STUDENT ASSESSMENTS
AND ASSOCIATED GROWTH MODELS FOR
TEACHER AND PRINCIPAL EVALUATION

FORM C

PUBLICLY AVAILABLE SERVICES SUMMARY

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Assessment Provider Information	
Name of Assessment Provider:	Fort Plain Central School District
Assessment Provider Contact Information:	**Lauren Crisman, Superintendent**
Name of Assessment:	Locally Developed Assessment

Nature of Assessment:	X☐ 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 K-2 for ELA and Math Grades K-12 for non-state assessment courses
What are the subject area(s) for which the assessment can be used to generate a 0-20 APPR score?	ELA, Math, Science, Social Studies, Foreign Language, Art, Music, Business, Technology, Home and Career, Physical Education, Reading, Special Education Courses
What are the technology requirements associated with the assessment?	Calculators for math/science exams
Is the assessment available, either for free or through purchase, to other districts or BOCES in New York State?	☐ YES X☐ 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)**

- Description: Assessments are directly linked to either NYS Standards for the subject area or NYS Next Generation Learning Standards. Assessments mirror models provided in NYS assessments.
- How administered: Pre-assessments are administered in a one period setting at the beginning of the school year. Year-end assessments are administered in class or during the Regents testing period.
- How scores are reported: Scores are reported through our student information system.
- How implemented: Any pre- and post- and Performance-based assessments are implemented using the same criteria found in the Examination Administration documents from NYSED. All exams are secured until the day of administration.

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.

Baseline data consisting of students' pre-assessment scores, demographic information (i.e., Special Education, New Language Learner and poverty classifications), historical data (i.e., students' prior performance and course-level expectations), and state proficiency levels (i.e., passing and mastery) are used collaboratively to establish rigorous targets, consistent with one year of expected growth. The percent of students in the teacher's SLO population that achieves their target score will be converted to the current New York State 0-20 metric and assigned a H-E-D-I rating for student performance. Teachers with percentages from 90-100 are HE (18-20 points), 75-89 are E (15-17 points), 60-74 are D (13-14 points) and 0-59 are (0-12 points).

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.

Characteristics of Good ELA and Math Assessments (only applicable to ELA and math assessments):	Aligned and based on the NGLS and NYS Standards
Assessments Woven Tightly Into the Curriculum:	Reviewed by administrators to ensure alignment
Performance Assessment:	Whenever possible students are asked to perform authentic tasks
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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):	

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FORM H

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.	x☐
To the extent practicable, the assessment must be valid and reliable as defined by the Standards of Educational and Psychological Testing.	x☐
The assessment can be used to measure one year's expected growth for individual students.	x☐
For K-2 assessments, the assessment is not a "Traditional Standardized Assessment" as defined in Section 1.3 of this RFQ.	x☐
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.	x☐
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.	x☐
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.[4]	x☐

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[4] 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

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

Fort Plain Central School District 1. Name of Organization (PLEASE PRINT/TYPE)	*David W Zulin* 4. Signature of Authorized Representative (PLEASE USE **BLUE** INK)
Mr. David Ziskin 2. Name of Authorized Representative (PLEASE PRINT/TYPE)	*5/2/2016* 5. Date Signed
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