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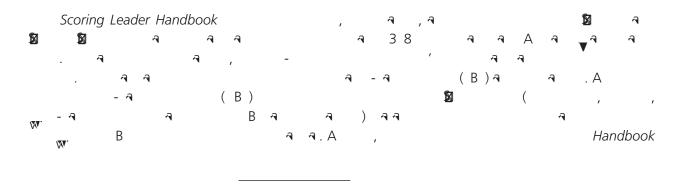
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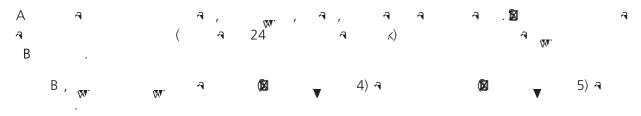
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Introduction



Important Information for Scoring the Tests

Scoring Models



Training Set

Practice Set

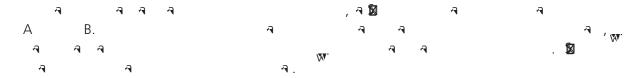
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Consistency Assurance Set

Dates for Scoring and Returning PBT Student Answer Sheets

Scoring Materials

Adherence to Scoring Protocol



No one, *nder an. circ m ance*, including the student, may alter the student's responses on the test once the student has handed in their test materials. Teachers and administrators who engage in inappropriate conduct with respect to administering and scoring State assessments may be subject to disciplinary actions in accordance with Sections 3020

PBT Scoring Site Organization

Scoring Site Coordinator

- · Supervision and management of the site
- Support for scoring
- Logistics for operations
- Security
- · Coordination of site personnel
- Collection of audit papers

Operations

Scoring Site Assistants

- Check-in printed test booklets
- Prepare printed test booklets for scoring (organize and randomize)
- Deliver and collect scored test booklets
- Quality check PBT answer sheets
- Return PBT answer sheets to scanning centers
- · Return test booklets to schools
- Monitor and maintain security
- Maintain quality control
- Ship completed materials to schools

Scoring

Scoring Leader

- Acts as a scoring trainer
- Monitors scoring sessions
- Supports Table Facilitators and Scorers
- Administers CAS to Table Facilitators and Scorers

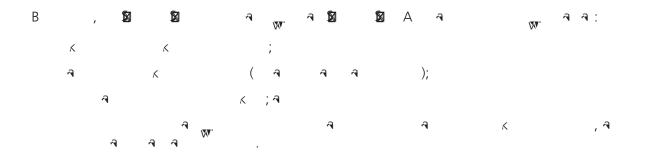
Table Facilitators

- Monitor scoring progress to ensure scoring of all papers by the end of scoring period
- Conduct read-behinds to ensure accurate and reliable scoring
- Are a resource for rubric and training material clarification

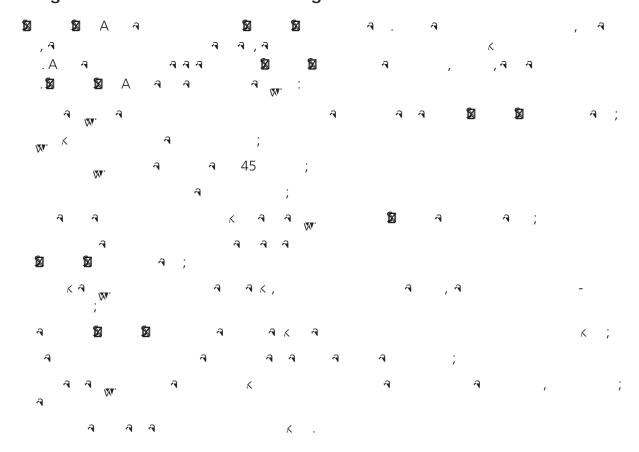
Scorers

• Score student constructed responses

All scoring personnel are responsible for maintaining the confidentiality of student responses.



Scoring Site Assistants for PBT Scoring



Scoring Leaders



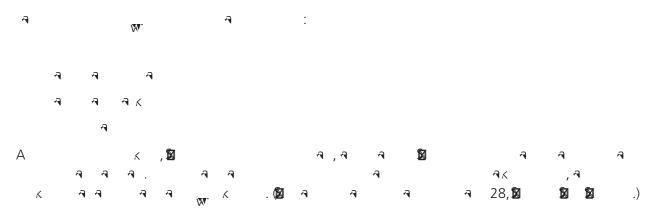
General Requirements for Scoring Committee Member

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Scoring Site Layout and Resources

General Facility Requirements



Space Requirements

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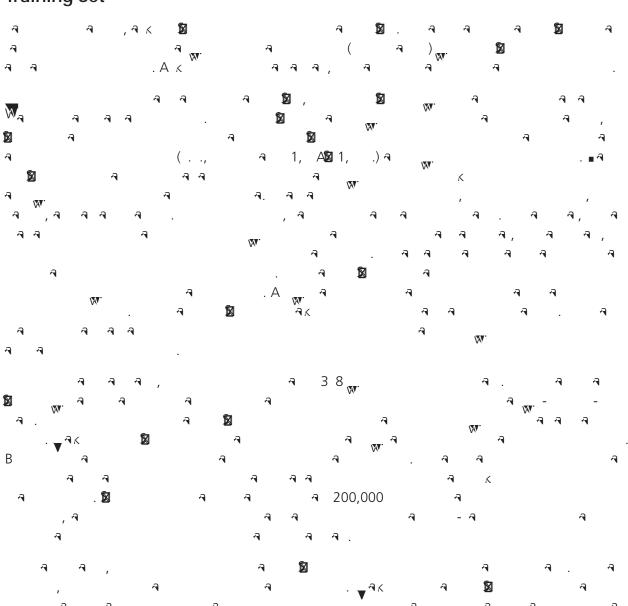
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Scoring Leader Handbook

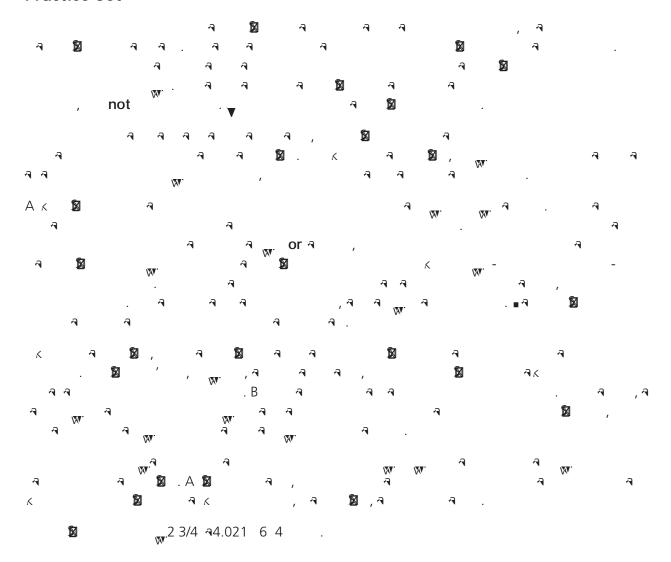
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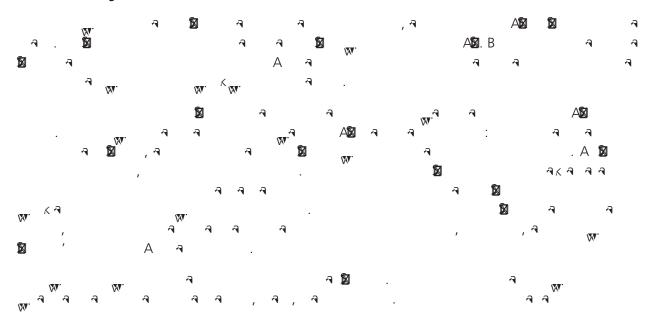
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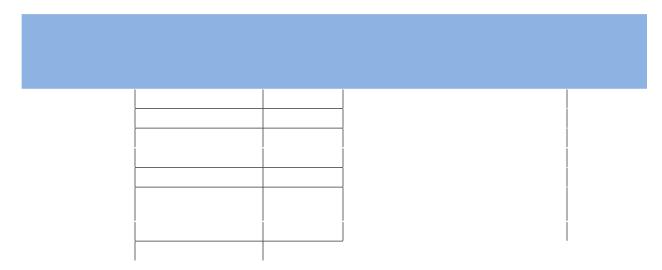




Consistency Assurance Set



Recommended Assignment of Test Questions to Scorers for Mathematics Tests





Training for Scoring

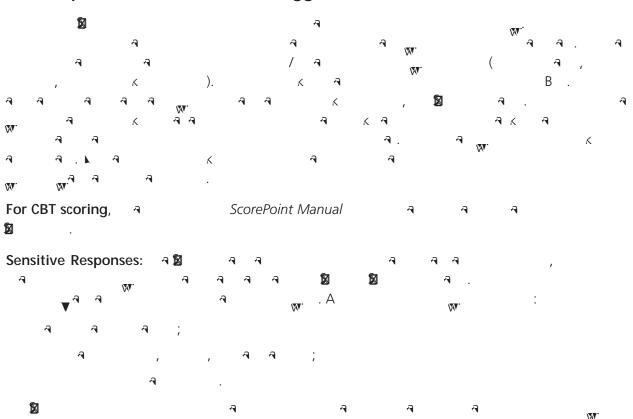
Scoring Leader Training



Scorer Training



PBT Responses That Should Be Flagged



Scoring Model Codes



Scoring Model Code	The Scorers for the school's tests include the following:
1. Regional scoring	 a) Scorers from three or more school districts, or b) Scorers from two or more charter, religious, or independent schools in an affiliation group (charter, religious, or independent schools may participate in regional scoring with public school districts, and each charter, religious, or independent school may be counted as one district)
2. Schools from two districts*	 a) Scorers from two school districts, b) Scorers from two religious or independent schools, c) Scorers from two charter schools, or d) A combination of staff from two of the following: a school district, charter school, religious school, or independent school
3. Three or more schools within a district Scorers from three or more schools in a district	
4. Two schools within a district (PBT only) Scorers from two schools in a district	
5. One school (PBT only)	Three or more Scorers for each grade being scored, all from the same school
6. Private Contractor	Scored by a private contractor (not a BOCES)

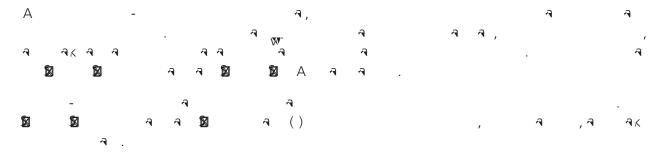
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Regardless of the scoring model being used, a minimum of three Scorers is necessary to score each student's test. However, to comply with a State requirement, none of the Scorers assigned to score a student's test responses may be that student's teacher (refer to "Randomizing and Building PBT Booklet Folders/Boxes" on pages 31–32 for further details).

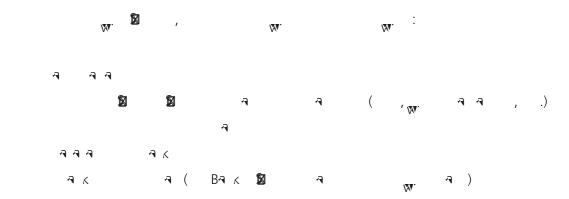
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Preparation for Scoring

Optional Pre-Scoring Meeting



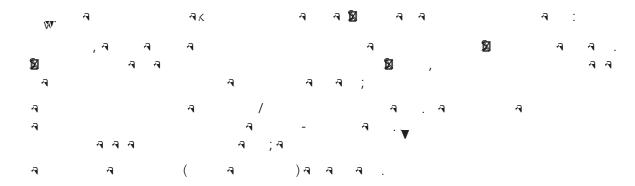
Correspondence with Scorers



Assigning Scorer Numbers and Questions to PBT Scoring Committee Members



Assigning Scorers to Scoring Tables



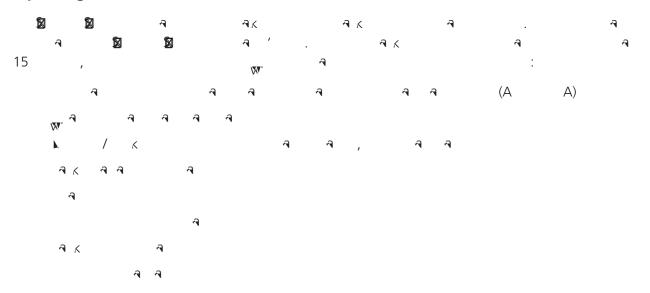
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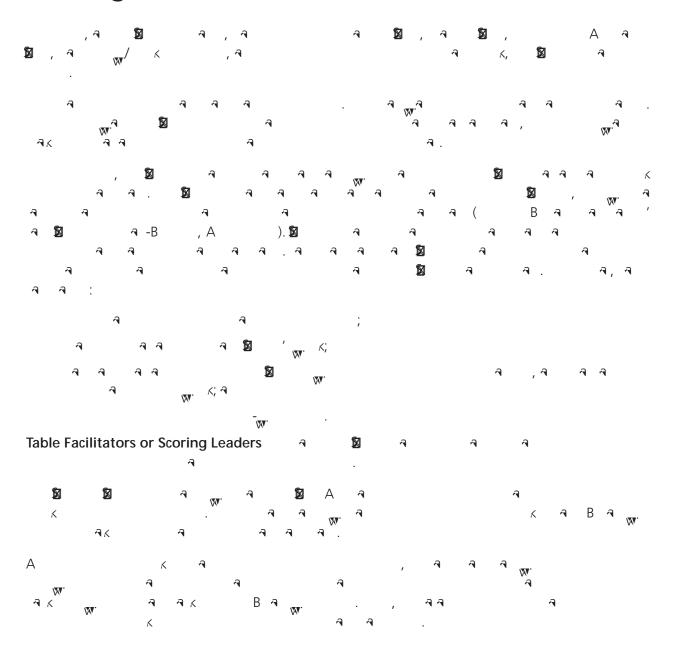
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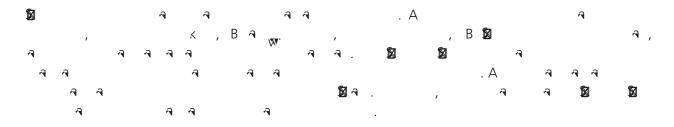
Opening Remarks



Scoring



Scoring Site Security



NOTE: No one is permitted, <u>for any reason</u>, to remove any printed test booklets, PBT answer sheets, ScorePoint login credentials, or scoring materials from the scoring site without authorization from the Scoring Site Coordinator.



Room Security



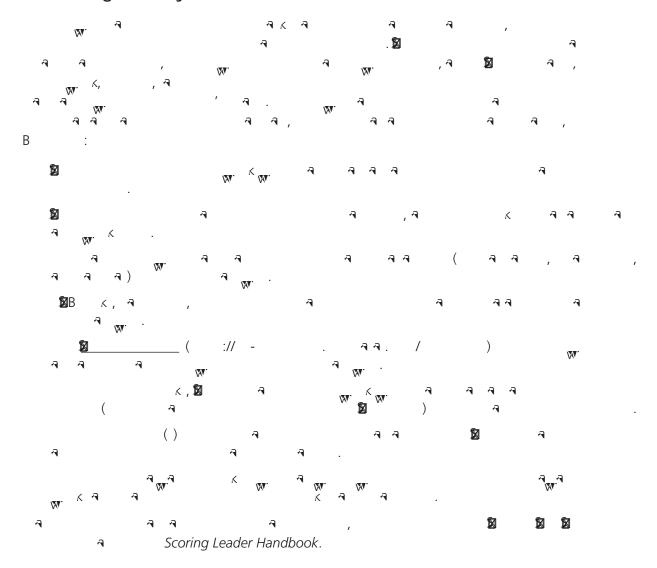
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Confidentiality



CBT Scoring Security Recommendations



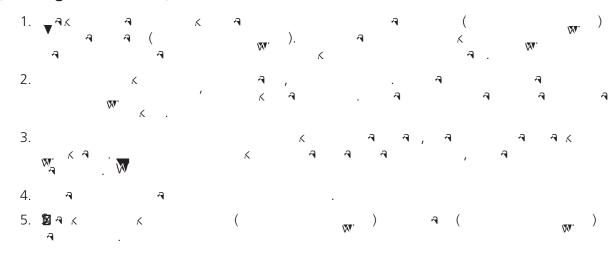
PBT Operations/Logistics

Overview

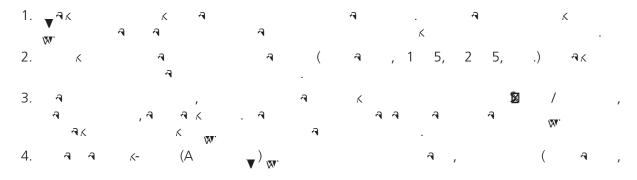
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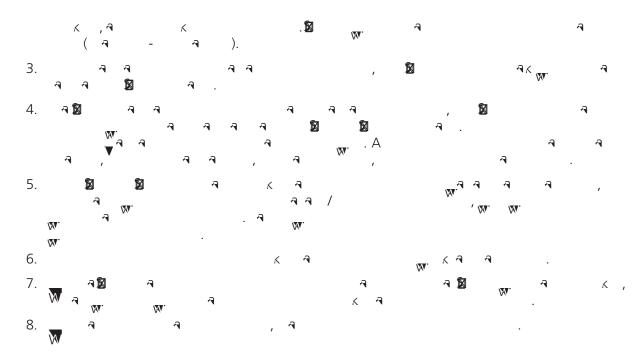
Checking In PBT Materials from Schools

Schoolwide Scoring (Scoring Model 5) and Districtwide Scoring (Scoring Models 2–4)



Regional Scoring (Scoring Model 1) and Private Contractor Scoring (Scoring Model 6)

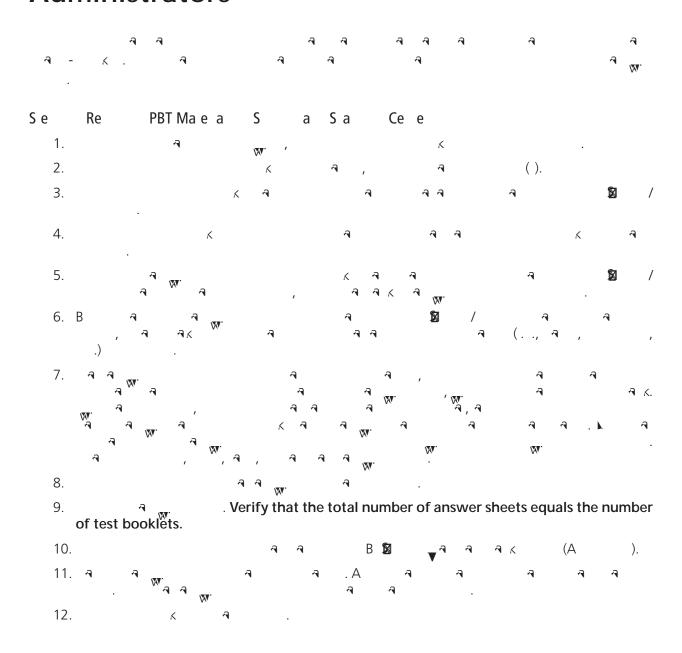




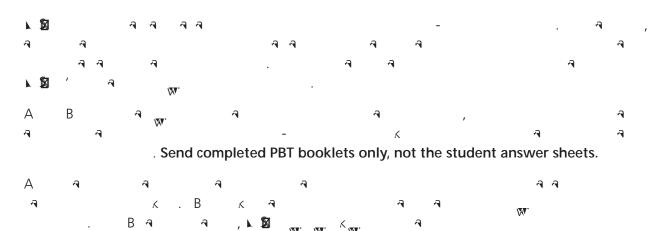
No Double Scoring



Forwarding PBT Answer Sheets to Scanning Centers and Returning PBT Booklets to School Administrators



Audit Scoring



Return of Scoring Ancillary Materials



Scoring Support



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Scoring Helpline:

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2023 Scoring Window Dates:

Appendices

Appendix A: Exam Scoring Confidentiality Agreement

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EXAM SCORING CONFIDENTIALITY AGREEMENT

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Appendix B: Scoring Operations Certificate

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Appendix C: Guidelines for Including Special Education Teachers in Scoring Committees



Special Education Teaching Titles Awarded Prior to February 2, 2004

Special Education Teaching Titles Awarded On or After February 2, 2004

Certificate Titles Awarded On or After February 2, 2004	May Score English Language Arts Tests and/ or Mathematics Tests in these Grades	Additional Requirements
Students with Disabilities Grades 1–6	3–6	_
Students with Disabilities Grades 5–9—Generalist	5–8	_
Students with Disabilities Grades 5–9—Content Specialist	5–6 7–8	Grades 7–8 if English language arts and/ or mathematics is the content specialization on certificate, or if highly qualified at middle/secondary level in English language arts and/or mathematics
Students with Disabilities Grades 7–12—Content Specialist	7–8	Only if English language arts and/or mathematics is the content specialization on certificate, or if highly qualified at middle/secondary level in English language arts and/or mathematics
Deaf and Hard of Hearing	3–6 7–8	Grades 7–8 if highly qualified at middle/ secondary level in English language arts and/or mathematics
Blind and Visually Impaired	3–6	

Appendix D: PBT Scorer Assignment List

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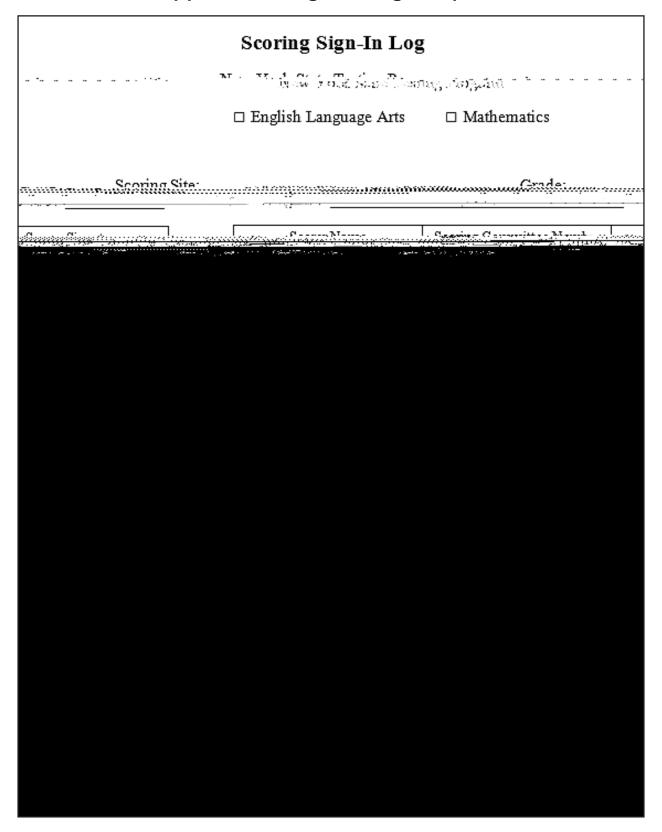
English Language Arts Mathematics

Scorer Assignment List for Grade ____

Scorer Name	Scoring Committee Number

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Appendix E: Sign-In Log Template



Appendix G: PBT Table Facilitators' Tally Sheet for Read-Behinds

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Appendix H: PBT Box Label Template

Box Label

New York State GRADE ____

CONTENT:

English Language Arts Session 2 Booklet

Appendix I: PBT Return to Scorer Template

New York State RETURN TO SCORER GRADE: BOX#:____ CONTENT:

Appendix J: PBT Secure Materials Tracking Log

		Time											
		Date											
			ı		Tracking #s for English Language Arts Session 1 booklets and Mathematics Session 1 booklets								
atics Tests g	to Room	# and Type of Accommodated Test Booklets		Location		Scoring Site		age Location					
Grades 3-8 English Language Arts and Mathematics Tests Secure Printed Materials Tracking Log Room Number:	sions:	# of ELA Session 1 Answer Booklets		Materials Moved from Room to Secure Storage Location		Materials Moved from Secure Storage Location to Scoring Site		Materials Moved from Scoring Site to Secure Storage Location					
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Proctor's Name:	Grade:	Principal's or Designee's Signature											

Appendix K: Sample PBT Classroom Roster

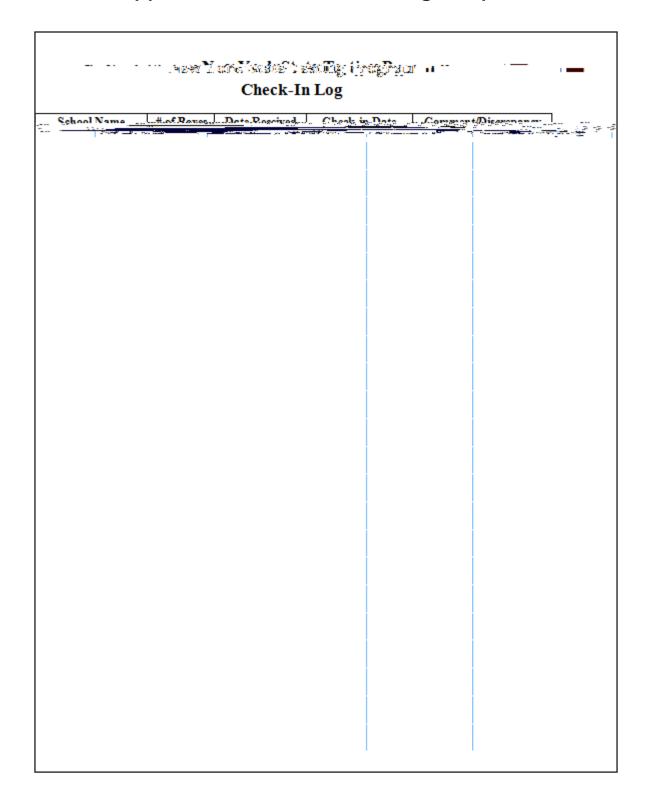
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Appendix M: PBT Check-In Log Template



Appendix N: PBT Folder Label Template

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Appendix O: Approximate Read Times for Scoring English Language Arts

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Average Read Times: English Language Arts							
	2-Credit	Questions	4-Credit Questions				
Grade	Electronic Pencil/Paper		Electronic	Pencil/Paper			
3	0.62	1.23					
4	0.46	0.92	1.32	2.12			
5	0.65	1.3	1.47	2.27			
6	0.64	1.27					

Approximate Read Tim							

Appendix P: Approximate Read Times for Scoring Mathematics

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Average Read Times: Mathematics								
	1-Credit (Questions	2-Credit (Questions	3-Credit Questions			
Grade	Electronic	Pencil/ Paper	Electronic	Pencil/ Paper	Electronic	Pencil/ Paper		
3	0.17	0.35	0.42	0.83	0.53	1.06		
4	0.21	0.41	0.38	0.76	0.58	1.16		
5	0.19	0.38	0.47	0.93	0.82	1.62		
6	0.28	0.57	0.5	1	0.58	1.16		
7	0.17	0.33	0.33	0.67	0.4	0.8		
8	0.18	0.37	0.4	0.81	0.52	1.04		

	Approximate Read Times for Each Question: Mathematics Grade 3 and 4								
	Gra	de 3		Grade 4					
Question	Credits	Electronic	Pencil/ Paper	Question	Credits	Electronic	Pencil/ Paper		
Q. 31	1	0.17	0.34	Q. 36	1	0.22	0.44		
Q. 32	1	0.18	0.36	Q. 37	1	0.2	0.4		
Q. 33	1	0.17	0.34	Q. 38	1	0.2	0.4		
Q. 34	2	0.37	0.74	Q. 39	2	0.28	0.56		
Q. 35	2	0.53	1.06	Q. 40	2	0.7	1.4		
Q. 36	2	0.38	0.76	Q. 41	2	0.33	0.66		
Q. 37	2	0.38	0.76	Q. 42	2	0.25	0.5		
Q. 38	3	0.53	1.06	Q. 43	2	0.33	0.66		
				Q. 44	3	0.58	1.16		

	Approximate Read Times for Each Question: Mathematics Grade 5 and 6								
	Gra	de 5			Gra	de 6			
Question	Credits	Electronic	Pencil/ Paper	Question	Credits	Electronic	Pencil/ Paper		
Q. 36	1	0.22	0.44	Q. 37	1	0.2	0.4		
Q. 37	1	0.18	0.36	Q. 38	1	0.37	0.74		
Q. 38	1	0.17	0.34	Q. 39	1	0.28	0.56		
Q. 39	2	0.4	0.8	Q. 40	2	0.35	0.7		
Q. 40	2	0.48	0.96	Q. 41	2	0.5	1		
Q. 41	2	0.5	1	Q. 42	2	0.42	0.84		
Q. 42	2	0.48	0.96	Q. 43	2	0.55	1.1		
Q. 43	2	0.47	0.94	Q. 44	2	0.63	1.26		
Q. 44	3								

Approximate Read Times for Each Question: Mathematics Grade 7 and 8							

Appendix R: ScorePoint System Requirements

	Windows	Macintosh	Chromebooks			
Operating System	Windows 10 Windows Server 2016 (latest service pack)	macOS 10.13.4 to 10.13.6, 10.14.x, 10.15.x				
Processor	Intel Core 2 Duo 1.6 Ghz equi	valent or higher CPU	1.4 Ghz + or equivalent			
System Memory	Minimum 512MB Ram Recommended 2GB RAM with 1GB free RAM Minimum 1GB free storage space					
Supported Browsers	Google Chrome 67+					
Screen Size & Resolution	Recommend 11.6" or larger screen size for desktops, 9.7" or larger for Chromebooks Minimum 1024 X 768 screen resolution					
Local Area Network (LAN)	Minimum General Requirement: 802.11g Wireless 54 Mbps or greater 100 Mbps LAN for desktops Minimum available LAN bandwidth at each workstation: 1 Mbps Recommended General Settings: 802.11n Wireless 150 Mbps or higher 1 Gbps LAN for desktops Recommended available LAN bandwidth at each workstation: 2 Mbps					
Internet Speed	Minimum per device: 150 Kbps Recommended: 300 Kbps					



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