KANSAS STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

DLM Test Administrator Checklist



August-September 8, 2024

1	Task	Resource
	Verify DLM participation guidelines for each student	Participation Guidelines (PDF)
	Sign up for DLM test updates	Subscribe to DLM Test Updates
	Sign up for KAA listserv	To sign up, send this information: Subject line: KAA Listserv Body of message: Email address, First Name, Last Name, USD Number, USD Name, Send to this address: cary.rogers@ksde.gov
	Notify district test coordinator of student, primary exceptionality, grade, and subjects for DLM	
	Login to Educator Portal (role- teacher; assessment program- DLM)	Educator Portal Contact district test coordinator if you do not have access
	Sign security agreement in Educator portal	Educator Portal
	Complete required Test Administrator Training (2 1/2 hours - new teachers; 1 1/4 hour - returning teachers) Must pass with 80% and print certificate	Educator Portal Test Administration Manual (pdf) Guide to DLM Required Test Administrator Training for Instructionally Embedded Model States Educators with the Teacher role should access Dynamic Learning Maps® (DLM®) Required Test Administrator Training in the training section of Kite® Educator Portal
	View and check student data and rosters	Educator Portal
	Complete/Update PNP Profile for each student	Educator Portal Accessibility Manual, Educator Portal User Guide
	Complete/update first contact for each student (make sure the primary exceptionality matches the IEP)	Educator Portal Educator Portal User Guide
	Have Kite Student Portal loaded on all testing devices	The new client will be required for this testing year,



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September 9 – December 20, 2024

1	Task	Resource
	Print Kansas Essential Elements Blueprint/Record for each student according to grade level	Kansas Essential Elements Blueprint/Selection Record Math and English Language Arts by Grade (PDF)
	Choose EE's by linkage level to meet the blueprint requirements for that grade and subject.	Educator Portal Educator Portal User Guide
	Teachers may use the EE by linkage level data for planning and monitoring instruction	Kansas Essential Elements by Linkage Level Data: Grade 3-Grade 11 (PDF)
	Begin instruction on individual EE's	Refer to DLM Professional Development Modules
	Access practice activities and release testlets to familiarize the students with the format	Guide to Practice Activities and Released Testlets
	Assign testlet when student is ready Read or print teacher information page	Educator Portal Educator Portal User Guide
	Administer the required number of testlets per grade and subject to meet the blueprint requirements	Kansas Essential Elements Blueprint/Selection Record Math and English Language Arts by Grade (PDF) Kite Student Portal
	Check to ensure blueprint requirements are met on the student activity table on Educator Portal. (essential element status report)	Educator Portal Educator Portal User Guide

February 3 – April 25, 2025

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	Choose EE's by linkage level to meet the blueprint requirements for that grade and subject.	Educator Portal Educator Portal User Guide
	Teachers may use the EE by linkage level data for planning monitoring instruction	Kansas Essential Elements by Linkage Level Data: Grade 3-Grade 11 (PDF)
	Begin instruction on individual EE's	Refer to DLM Professional Development Modules
	Assign testlet when the student is ready to test. Read or print teacher information page	Educator Portal Educator Portal User Guide
	Administer the required number of testlets per grade/subject to meet the blueprint requirements. Science administer all 9 testlets.	Kansas Essential Elements Blueprint/Selection Record Math and English Language Arts by Grade (PDF) Kite Student Portal
	Check to ensure blueprint requirements are met on the student activity table on Educator Portal. (essential element status report)	Educator Portal Educator Portal User Guide

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