





- A comprehensive system with two major components: **Summative** and **Periodic Assessments**.
- Components that may be used **independently** or **together**.
- Data that educators can use to build **effective** learning programs focused on **college and career readiness**.

	 INTERIM ASSESSMENTS	 CLASSROOM ASSESSMENTS	 SUMMATIVE ASSESSMENTS
Assessments	4 Interim Assessments, per grade, and per content area (16 Total)	10 Classroom Assessments, per grade, and per content area (40 Total)	1 Assessment per subject
Subject Areas	English, mathematics reading, science	English, mathematics reading, science	English, mathematics, reading, science and writing
Available Feedback	Immediate, computer-based analysis and reporting	Immediate, computer-based analysis and reporting	Up to 45 days after materials have been received In-Progress reports are available
Reports	District, School, Student/Parent, Teacher/Group, Item Response/Analysis	District, School, Student/Parent, Teacher/Group, Item Response/Analysis	State, District, Student/Parent, Teacher/Group
Response & Content Analysis Reporting	✓	✓	
Delivery	Online Only	Online Only	Online & Paper
Grades	3–EHS	3–8	3–EHS
Format	Fixed-format, computer-based, multiple choice	Fixed-format, computer-based, multiple choice	Multiple question types—constructed response, selected response, and technology enhanced
Length	45 minutes or less	10 to 15 minutes	Ranges from 40–75 minutes per subject based on subject and grade level
Designed for Rapid, Ongoing Measurement of Student Progress	✓	✓	✓
Flexible Administration	✓	✓	



INTERIM
ASSESSMENTS



CLASSROOM
ASSESSMENTS



SUMMATIVE
ASSESSMENTS

Connected to ACT College
and Career Readiness
Standards™



Linked to ACT College
Readiness Benchmarks



Indicators:

**A Progress toward Career
Readiness Indicator** for
students who test in grades
8–10 that is directly tied to
the ACT National Career
Readiness Certificate®



**A Progress with Text
Complexity Indicator**
for students who test with
reading

Scores:

**An English/Language Arts
score** for those students
who test in English, reading,
and writing

A STEM score for students
who test in science and
mathematics



**A predicted ACT
Composite score and
predicted ACT Subject
score** for grades 9–10
(early high school)

**Longitudinal Growth
Indicators**



**Includes the lowest
scored reporting category
with improvement ideas to
help student success**



**Relationship to the
Performance Level
Descriptors (PLDs)**

