

Friday Focus Webinar - AZELLA Resources: The What, Where, and When November 08, 2024

AZELLA Student Readiness Tool (SRT) Questions

Where can I find the AZELLA SRT?

The AZELLA SRT can be found at <u>Practice Test - TestNav</u> by clicking on "Mic Check & Sample Tests" and "AZELLA Student Readiness Tool" from the Arizona Online Sample Tests and Assessment Tutorials. No username or password is required.

Approximately, how long does the SRT take a student to complete?

The SRT varies from grade band to grade band. Depending on what the student needs to practice with (e.g., a student who needs to take the ASL form of the test, would need to take the ASL Video mini lesson, but other students don't need to complete it). Students can complete one or more mini lessons at their own pace and get additional practice independently.

Will the SRT be available for AASA and AZSCI?

Yes, the SRT is also available for AASA and AzSCI along with the TestNav Sample Tests.

This is the first I've heard of the SRT - is it new?

The SRT is relatively new and is only available through the online version of TestNav under "Mic Check and Sample Tests."

AZELLA Rubrics

Will the annotated rubrics be available soon?

The Annotated AZELLA Speaking and Writing Rubrics are still being finalized. They will become available, starting with the Speaking rubrics and Kindergarten and Grade 1 by the end of this month. ADE will keep the AZELLA District Test Coordinators appraised of the availability of the rubrics.

Can the recording of the webinar be shared with teachers?

Yes, we would like for these resources to reach as many EL educators as possible.



Can teachers have access to the AZELLA Rubrics?

Yes, every teacher who teaches English learners should have access to this information. ADE encourages teachers and students to learn about the expectations and criteria used to score the Speaking and Writing items.

Where will we be able to find the Speaking and Writing Scoring Rubrics after they are published?

The rubrics can be found at <u>AZELLA Assessment | Arizona Department of Education</u> under the AZELLA Blueprints, Performance Level Descriptors, and Rubrics drop-down.

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