

AASA Reporting Guide

ELA and Math Grades 3–8





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Introduction

Arizona's Academic Standards Assessment (AASA)

Arizona's Academic Standards Assessment (AASA) is the statewide achievement test for Arizona students in Grades 3-8. AASA assesses the Arizona English Language Arts Standards and Arizona Mathematics Standards adopted by the Arizona State Board of Education in December 2016. The grade-level ELA and mathematics tests are administered each spring to all students enrolled in Grades 3-8.

AASA Scores

For each content area of AASA, students will receive a scale score. Both ELA and mathematics content areas have their own scale score ranges.

For each content area, student performance is reported as one of four performance levels:

Level 1–Minimally Proficient, **Level 2–Partially Proficient**, **Level 3–Proficient**, and **Level 4–Highly Proficient**. Students who score at **Level 1–Minimally Proficient** or **Level 2–Partially Proficient** are likely to need support to be ready for the next grade. Students who score at **Level 3–Proficient** or **Level 4–Highly Proficient** are likely to be ready for the next grade.

Within each content area, there are reporting categories that describe the knowledge and skills assessed. Student performance on reporting categories is reported as one of three levels of mastery: **Below Mastery**, **At/Near Mastery**, or **Above Mastery**. Students who score "Below Mastery" demonstrated performance in the reporting category that was clearly below Proficient. Students who score "At/Near Mastery" demonstrated performance in the reporting category that was exactly at or immediately above/below Proficient. Students who score "Above Mastery" demonstrated performance in the reporting category that was clearly Proficient or higher.

A table with the AASA Reporting Categories by content area and grade level is displayed.

Reporting Categories by Content Area and Grade Level

Subject	Grade	Reporting Category	Sort Order
		Reading for Information	1
	3	Reading for Literature	2
ELA		Writing and Language	3
ELA		Reading for Information	1
	4-8	Reading for Literature	2
		Writing and Language	3
Subject	Grade	Reporting Category	Sort Order
		Operations, Algebraic Thinking, and Numbers in Base Ten	1
	3-5	Numbers and Operations – Fractions	2
		Measurement, Data, and Geometry	3
		Ratio and Proportional Relationships	1
	6-7	The Number System	2
Math		Expressions and Equations	3
		Geometry, Statistics and Probability	4
	8	Expressions and Equations	1
		Functions	2
		Geometry	3
		Statistics and Probability and The Number System	4

The Grade 8 student test scores from the AASA are linked to the American College Testing (ACT) scale to obtain an ACT predicted score range for each subject tested. The AASA Student Reports for Grade 8 English Language Arts (ELA) and Mathematics (Math) will include a "Predicted ACT Score" chart. This chart will include the student's "Score" and "Score Range." The student's score can vary. The score range included is the score the student would likely receive if they were to be tested again.

Students who score at or above the ACT score indicated on the AASA Score Report are more likely to be successful in college courses taken by first-year students. For information on the ACT college readiness benchmarks, please refer to the ACT Technical Manual at https://www.act.org/.

AASA Online Reports

AASA reports for educators are online reports in the PearsonAccess^{next} platform, which can be accessed at https://az.pearsonaccessnext.com.

The following reports and student data file will be accessible in PearsonAccess^{next} based on the user's role:

- District-level user roles—District Reports, Student Data File, and On Demand Reports:
 - AASA Confidential Roster Report with Summary (School-level, student roster by grade level and content area) (in PDF format)
 - AASA District Confidential Roster Report with Summary (District-level, student roster by grade level and content area) (in PDF format)
 - AASA On Demand Score Reports (online in PearsonAccess^{next})
 - AASA Longitudinal and Historical Score Reports (online in PearsonAccess^{next})
 - AASA Student Data File (in .txt format)
- School-level user roles—School Student Reports, Roster Reports, and On Demand Reports:
 - AASA Student Report (individual student reports, by grade level and content area) (in PDF format)
 - AASA Informe del Estudiante (individual student reports, by grade level and content area, in Spanish) (in PDF format)
 - AASA Confidential Roster Report with Summary (School-level, student roster by grade level and content area) (in PDF format)
 - AASA On Demand Score Reports (online in PearsonAccess^{next})
 - AASA Longitudinal and Historical Score Reports (online in PearsonAccess^{next})

AASA Confidential Roster Report with Summary

The AASA Confidential Roster Report with Summary of students' performance level in each scoring category displays for a specified grade and content area a student roster that includes each student's:

- name
- date of birth (DOB)
- state-issued identification number (SSID)
- scale score
- performance level
- mastery level for each reporting category

For the ELA Grade 3 AASA Confidential Roster Report with Summary, the "Met the Move On When Reading Requirement" will display an indicator for whether the student has met the Move On When Reading (MOWR) requirement.

The "Mean Scale Score" and "Students with Valid Results" will display at the top of both the ELA and mathematics AASA Confidential Roster Report with Summary.

The "Summary by Performance Level" table will also display on this report and will include the following details at the group level for the specified grade and content area:

- scale score ranges: Level 1–Minimally Proficient, Level 2–Partially Proficient, Level 3–Proficient, and Level 4–Highly Proficient
- number (#) of students in each scale score range
- percentage of students in each performance level (based on number (#) of students in each scale score range)

AASA Student Report (Individual Student Report)

The AASA Student Report is an individual student report that contains the following information for each student and for a single content area:

- name
- administration year and grade level
- state-issued identification number (SSID)
- date of birth (DOB)
- school name
- district name
- scale score
- performance level
- mastery level for each reporting category
- Grade 3 ELA score reports only "Met the Move On When Reading Requirement?" with an indicator for whether the third-grade student has met the Move On When Reading (MOWR) requirement
- writing essay performance, with the student's rubric scores for the writing portion, if an ELA student score report
- Grade 8 ELA and Math score reports only "Predicted ACT Score" with the student's predicted ACT test "Score" and "Score Range" by content area

Average scale scores for the school, district, and state are displayed for comparison. The layout of vertical bars assigned to these scale scores are similar to the vertical bar assigned to the individual student's scale score to allow for visual comparison.

AASA Grades 3–8 ELA and Math Paper Reports–Confidential Student Score Report and AASA Family Report Guide

AASA paper reports are shipped to districts after the end of a testing administration. The following reports are packaged by School and shipped to the District. Two copies of each AASA Confidential Student Score Report will be provided. One copy must be provided to the student's family along with the AASA Family Report Guide. One copy is for the student's cumulative folder.

The AASA Confidential Student Score Report is a one-page, two-sided report. Each report includes results for one student and one content area. The report includes the student's identification information, scale score, performance level, and mastery level for each reporting category. For ELA reports, writing essay performance with the student's rubric scores are included. For Grade 3 ELA reports, an indicator for whether or not the student has met the Move On When Reading (MOWR) requirement is also included. For Grade 8 ELA and Math score reports, there is a "Predicted ACT Score" table that includes the student's predicted ACT test "Score" and "Score Range." This information will be specific to each content area. For Grades 3–8 ELA and Math score reports, the average scale scores for school, district, and state are also shown for comparison.

The AASA Family Report Guide is a one-page, two-sided document, with English on one side and Spanish on the other. The guide helps parents interpret their student's AASA Confidential Student Score Report.

Online Reporting Platform—PearsonAccessnext

Educators will access the AASA online reports via PearsonAccess^{next}. Only authorized district and school personnel may access score reports in PearsonAccess^{next} since they contain confidential student information. Access to the score reports in PearsonAccess^{next} requires an appropriate user role.

- District-level user roles provide access to all school-level reports for schools within the district, all district-level reports, and all AASA Student Reports (individual student reports) for students who tested in the district. District-wide electronic student data files are also available for downloading from PearsonAccess^{next}.
- School-level user roles provide access to all school-level reports and all AASA Student Reports (individual student reports) for students who tested in the school.

Assigning user roles in PearsonAccess^{next} must be done with care to ensure that student privacy is protected.

AASA Online Reports in PearsonAccess^{next}

AASA reports have been designed with the reader's comprehension in mind. The goal of these reports is not only to deliver accurate assessment data, but to ensure it is correctly interpreted and understood by the audience. To this end, similar colors are used for groups of similar elements, such as performance levels, throughout the design. This design strategy guides the reader to compare like elements and avoid comparison of dissimilar elements.

All score report data are based on the total number of students whose tests have been scored. Score report data in PearsonAccess^{next} is considered preliminary. PearsonAccess^{next} is not the system used for accountability purposes. All score report data in PearsonAccess^{next}, except for individual students' score reports, can be disaggregated into testing groups, if these were set up by the school during the specified time frame, and additional subgroups for detailed analysis. For example, you can view a Grade 5 Math report for an entire school or for a district using the On Demand Reports feature. Additional details are provided in the *On Demand Reports in PearsonAccess^{next}* section found in this guide.

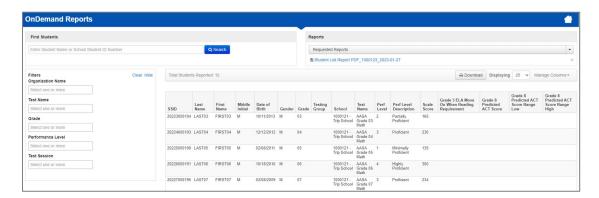
For Grade 3 ELA reports, an indicator for whether the student has met the Move On When Reading (MOWR) requirement is included. For Grade 8 ELA and Math score reports, the "Predicted ACT Score" and "Predicted ACT Score Range" (Score Range Low and Score Range High) that includes the student's predicted ACT test score and score range will be included. This information will be specific to each content area.

The AASA Student Report (individual student report) will include the average scale scores for the school, district, and state to allow for visual comparison.

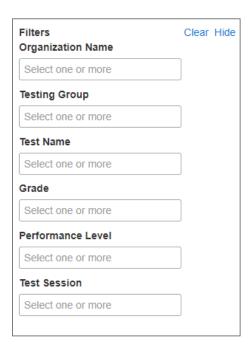
The school and district-level electronic score reports (in **PDF** format) and district-wide electronic student data files are available for downloading from PearsonAccess^{next}. All District Test Coordinators are urged to download and securely store these electronic records.

On Demand Reports in PearsonAccess^{next}

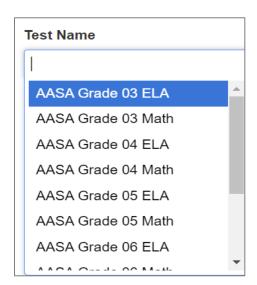
On Demand Reports will be available in PearsonAccess^{next} and can be accessed by both District Test Coordinators and School Test Coordinators. Reports can display by testing groups if these were set up by the school during the specified time frame. Filter and sort options will be available for use in the On Demand Reports.



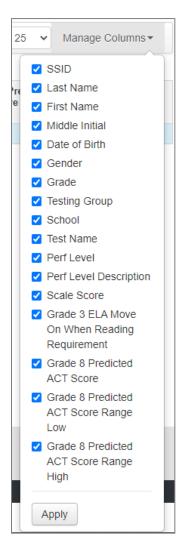
The use of filters will help narrow down the list of students displayed or downloaded. The **Organization Name** filter will only display the organizations for which the user has permission to view (District-level user or School-level user). All filters are multi-select fields, meaning that the user will be able to choose one or more options from the list.



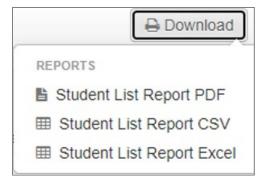
The **Test Name** filter in On Demand Reports will show all of the tests at the battery level by grade and content area. Examples: **AASA Grade 03 ELA** and **AASA Grade 03 Math** must be selected to view Grade 3 data.



Use the **Manage Columns** menu to add or remove data elements from your On Demand Report. Check or uncheck the boxes and click the **Apply** button to modify the columns displaying on-screen or in your downloadable report.



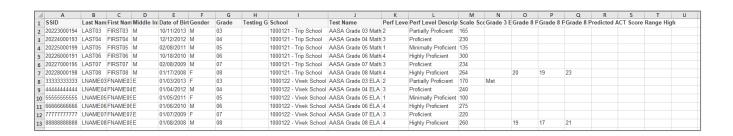
Once your student list is filtered as desired, click the **Download** button to download the file format of your choice.



The width of the columns on the **PDF** download will be automatically adjusted to fit on one page.

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The full column headings are there on the **CSV** and **Excel** downloads. The column heading will need to be expanded, or format them to wrap the text, to see the full column headings.



AASA Online Reports in the Parent Portal

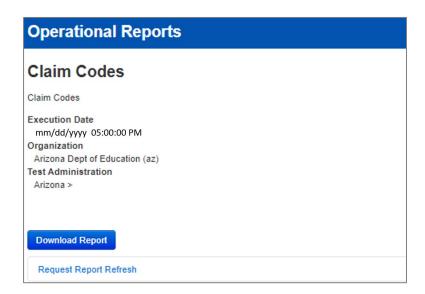
The AASA score reports are also available in the **Parent Portal**, which is an optional resource for schools and districts to use. The **Parent Portal** allows families to securely access and view their student's online *AASA Student Report* (individual student report). After creating a user account, families will enter the student's information, including the student's claim code, to retrieve the *AASA Student Report*.

The *Parent Portal Access Guide* is available to share with families. This guide includes the steps that should be followed to access their student's information on the **Parent Portal**.

The following user roles will have access to request and download the **Claim Codes** file (in **CSV** format) available in PearsonAccess^{next}:

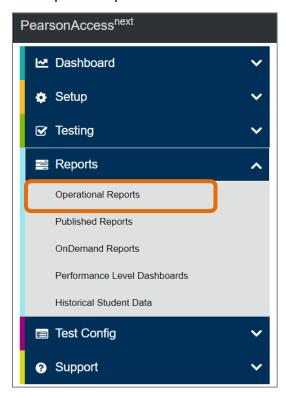
- District-level users with user roles:
 - AASA District Test Coordinator
 - AASA District Report Only
- School-level users with user roles:
 - AASA School Test Coordinator
 - AASA School Report Only

The **Claim Codes** file (in **CSV** format) is available for request on the following PearsonAccess^{next} screen: Reports > Operational Reports > Students & Registrations > Claim Codes. The following student information required to access student reports will be available on this file: Claim Code, Student's First Name, and Student's Last Name. This personalized student information may be provided to the parents using the *AASA Parent Portal Access Guide*.



To request the Claim Codes files (in CSV format) in PearsonAccess^{next}:

1. Select **Operational Reports** in the Reports dropdown menu.



2. Then check the box next to the **Students & Registrations** on the **Operational Reports** screen.



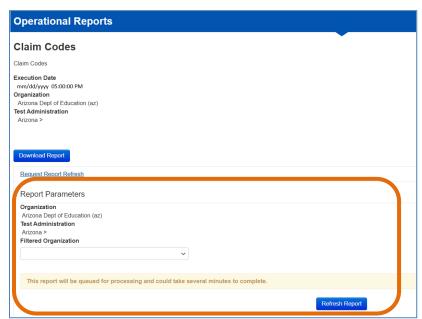
3. Next, click on the Claim Codes blue hyperlink.



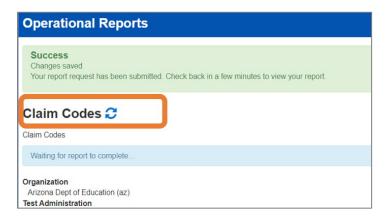
4. The **Claim Codes** screen will display. Click the **Download Report** button on this screen. For District-level users that want to view a specific school's **Claim Codes** file, select the blue hyperlink **Request Report Refresh**.



5. If the blue hyperlink **Request Report Refresh** is selected, the screen will expand to show additional fields at the bottom of the screen. On this screen, the District-level users can select a specific school in the **Filtered Organization** dropdown or, if preferred, can leave this field blank for a default view of the District report. Click the **Refresh Report** button.



6. Once the request has been submitted, the report will be queued for processing and could take a few minutes to complete. To refresh this screen, click on the **Claim Codes refresh button** found at the top of the screen.

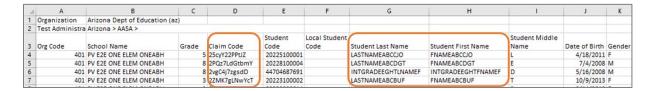


7. Once the **Claim Codes** file completes processing, the **Download Report** button will appear. Click on the **Download Report** button to download the file onto your computer.



8. Once the **Claim Codes** file is downloaded onto your computer, you will be able to use the sort and filter options available as part of the file format.

Sample of Claim Codes file (in CSV format)



The columns **Claim Code**, **Student First Name**, and **Student Last Name**, listed on the **Claim Codes** file (in **CSV** format), will be needed by the parents to access their student's reports in the **Parent Portal**.

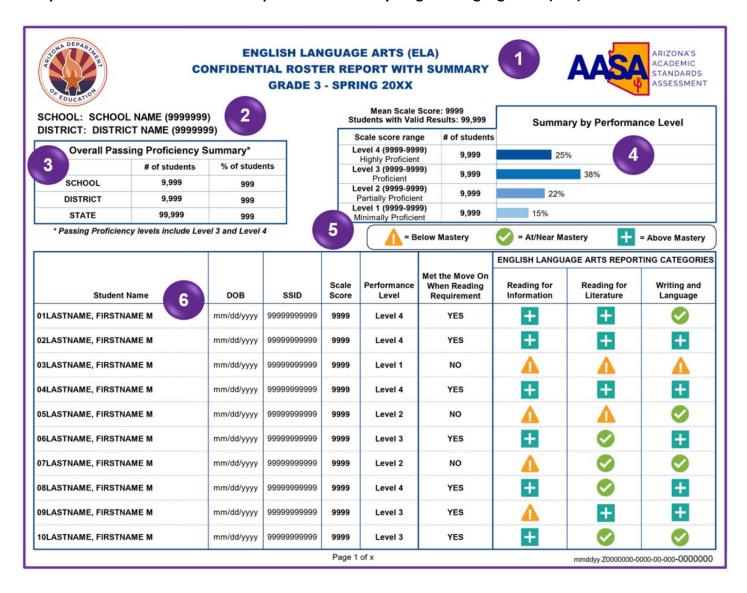
As a reminder, use of the **Parent Portal** is optional for schools and districts. If a school or district decides to use the **Parent Portal**, then the school or district will be responsible for providing their students' parents with this information via the *AASA Parent Portal User Guide*, which will need to be personalized with each student's information.

AASA Sample Reports

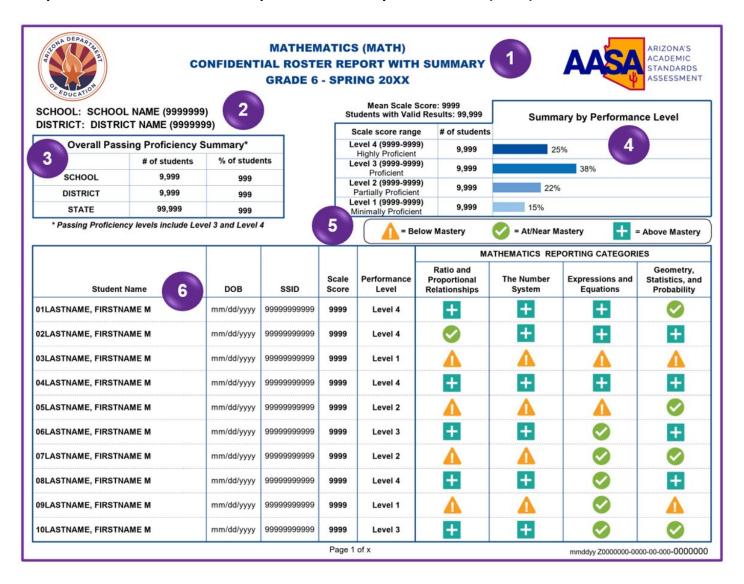
AASA Confidential Roster Report with Summary

The AASA Confidential Roster Report with Summary displays for a specified grade and content area and is a student roster that includes each student's: name, date of birth (DOB), state-issued identification number (SSID), scale score, performance level, and mastery level for each reporting category. For ELA reports, writing essay performance, the student's rubric scores for the writing portion, are included. For Grade 3 ELA reports, an indicator for whether the student has met the Move On When Reading (MOWR) requirement is also included. Average scale scores for school, district, and state are shown for comparison.

Sample AASA Confidential Roster Report with Summary-English Language Arts (ELA)



Sample AASA Confidential Roster Report with Summary–Mathematics (Math)



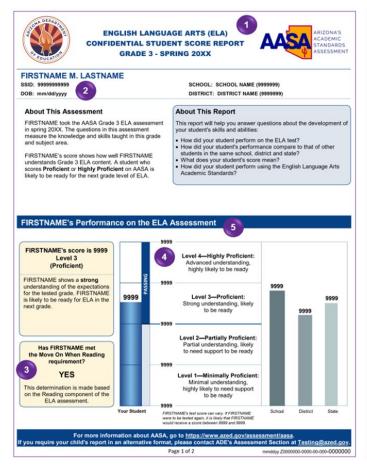
- **Report Name**—The content area, name of the score report, and specified grade are displayed on the top of the report.
- School and District Information—The school name and code (entity ID number), as well as the district name and code (entity ID number) are displayed.
- Overall Passing Proficiency Summary Table-This table includes number (#) of students and percentage (%) of students at the school, district, and state level. Passing Proficiency levels include "Level 3" and "Level 4."

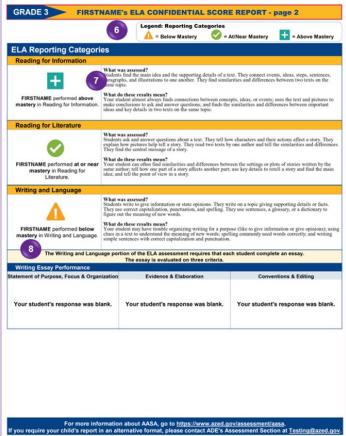
- Summary by Performance Level Table—This table includes mean scale score and students with valid test results associated with this group of students. This table will also display the scale score ranges for the group, the number of students in each range, and the percentage for each performance level.
 - Performance Levels—Student performance is reported as one of four performance levels. Students who score at "Level 1—Minimally Proficient" or "Level 2—Partially Proficient" are likely to need support to be ready for the next grade. Students who score at "Level 3—Proficient" or "Level 4—Highly Proficient" are likely to be ready for the next grade.
- 5 Legend–Mastery Levels:
 - Mastery Levels—Student performance on reporting categories is reported as one of three levels of mastery. Students who score " = Below Mastery" demonstrated performance in the reporting category that was clearly below Proficient. Students who score " = At/Near Mastery" demonstrated performance in the reporting category that was exactly at or immediately above/below Proficient. Students who score " = Above Mastery" demonstrated performance in the reporting category that was clearly Proficient or higher.
- 6 Report Table—The content area specific detail report table will contain the following information:
 - **Student Name**—The name of the student you are viewing.
 - **DOB**—The date of birth of the student you are viewing.
 - SSID—The student's state-issued identification number.
 - Scale Score—The score of each student who completed the test.
 - **Performance Level**—The performance level classification associated with the student's score for the test.
 - **Reporting Categories**—The student's mastery level in each of the reporting categories for the specific test being reviewed.

AASA Confidential Student Score Report-English Language Arts (ELA)

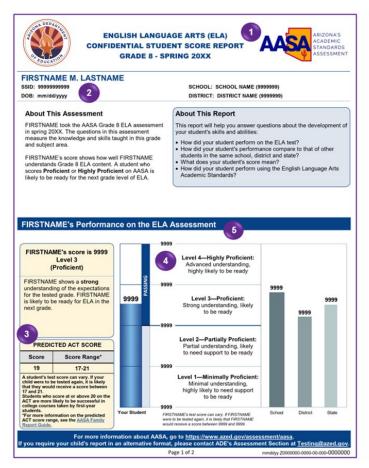
The AASA Confidential Student Score Report–ELA displays a student's identification information, scale score, performance level, mastery level for each reporting category, and writing essay performance that includes the student's rubric scores for the writing portion of the ELA test. For Grade 3 ELA, an indicator for whether the student has met the Move On When Reading (MOWR) requirement, is also displayed. For Grade 8 ELA reports, there is a "Predicted ACT Score" table that includes the student's predicted ACT test "Score" and "Score Range." For Grades 3–8 score reports, the average scale scores for the school, district, and state are displayed for comparison.

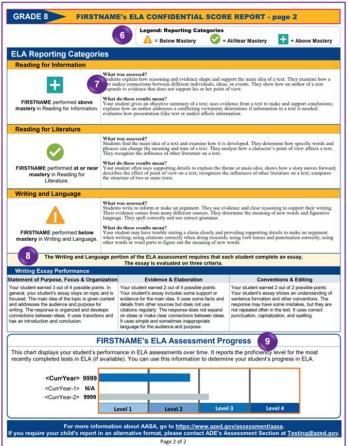
Sample AASA Confidential Student Score Report-Grade 3 English Language Arts (ELA): Pages 1 and 2





Sample AASA Confidential Student Score Report-Grade 8 English Language Arts (ELA): Pages 1 and 2





- **Report Name**—The content area, name of the score report, specified grade, and test administration year are displayed on the top of the report.
- Report Data (top of page 1)—The student name, state-issued identification number (SSID), date of birth (DOB), school name, and district name. The sections "About this Assessment" and "About this Report" will help answer questions about the development of the student's skills and abilities.
- Grade 8 Only: ACT Predicted Scores—For Grade 8 students, test scores from the AASA are linked to the ACT scale to obtain an ACT predicted score range for each subject tested. The AASA Student Reports for Grade 8 will include a "Predicted ACT Score" chart. This chart will include the student's test "Score" and "Score Range." The student's score can vary. The score range included is the score the student would likely receive if they were to be tested again.

Grade 3 ELA Only: Move On When Reading (MOWR) Requirement—For Grade 3 ELA score reports, an indicator for whether or not the student has met the Move On When Reading (MOWR) requirement is included. This determination is made based on the Reading component of the ELA assessment.

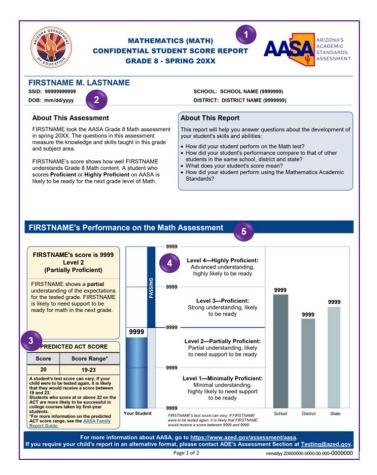
- 4 Performance Levels—Student performance is reported as one of four performance levels. Students who score at "Level 1—Minimally Proficient" or "Level 2—Partially Proficient" are likely to need support to be ready for the next grade. Students who score at "Level 3—Proficient" or "Level 4—Highly Proficient" are likely to be ready for the next grade.
- 5 Student Performance on the ELA Assessment—This table will contain the following:
 - Name-The name of the student you are viewing.
 - Scale Score—The score this student received on the selected test.
 - **Performance Level**—The performance level classification associated with the student's score for the test.
 - Met the Move On When Reading Requirement?—For Grade 3 ELA score reports, an indicator for whether the student has met the Move On When Reading (MOWR) requirement is also reported.
 - Predicted ACT Score

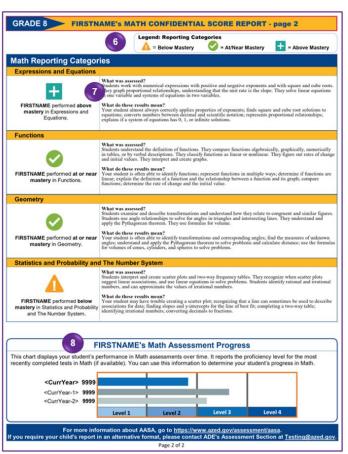
 For Grade 8 score reports, a "Predicted ACT Score" chart is displayed.
 This chart will include the student's test "Score" and "Score Range."
 - **Comparison Scores Table**—This table includes average scale scores for the school, district, and state associated with this student.
 - **Scale Score Performance**—This barrel chart visually depicts the student's scale score and performance level. Brief performance level descriptors are included for all four performance levels.
- Legend: Reporting Categories (Mastery Levels)—Student performance on reporting categories is reported as one of three levels of mastery. Students who score " → = Below Mastery" demonstrated performance in the reporting category that was clearly below Proficient. Students who score " → = At/Near Mastery" demonstrated performance in the reporting category that was exactly at or immediately above/below Proficient. Students who score " → = Above Mastery" demonstrated performance in the reporting category that was clearly Proficient or higher.
- Student Performance (Mastery Levels) on Reporting Categories—This table includes the student's level of mastery for each of the reporting categories, descriptions of what was assessed in each reporting category, and what the student's reporting category results mean.
- Writing Essay Performance—This table includes the student's rubric scores for the writing portion of the ELA test and descriptions of what those rubric scores mean.
- Student ELA Assessment Progress (Note: This section is shown on the Sample Grade 8 ELA Student Score Report, page 2.)—This chart displays the student's performance in ELA assessments over time. It reports the proficiency level for the most recently completed tests in ELA (if available). This information can be used to determine the student's progress in ELA.

AASA Confidential Student Score Report–Mathematics (Math)

The AASA Confidential Student Score Report—Mathematics (Math) displays a student's identification information, scale score, performance level, and mastery level for each reporting category. Average scale scores for the school, district, and state are displayed for comparison.

Sample AASA Confidential Student Score Report–Mathematics (Math): Pages 1 and 2





- **Report Name**—The content area, name of the score report, specified grade, and test administration year are displayed on the top of the report.
- Report Data (top of page 1)—The student name, state-issued identification number (SSID), date of birth (DOB), school name, and district name. The sections "About this Assessment" and "About this Report" will help answer questions about the development of the student's skills and abilities.

- Grade 8 Only: ACT Predicted Scores-For Grade 8 students, test scores from the AASA are linked to the ACT scale to obtain an ACT predicted score range for each subject tested. The AASA Student Reports for Grade 8 will include a "Predicted ACT Score" chart. This chart will include the student's "Score" and "Score Range." The student's score can vary. The score range included is the score the student would likely receive if they were to be tested again.
- Performance Levels—Student performance is reported as one of four performance levels. Students who score at "Level 1—Minimally Proficient" or "Level 2—Partially Proficient" are likely to need support to be ready for the next grade. Students who score at "Level 3—Proficient" or "Level 4—Highly Proficient" are likely to be ready for the next grade.
- 5 Student Performance on the Math Assessment–This table will contain the following:
 - Name-The name of the student you are viewing.
 - Scale Score—The score this student received on the selected test.
 - Performance Level—The performance level classification associated with the student's score for the test.
 - **Comparison Scores Table**—This table includes average scale scores for the school, district, and state associated with this student.
 - Scale Score Performance—This barrel chart visually depicts the student's scale score and performance level. Brief performance level descriptors are included for all four performance levels.
- Legend: Reporting Categories (Mastery Levels)—Student performance on reporting categories is reported as one of three levels of mastery. Students who score "▲ = Below Mastery" demonstrated performance in the reporting category that was clearly below Proficient. Students who score "✓ = At/Near Mastery" demonstrated performance in the reporting category that was exactly at or immediately above/below Proficient. Students who score " = Above Mastery" demonstrated performance in the reporting category that was clearly Proficient or higher.
- Student Performance/Mastery Levels on Reporting Categories—This table includes the student's level of mastery for each of the reporting categories, descriptions of what was assessed in each reporting category, and what the student's reporting category results mean.
- 8 Student Math Assessment Progress—This chart displays the student's performance in Math assessments over time. It reports the proficiency level for the most recently completed tests in Math (if available). This information can be used to determine the student's progress in Math.

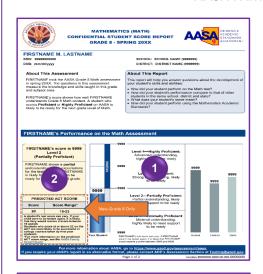
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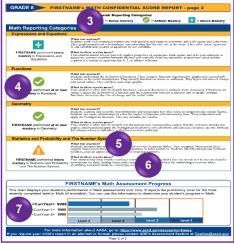
The AASA Family Report Guide is provided to help parents interpret and use information contained in their student's Confidential Student Score Report. This guide is provided in both English and Spanish.

Sample AASA Family Report Guide

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1 Barrel Chart

This "barrel chart" shows the range of scores and the four performance levels possible on this test. Your student's numeric score is shown along with the averages for your student's school, district, and the state of Arizona.

2. Performance Levels

Your student's performance level is identified in this box. There are four performance levels that describe the general skills and abilities for students who take the AASA. Students who score Level 4–Highly Proficient or Level 3–Proficient on AASA are likely to be ready for the next grade or course. Students who score Level 2–Partially Proficient or Level 1–Minimally Proficient are likely to need support to be ready for the next grade or course.

3. Legend: Reporting Categories

Each test has three or more reporting categories that describe the content of different parts of the test.

4. Mastery Levels

Your student's ability level for each of these reporting categories is indicated. Students with the symbol or show a good understanding of the content covered in this reporting category. Students with the symbol likely need more support with the content covered in this reporting category.

5. What Was Assessed?

This short paragraph describes what type of content is covered in this reporting category.

6. What Do These Results Mean?

This short paragraph describes your student's understanding of the content in this reporting category based on his or her ability level.

7. Progress Chart

This graphic displays your student's assessment progress over time. It reports the proficiency level for the most recently completed tests in ELA or Math.

New during Spring 2023 AASA:

New-Grade 8 Only: ACT Predicted Scores-For Grade 8 students, test scores from the AASA were linked to the ACT scale to obtain an ACT predicted score range for each subject tested. The Confidential Student Score Reports for Grade 8 English Language Arts (ELA) and Mathematics (Math) will include a "Predicted ACT Score" chart. This chart will include your student's "Score" and "Score Range." The student's score can vary. The score range included is the score your student would likely receive if they were to be tested again.

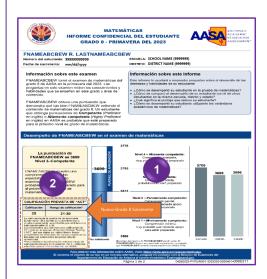
Students who score at or above the ACT score indicated on the Confidential Student Score Report are more likely to be successful in college courses taken by first-year students. For information on the ACT college readiness benchmarks, please refer to the ACT Technical Manual at https://www.act.org/.

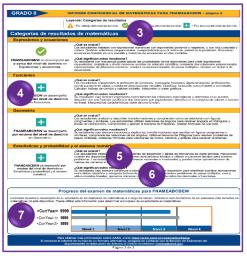
For more information about your student's academic performance, contact your student's teacher or school.

Sample AASA Family Report Guide (in Spanish)

ARIZONA'S ACADEMIC STANDARDS ASSESSMENT (AASA)

GUÍA PARA EL INFORME FAMILIAR DEL AASA





1. Gráfica de barras

Esta "gráfica de barra" muestra el rango de puntajes y los cuatro niveles de desempeño posibles para este examen. El puntaje numérico de su estudiante se muestra junto con los promedios de la escuela y distrito de su estudiante, así como del estado de Arizona.

2. Niveles de rendimiento

En este cuadro se identifica el nivel de rendimiento de su estudiante. Existen cuatro niveles de rendimiento que describen las habilidades y destrezas de los estudiantes que toman el AASA. Es probable que los estudiantes que califican en el Nivel 4—Altamente competente (Level 4—Highly Proficient en inglés) o Nivel 3—Competente (Level 3—Proficient en inglés) estén preparados para el siguiente grado o curso. Los estudiantes que califican en el Nivel 2—Parcialmente competente (Level 2—Partially Proficient en inglés) o Nivel 1—Minimamente competente (Level 1—Minimally Proficient en inglés) probablemente necesiten apoyo para estar preparados para el siguiente grado o curso.

3. Leyenda: Categorías de resultados

Cada examen tiene tres o más categorías de resultados que describen el contenido de las diferentes partes del examen.

4. Niveles de dominio

Estos indican el nivel de desempeño de su estudiante en cada una de estas categorías de resultados. Los estudiantes con los símbolos o demuestran buena comprensión del contenido cubierto en esta categoría de resultado. Los estudiantes con el símbolo probablemente necesiten más apoyo con el contenido cubierto en esta categoría de resultado.

5. ¿Qué se evaluó?

Este breve párrafo describe qué tipo de contenido se cubre en esta categoría de resultado.

6. ¿Qué significan estos resultados?

Este breve párrafo describe la comprensión que su estudiante tiene acerca del contenido de esta categoría de resultado, con base en su nivel de desempeño.

7. Tabla de progreso

Esta gráfica muestra el progreso de su estudiante a través del tiempo. Muestra su nivel de desempeño en los exámenes más recientes de artes del lenguaje en inglés o matemáticas.

Nuevo durante AASA Primavera 2023:

Nuevo para grado 8 solamente: Calificación prevista de "ACT": Para los estudiantes de grado 8, los puntajes de las pruebas del AASA se vincularon con la escala de resultados del examen *American College Testing* ("ACT" por sus siglas en inglés) para obtener un rango de calificación o resultados previstos de ACT para cada materia evaluada. Los Informes confidenciales de los estudiantes para artes del lenguaje inglés ("ELA" por sus siglas en inglés) y matemáticas del grado 8 incluirán una tabla de "Calificación prevista de ACT". Esta tabla incluirá la "Calificación" y el "Rango de calificación" de su estudiante. La puntuación del estudiante puede variar. El rango de calificación incluido es la calificación que su estudiante probablemente recibiría si fuera a ser evaluado nuevamente.

Los estudiantes cuyos resultados sean iguales o superiores a la calificación de ACT indicada en el Informe confidencial del estudiante tienen mayor probabilidad de éxito en los cursos universitarios que toman los estudiantes de primer año de universidad. Para obtener información sobre las Normas de preparación para estudios superiores de ACT, consulte el Manual técnico (*Technical Manual* en inglés) de ACT en https://www.act.org/.

Para obtener más información acerca del rendimiento académico de su estudiante, póngase en contacto con los maestros o la escuela de su estudiante.

How To Log In to PearsonAccess^{next}, View Online Reports, and Access AASA Student Data File Layout

Access to the online reports and data depends on user roles in the PearsonAccess^{next} platform and the school and district associations. For more information on creating and managing user roles in PearsonAccess^{next}, please refer to the *PearsonAccess^{next} User Guide*, available at **https://az.pearsonaccessnext.com**.

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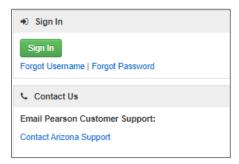
To log in to PearsonAccess^{next}, you must have an authorized username and password. If you have not yet received your login information, contact your School Test Coordinator or District Test Coordinator as you will need to be added to PearsonAccess^{next} before you can access the online reports.

To log in to PearsonAccess^{next}:

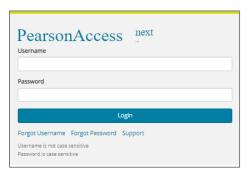
1. Open your web browser and navigate to the PearsonAccess^{next} platform (https://az.pearsonaccessnext.com).



2. Click on the green **Sign In** button that is located on the right side of the Home Page. The **Login** page appears.



3. Enter your Username (email address) and password on the Login page.



4. Click on the blue **Login** button. You will be logged into PearsonAccess^{next} provided you have entered the correct login credentials.



Note: Your Username will be your email address. Passwords must be reset each year. If you forgot your password, use the "Forgot Password" link to have the password reset.

If you have questions about PearsonAccess^{next}, or for trouble logging in, contact 1-888-705-9421 (option 3 for AASA), Monday through Friday, 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. CST, except holidays.

For email support, please select the **Contact Arizona Support** link under the **Contact Us** section of the **Home Screen**.

How To Access, Download, and Print Online Score Reports and Student Data Files

The following reports will be made available to users based on their corresponding user role in PearsonAccess^{next}:

- AASA Student Report (in **PDF** format available to both the School-level and District-level users)
- AASA Informe del Estudiante ("AASA Student Report" in Spanish) (in **PDF** format available to both the School-level and District-level users)
- AASA Confidential Roster Report with Summary (School-level report by grade level and content area) (in **PDF** format available to both the School-level and District-level users)
- AASA On Demand Score Reports (online in PearsonAccess^{next} available to both the School-level and District-level users)
- AASA Longitudinal and Historical Score Reports (online in PearsonAccess^{next}) (Note: Available to the
 District Test Coordinator user role only. District-level users can assign other users to view these
 reports by adding the "Historical Report Viewer" user role to the corresponding users.)

Note: The AASA District Confidential Roster Report with Summary (District-level report by grade level and content area in **PDF** format) and AASA Student Data File (in .txt format) will be available at the District-level only.

When you first log in to the PearsonAccess^{next}, the **Home Screen** is displayed.

How to view the online reports:

- 1. Select the Test Administration in the black task bar across the top of the screen. This will open the **Test Administration** dropdown menu.
- 2. From the **Test Administration** dropdown menu, select the corresponding dropdown option for the test administration year and program: **Spring XXXX Program Name.**
- On the black task bar across the top of the screen, select the Organization Name. This will open the Organization dropdown menu.
- 4. To search for reports, on the **Organization** dropdown menu:
 - School-level users should select the School radio button to search for their school reports.
 - District-level users should select the **District** radio button to search for all schools' reports and student data files assigned to their district.

5. To view information for a specific school, select the school name from the list of schools in the dropdown menu. You can also enter the school name in the Search box.

Note: District-level users can leave the Organization Name as their District name and use the reporting filters on the **Published Reports screen**, detailed further in this section, to search for specific school reports and student data files.

- 6. Go to **REPORTS**, select **Published Reports**.
- 7. On the **Published Reports** screen, there are two ways to find reports.
 - Enter search information into the **Find Reports** filter.
 - Enter search information into the **Filters** section.
 - Organization Type (select School or District, as applicable)
 - Organization Name (type in the partial or full school name)

 Note: Your assigned organization will be automatically populated in this filter. If your assigned organization is at the district-level, remove this filter selection to see school-level reports.
 - Published Report Date Range (mm/dd/yyyy)
- 8. You can download and view one or multiple reports. To download a single report or student data file (District-level only), select the hyperlink **File Name**.
- 9. To download multiple reports or student data files (District-level only), check box(es) left of the file name and then select **Download**.

Note: The selected reports will download to your computer. Print or save using your computer's print function. Depending on the number of reports selected, the download may occur as a zip file, and you will need to extract the files.

Understanding the Student Data File

After retrieving the student data file from PearsonAccess^{next}, the **Excel** or **CSV** file will contain standard columns. For support in understanding the information provided in the "Student Data File" columns, the *AASA Student Data File Layout* will be available. This layout will list all of the columns included in the "Student Data File" along with a description of the information contained in each column.

Note: The District-level and School-level users will have access to view and download the full *AASA Student Data File Layout* in PearsonAccess^{next}: **https://az.pearsonaccessnext.com**. The full report will contain a breakdown of the Reporting Categories assigned to each content area and grade level.

A table with the AASA ELA Writing codes is displayed.

ELA Writing codes:

Code	Meaning
А	Blank - no response written
В	Not Enough Data - student response is less than 11 words
С	Prompt Copy Match - there is insufficient student writing due to significant, direct copying from the stimulus; student has not provided any original thought in response to the prompt
D	Duplicate Text - the majority of the writing provided is copied repeatedly (using the same words, phrases, or sentences) throughout the response with no attempt at completing the given task
E	Non-Scorable - the student writing is non-scorable; writing cannot be understood at all; writing is in a language other than English; writing is not related to the topic