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RFQ: Teacher and Principal Evaluation Service Provider - Assessments (App Period: 2015-16)



STUDENT ASSESSMENTS AND ASSOCIATED GROWTH MODELS FOR TEACHER AND PRINCIPAL EVALUATION



PUBLICLY AVAILABLE SERVICES SUMMARY

This form will be posted on the New York State Education Department's Web site and distributed through other means for all applications that are approved in conjunction with this RFQ to allow districts and BOCES to understand proposed offerings in advance of directly contacting Assessment Providers regarding potential further procurements.

Assessment Provider Information	
Name of Assessment Provider:	Eastern Suffolk BOCES
Assessment Provider Contact	15 Andrea Road
Information:	Holbrook, NY 11741
Name of Assessment:	
Nature of Assessment:	ASSESSMENT FOR USE WITH STUDENT LEARNING OBJECTIVES WITH A TARGET SETTING MODEL; OR
	SUPPLEMENTAL ASSESSMENT WITH AN ASSOCIATED GROWTH MODEL: GAIN SCORE MODEL GROWTH-TO-PROFICIENCY MODEL STUDENT GROWTH PERCENTILES PROJECTION MODELS VALUE-ADDED MODELS OTHER:
What are the grade(s) for which the assessment can be used to generate a 0-20 APPR score?	Grades 9-12 for courses that do not culminate in a State Assessment as checked and listed in Form B1
What are the subject area(s) for which the assessment can be used to generate a 0-20 APPR score?	All subject areas listed in Form B1 that do not culminate in a State Assessment
What are the technology requirements associated with the assessment?	Technology/adaptive devices can be used in accordance with a student's IEP
Is the assessment available, either for free or through purchase, to other districts or BOCES in New York State?	☐ YES ⊠ NO

Please provide an overview of the assessment for districts and BOCES. Please include:

- A description of the assessment;
- A description of how the assessment is administered;
- A description of how scores are reported (include links to sample reports as appropriate);
- A description of how the Assessment Provider supports implementation of the assessment, including any technical assistance. (3 pages max)

Assessments are directly linked to National CTE Common Core Standards for subject area and NYS Common Core Standards. It includes a written and practical skills assessment in each content area.

The Assessments are administered during the student's time in the program.

Scores are reported through our student management system.

Practical assessments are graded by industry professionals from outside the school system.

Please provide an overview of the student-level growth model or target setting model for SLOs for districts and BOCES, along with how student-level growth scores are aggregated to the create teacher-level scores, and how those teacher-level scores are converted to New York State's 0-20 metric.

Assessments are directly linked to National CTE Common Core Standards for subject area and NYS Common Core Standards. It includes multiple written and/or practical skills assessments in each content area.

Targets are set for each student to achieve a passing score based upon their performance on their most recent ELA assessment. The percentage of students that met their targets are calculated to determine teacher scores, accounted for in the teacher's SLO and are applied to the approved HEDI scale.

New York State Next Generation Assessment Priorities

Please provide detail on how the proposed supplemental assessment I or assessment to be used with SLOs addresses each of the Next Generation Assessment Priorities below.

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Characteristics of Good ELA and	Good ELA and Math assessments are directly tied to the
Math Assessments (only	NYS Common Core Standards.
applicable to ELA and math assessments):	
Assessments Woven Tightly Into	The assessments are seamlessly administered in
the Curriculum:	conjunction with class instruction, the goals of the teacher and NYS Common Core Standards.
Performance Assessment:	Performance Assessments are content specific and reflect skills required to be successful in industry.
Efficient Time-Saving Assessments:	Written assessments are multiple choice and allow for students to demonstrate their individual knowledge and understanding. An administration window is developed to ensure consistency across the programs. A combination of scantron sheets and online testing will be utilized to maximize efficiency.
Technology:	Technology/adaptive devices can be used in accordance with the student's IEP.

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Degree to which the growth model must differentiate across New York State's four levels of teacher effectiveness (only applicable to supplemental assessments):	Not applicable
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APPLICANT CERTIFICATION FORM –ASSESSMENTS FOR USE WITH STUDENT LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Please read each of the items below and check the corresponding box to ensure the fulfillment of the technical criteria.

PLEASE SUBMIT ONE "FORM H" FOR EACH APPLICANT. CO-APPLICANTS SHOULD SUBMIT SEPARATE FORMS.

The Applicant makes the following assurances:

Assurance	Check each box:
The assessment is rigorous, meaning that it is aligned to the New York State learning standards or, in instances where there are no such learning standards that apply to a subject/grade level, alignment to research-based learning standards.	
To the extent practicable, the assessment must be valid and reliable as defined by the Standards of Educational and Psychological Testing.	\boxtimes
The assessment can be used to measure one year's expected growth for individual students.	\boxtimes
For K-2 assessments, the assessment is not a "Traditional Standardized Assessment" as defined in Section 1.3 of this RFQ.	\boxtimes
For assessments previously used under Education Law §3012-c, the assessment results in differentiated student-level performance. If the assessment has not produced differentiated results in prior school years, the applicant assures that the lack of differentiation is justified by equivalently consistent student results based on other measures of student achievement.	
For assessments not previously used in teacher/principal evaluation, the applicant has a plan for collecting evidence of differentiated student results such that the evidence will be available by the end of each school year.	
At the end of each school year, the applicant will collect evidence demonstrating that the assessment has produced differentiated student-level results and will provide such evidence to the Department upon request. ³	

³ Please note, pursuant to Section 2.3 of this RFQ, an assessment may be removed from the approved list if such assessment does not comply with one or more of the criteria for approval set forth in this RFQ

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To be completed by the Copyright Owner/Assessment Representative of the assessment being proposed and, where necessary, the co-applicant LEA:

Eastern Suffolk BOCES 1. Name of Organization (PLEASE PRINT/TYPE)	4. Signature of Authorized Representative (PLEASE USE BLUE INK)
Leah Arnold 2. Name of Authorized Representative (PLEASE PRINT/TYPE)	4/5/16 5. Date Signed
Director, Career, Technical and Adult Education 3. Title of Authorized Representative (PLEASE PRINT/TYPE)	
1. Name of LEA (PLEASE PRINT/TYPE)	4. Signature of School Representative
2. School Representative's Name (PLEASE PRINT/TYPE)	(PLEASE USE BLUE INK) 5. Date Signed
3. Title of School Representative (PLEASE	

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