3
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HIGH SCHOOL: MATHEMATICS

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ICAs for mathematics assess the full range of targets.

Assessment Name	Total Items	Hand-Scored Short Answer Response	Hand-Scored Full Write Response
Grade 9, 10 Mathematics ICA	40	3	0
Grade 11 Mathematics ICA	42	4	0



IABs for mathematics assess up to 8 targets.

Assessment Name	Claim and Target	Total Items	Hand-Scored Items
Algebra and Functions I	Claim 1, Targets G, I, J, L, M, N	15	0
Algebra and Functions II	Claim 1, Targets G, H, I, J, L, M, N	15	0
Geometry Congruence	A range of targets in Claim 3	12	0
Geometry Measurement and Modeling	A range of targets in Claims 2 and 4	10	0
Performance Task—Teen Driving Restrictions	A range of targets in Claims 2, 3, and 4	6	4



Assessment Name	Claim and Target	Total Items	Hand-Scored Items
Number and Quantity	Claim 1, Targets A, B, C	15	0
Seeing Structure in Expressions/Polynomial Expressions	Claim 1, Targets D, E, F	15	0
Equations and Reasoning	Claim 1, Target H	11	0
Create Equations: Linear and Exponential	Claim 1, Target G	12	0
Create Equations: Quadratic	Claim 1, Target G	10	0

Assessment Name	Claim and Target	Total Items	Hand-Scored Items
Solve Equations and Inequalities: Linear and Exponential	Claim 1, Target I	12	0
Solve Equations and Inequalities: Quadratic	Claim 1, Target I	10	0
Interpreting Functions	Claim 1, Targets K, L	14	0
Geometry and Right Triangle Trigonometry	Claim 1, Target O	15	0
Statistics and Probability	Claim 1, Target P	12	0



