

Verbs	Verb Definition	Aligned Item Formats
Compares	To examine in order to note the similarities or differences.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Constructed Response</li> <li>• Equation Editor</li> <li>• Gap Match or Graphic Gap Match</li> <li>• Hot Text</li> <li>• Multiple Choice</li> <li>• Text Entry</li> </ul>
Converts	Change in form.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Multiple Choice</li> <li>• Text Entry</li> </ul>
Determines	Solving a routine problem that includes applying multiple concepts or decision points for arriving at a solution.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Gap Match or Graphic Gap Match</li> <li>• Graphing</li> <li>• Multiple Choice</li> <li>• Text Entry</li> </ul>
Evaluates	Evaluates solving for a value or about evaluating reasonableness of a solution; to find the value of the expression when the variable is replaced by a given number.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Constructed Response</li> <li>• Gap Match or Graphic Gap Match</li> <li>• Multiple Choice</li> <li>• Text Entry</li> </ul>
Explains	To give the meaning or interpretation of; expound; or justify.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Constructed Response</li> <li>• Equation Editor</li> <li>• Gap Match or Graphic Gap Match</li> <li>• Hot Text</li> <li>• Multiple Choice</li> </ul>
Identifies	Recall, recognize a property or procedures to solve a routine one-step problem.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Gap Match or Graphic Gap Match</li> <li>• Multiple Choice</li> </ul>
Orders	The arrangement of values or symbols in relation to each other according to a particular sequence, pattern, or value	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Gap Match or Graphic Gap Match</li> <li>• Multiple Choice</li> </ul>
Represents	Select or show an example of a graphic or solution to show conceptual understanding such as selecting or creating a model or more than one algorithm to solve a problem.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Constructed Response</li> <li>• Gap Match or Graphic Gap Match</li> <li>• Graphing</li> <li>• Hot Text</li> <li>• Multiple Choice</li> <li>• Text Entry</li> </ul>
Uses	Uses is often paired with another verb (uses to determine, write, or explain)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Constructed Response</li> <li>• Equation Editor</li> <li>• Gap Match or Graphic Gap Match</li> <li>• Graphing</li> <li>• Hot Text</li> <li>• Multiple Choice</li> <li>• Text Entry</li> </ul>