



# PARCC Field Test Update

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Illinois State Board of Education



# Agenda

- Field Test Updates
- Q&A



# Next Webinar

- March 21
- These will largely be in an open forum format.



# PARCC Technology Forums

Thursday, March 20, 2014  
3:00 pm

Thursday, March 27, 2014  
3:00 pm



# Delivery Summary

Task	Timeline
Initial delivery for Performance-Based Assessment (PBA)	Week of 3/17/14
Initial delivery for End-of-Year Assessment (EOY)	Week of 4/21/14
Additional orders window for PBA – test materials	3/19/14- 4/30/14
Additional orders window for PBA – return materials	5/1/14 - 5/9/14
Additional orders window for EOY – test materials	4/21/14 - 6/4/14
Additional orders window for EOY – return materials	6/5/14 - 6/13/14
Deadline to return materials for PBA (instructions in Section 4.2.10 of the <a href="#">Test Coordinator Manual for Paper-Based Testing</a> )	Pick-ups must occur as soon as possible after testing is complete, but no later than one week after the testing window ends
Deadline to return materials for EOY (instructions in Section 4.2.10 of the <a href="#">Test Coordinator Manual for Paper-Based Testing</a> )	Pick-ups must occur as soon as possible after testing is complete, but no later than one week after the testing window ends



# Shipping

- There is an update to Appendix G of the Test Coordinator Manual. Shipping materials will be shipped to the LEA Test Coordinator (not the School Test Coordinator).



# Student Authorization Tickets

- Each test session will have a unique Test Code for each student that will be printed on the Student Authorization Ticket printed by the School Test Coordinator and found in PearsonAccess. Students will be prompted to enter the Test Code to access the test.



# Seal Codes

- Seal Codes are used to lock sessions of the test. Seal Codes prevent students from going ahead to a session not being administered or going back to a session that has already been completed. Seal codes ensure that test sessions are taken in order.





# After Testing

- After student has checked his or her work, the student may sit quietly and read a recreational book.



# Make-Up Testing

- Students who are not tested on the regular administration date should be tested on a make-up day, which can be on any day after the initial administration as long as it falls within the testing window.
- Test sessions must be administered in order.



# iPad and Chromebook

- Update required beginning March 17
- One hour app update focused technology forums on March 17, 19, and 21





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