



# Q&A WEBINAR SCHEDULE 2020-2021

## ACCESS AND WIDA SCREENER Q&A Webinar Calendar At-A-Glance

WEBINAR CATEGORY	DATES	AUDIENCE
<b>ACCESS SPEAKING DOMAIN WITH SCORING (ONLINE)</b>	7/21	Anyone interested in learning more about the ACCESS Speaking Domain and how responses are scored
<b>WIDA SCREENER</b>	8/4 Online 8/11 Paper	Test Administrators and District Test Coordinators administering Screener online
<b>WELCOME BACK!</b>	9/15	All K-12 Educators and Administrators
<b>BONUS: WIDA MODEL ONLINE OVERVIEW</b>	9/17	Anyone interested in learning about the features of WIDA MODEL Online and how MODEL can help predict ACCESS scores
<b>ACCESS FOR ELLS PRE-TESTING</b>	9/22, 9/24, 10/6, 10/8, 10/13, 10/22, 11/10	Test Administrators, District Test Coordinators, Technology Coordinators
<b>ACCESS FOR ELLS DURING TESTING</b>	11/12, 12/8, 12/15, 01/5, 01/07, 02/2	Test Administrators, District Test Coordinators, Technology Coordinators
<b>KINDERGARTEN ACCESS</b>	11/17	Test Administrators, District Test Coordinators administering Kindergarten ACCESS assessment
<b>ALTERNATE ACCESS</b>	12/1	Test Administrators, District Test Coordinators administering Alt. ACCESS assessment
<b>ACCESS FOR ELLS POST-TESTING</b>	01/28, 3/9, 3/16	Test Administrators, District Test Coordinators

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The calendar provides information for ACCESS for ELLs, Screener, Alternate ACCESS for ELLs, and MODEL Q&A Webinars complete with a description and intended audience for each. Webinars are scheduled in **Central Time** and will be posted in the WIDA website's Secure Portal within a week after completion. Participants can join each webinar 30 minutes prior to starting time.

Month	Webinar Event	Description	Audience
May 2020	<b>WIDA AMS - Navigation Changes</b> Wednesday, May 6, 1pm-2pm Central <a href="#">View Recording on Secure Portal</a>	Provide an overview of WIDA AMS navigational changes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Test Administrators</li> <li>• District Test Coordinators</li> </ul>
June 2020			
July 2020	<b>ACCESS for ELLs: Speaking Domain with Scoring (Online)</b> Tuesday, July 21, 2:30 – 3:30 pm Central <a href="#">Click Here to Join Webinar</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provide information about ACCESS Online Speaking to improve understanding among test users about meaning of test score</li> <li>• Provide Overview of test structure, tier placement, and task design, how sample student speaking responses are scored</li> </ul>	Test Administrators
August 2020	<b>WIDA Screener – Online</b> Tuesday, August 4, 1pm-2pm Central <a href="#">Click Here to Join Webinar</a>	Provide an overview of WIDA Screener Online training, test administration, and scoring	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Test Administrators</li> <li>• District Coordinators administering Screener Online</li> </ul>
	<b>WIDA Screener – Paper</b> Tuesday, August 11, 1pm-2pm Central <a href="#">Click Here to Join Webinar</a>	Provide an overview of WIDA Screener Paper training, test and audio file ordering, test administration, and scoring	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Test Administrators</li> <li>• District Coordinators administering Screener Paper</li> </ul>
September 2020	<b>Welcome Back: What's New This Year?</b> Tuesday, September 15, 1pm-2pm Central <a href="#">Click Here to Join Webinar</a>	Introduce new items in WIDA AMS, in the WIDA training process, and on the WIDA website	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Test Administrators</li> <li>• District Test Coordinators</li> <li>• Technology Coordinators</li> </ul>
	<b>WIDA MODEL Overview</b> Thursday, September 17, 1pm-2pm Central <a href="#">Click Here to Join Webinar</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This webinar highlights the features of WIDA MODEL as an interim assessment for local districts and schools</li> <li>• WIDA will provide general information about WIDA MODEL, point you to valuable resources, and provide responses</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Test Administrators</li> <li>• District Test Coordinators</li> </ul>
	<b>Pre-Testing: ACCESS for ELLs for New Test Administrators</b> Tuesday, September 22, 1pm-2pm Central <a href="#">Click Here to Join Webinar</a>	Provide information on preparing to administer the WIDA ACCESS for ELLs assessment	Test Administrators
	<b>Pre-Testing: ACCESS for ELLs for New District Test Coordinators</b> Thursday, September 24, 1pm-2pm Central <a href="#">Click Here to Join Webinar</a>	Provide how-to information on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Creating WIDA User Accounts</li> <li>• Monitoring test administrator training completion</li> <li>• Using WIDA AMS as a District Test Coordinator</li> </ul>	District Test Coordinators

October 2020	<b>Pre-Testing: Software Updates &amp; Technology Readiness Checklist</b> Tuesday, October 6, 1pm-2pm Central <a href="#">Click Here to Join Webinar</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Overview of COS layout</li> <li>• Walk-through system requirements</li> <li>• Introduce and walk-through the Technology Readiness Checklist</li> <li>• Updates to DRC INSIGHT</li> </ul>	Technology Coordinators
	<b>Pre-Testing: Technology Installations* (1.5 hours)</b> Thursday, October 8, 1pm-2:30pm Central <a href="#">Click Here to Join Webinar</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provide installs of the COS INSIGHT and DTK on varying devices (Windows, Macs, Chromebooks, iPads)</li> <li>• Share information on updated system requirements</li> </ul>	Technology Coordinators
	<b>Pre-Testing: Ordering Materials in WIDA AMS</b> Tuesday, October 13, 1pm-2pm Central <a href="#">Click Here to Join Webinar</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provide how-to information on:             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Ordering test materials for paper and online</li> <li>▪ Monitoring order status</li> <li>▪ Confirming shipping address</li> <li>▪ Communicate ordering expectations</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Share grade levels 1-3 and 4-5 ordering considerations</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Test Administrators</li> <li>• District Test Coordinators</li> </ul>
	<b>Pre-Testing: Test Scheduling</b> Thursday, October 22, 1pm-2pm Central <a href="#">Click Here to Join Webinar</a>	Provide how-to information on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Scheduling paper and online testing</li> <li>• Grouping students</li> <li>• Timing of tests</li> <li>• Scheduling practice tests</li> <li>• Scheduling a room</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Test Administrators</li> <li>• District Test Coordinators</li> </ul>
November 2020	<b>Pre-Testing: Technology Coordinator Support for Test Administrators</b> Tuesday, November 10, 1pm-2pm Central <a href="#">Click Here to Join Webinar</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provide Technology Coordinators information to communicate with Test Coordinators and Administrators</li> <li>• Facilitate how to establish a local communication plan to identify issues and troubleshoot if problems arise</li> <li>• Review when to support Test Administrators at their testing sites by training them to respond to technical issues and when/how to report them</li> </ul>	Technology Coordinators
	<b>During Testing: Managing Students in WIDA AMS (Online)</b> Thursday, November 12, 1pm-2pm Central <a href="#">Click Here to Join Webinar</a>	Provide how-to information on student demographic information and accommodations	Test Administrators
	<b>Kindergarten ACCESS for ELLs for New Test Administrators</b> Tuesday, November 17, 1pm-2pm Central <a href="#">Click Here to Join Webinar</a>	Provide an overview of Kindergarten ACCESS for ELLs, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Scheduling</li> <li>• Basics of administration</li> <li>• Review of training resources</li> </ul>	Test Administrators
December 2020	<b>Alternate ACCESS for ELLs Test for New Test Administrators</b> Tuesday, December 1, 1pm-2pm Central <a href="#">Click Here to Join Webinar</a>	Provide an overview of Alternate ACCESS for ELLs, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Scheduling</li> <li>• Basics of administration</li> <li>• Review of training resources</li> </ul>	Test Administrators

December 2020	<b>During Testing: Managing Test Sessions (Online)</b> Tuesday, December 8, 1pm-2pm Central <a href="#">Click Here to Join Webinar</a>	Provide how-to information on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Creating test sessions</li> <li>• Printing test tickets</li> <li>• Managing test sessions</li> </ul>	Test Administrators
	<b>During Testing: Managing Students in WIDA AMS (Paper)</b> Tuesday, December 15, 1pm-2pm Central <a href="#">Click Here to Join Webinar</a>	Provide how-to information on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bubbling/Labeling</li> <li>• Comparing student information in WIDA AMS</li> </ul>	Test Administrators
January 2021	<b>During Testing: Managing Test Materials (Paper)</b> Tuesday, January 5, 1pm-2pm Central <a href="#">Click Here to Join Webinar</a>	Provide information on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Paper inventory</li> <li>• Additional materials</li> <li>• Secure material protocol</li> </ul>	Test Administrators
	<b>During Testing: Technology Troubleshooting</b> Thursday, January 7, 1pm-2pm Central <a href="#">Click Here to Join Webinar</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provide an overview of the various error messages</li> <li>• Common troubleshooting solutions</li> </ul>	Technology Coordinators
	<b>Post-Testing: Returning Materials (Paper)</b> Thursday, January 28, 1pm-2pm Central <a href="#">Click Here to Join Webinar</a>	Determine what materials to return, how, and when	Test Administrators
February 2021	<b>During Testing: Monitoring Completion for Test Coordinators (Online)</b> Tuesday, February 2, 1pm-2pm Central <a href="#">Click Here to Join Webinar</a>	Provide information on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Student status reports</li> <li>• Daily cumulative student status report</li> <li>• Online testing statistics</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Test Administrators</li> <li>• District Test coordinators</li> </ul>
March 2021	<b>Post-Testing: Data Validation</b> Tuesday, March 9, 1pm-2pm Central <a href="#">Click Here to Join Webinar</a>	Provide how-to information on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Validating student data</li> <li>• Correcting student data</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Test Administrators</li> <li>• District Test Coordinators</li> </ul>
	<b>Post-Testing: Interpreting Score Reports</b> Tuesday, March 16, 1pm-2pm Central <a href="#">Click Here to Join Webinar</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Share how to interpret score report data</li> <li>• Review general data corrections and scoring appeals process</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Test Administrators</li> <li>• District Test Coordinators</li> </ul>