Resources

- [Slides](#)
- [Assessment Calendar](#)
- [SAU Technical Assistance Form](#)

General

Can school and SAU personnel still access prior assessment scores on the FocalPoint K12 site?

Maine's Accountability and Assessment Reporting System (MAARS), for which the vendor was FocalPoint K12, was sunset in early summer 2023.

At this time, the Maine DOE Data Team is creating a "data lake" that will store the assessment information previously available in MAARS and make that data available to SAUs. We do not yet have a timeline for the availability of the new data lake.

In order to access unsuppressed data for your school or SAU, please complete a Data Request form, which can be found at the bottom of the [Data Warehouse page](#).

Maine Through Year

Resources
- [Updated Reports Interpretive Guide](#)
- [Spring 2024 Professional Learning Opportunities](#)
- [NWEA Maine Connection Page](#)

Questions:
No questions at this time

Maine Science

Resources
- [Maine Science Support](#)
- [Kite Reporting Platform](#)
- [Reporting Platform Guide](#)
- [Score Interpretation Guide](#)
- [Practice Assessments and Tutorials](#)

Question

Is there a negative to rostering by grade level, specifically rostering all students in a grade level to one class (i.e., proctor group)?

You can certainly place all students in a grade level in a single class, or proctor group. Multiple proctors can log in to the same proctor group over multiple days, so that will not impact the administration of the assessment.

 If there are many students in the grade level, however, you may want to consider the ease of access, for example the need to scroll through a long list of students to monitor progress, reseat a student, or enable text-to-speech.

NAEP & International

Questions
No questions at this time

ACCESS & Alternate ACCESS (English language proficiency)

Resources
- Test Administrator Essentials, Test Administration Manual, Accessibility and Accommodations Guide and more can be found on the Maine DOE/ACCESS webpage: English Language Proficiency Assessments | Department of Education (maine.gov)

Questions
No questions at this time

MSAA (Math/ELA and Science)

Resources
- Test Administration Manual, User Guides, and Alternate Assessment Timeline can be found on the Maine DOE/MSAA webpage: MSAA | Department of Education (maine.gov)
- As a District Assessment Coordinator, will you need access to the MSAA Platform to view students, create TA accounts, monitor test status and eventually download reports? If so, complete the survey: MSAA Test Coordinator Survey

Questions
No questions at this time