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January 15, 2020

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Overview of GOALS Test Series – Test Forms, Levels, Blueprint, TAM

Fidelity in eTests & TOPSpro Implementation

- Default Test Sessions
- Re-testing
- Next Assigned Tests/ Post-testing
- Preparing for eTesting
 - Students
 - Staff
- Testing Day

CASAS Website Resources

Ongoing Maintenance – TE functions

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Reading GOXLS Series



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GOXLS Reading GOALS Series

CASAS Level	Form Number	Number of Test Items	Timing
Locator	104R	12	15 min.
Appraisal	900R	28	30 min.
А	901 902	39	60 min.
В	903 904	40	75 min.
С	905 906	40	75 min.
D	907 908	40	75 min.

- Reading GOALS Locator: 104R (12 questions) fixed form
- Aligned to the CCR Standards for Adult Education and CASAS Competencies
- Measures rigorous academic skills in contexts relevant to lives of adult learners

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CASAS Level	Form Number	Number of Test Items	Timing
Locator	104M	10	15 min.
Appraisal	900M	20	30 min.
A/B	913 914	40	60 min.
C/D	917 918	38	75 min.

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Revised TAMs

Latest Versions of GOALS Test Administration Manuals (TAMs)

Reading GOALS, Second Edition (2019)

Math GOALS, Second Edition (2019)

November 2019, v2 – Manually change Math Appraisal 900M cut point to 15+ to take Level C/D pretest.

New GOALS Appraisal Self-Scoring Answer Sheets

Self-Scoring Answer Sheet for GOALS Reading and Math Appraisal Form 900R + 900M Set of 25 -- \$49.00 ANS900

CASAS Math Blueprint – NEW version on website

CASAS Content Domains	CASAS Level A/B	CASAS Level C/D	College and Career Readiness Standards (CCRS) Covered by CASAS Math Goals Series
M1: Number Sense 32% 24%		24%	 At the A/B level, use basic concepts of number system, place values, operations of addition, subtraction, multiplication and division, fractions, fraction equivalents, ratios and proportions. At the C/D level, use advanced number concepts such as comparing fractions, using operations with rational numbers and exponents.
M2: Algebra	10%	26%	 At the A/B level, understand and reason with properties of four operations, explain patterns in four operations, solve basic one-variable equations. At the C/D level, generate equivalent equations and those with two or more variables, understand radicals, use lines and linear equations, use functions and functional expression, including inequalities, polynomials, quadratics, and exponential models.
M3: Geometry	14%	24%	 At the A/B level, identify and reason with shapes and their attributes in 2- and 3- dimensions, find area and volume. At the C/D level, solve problems of angle, area, congruence, similarity, trigonometry, volumes of cone, pyramids and spheres.
M4: Measurement*	22%	10%	 At the A/B level, measure with standard units, time intervals, liquid masses and volumes, area, unit conversions, angle measurements. At the C/D level, understand/apply Pythagorean theorem, use volume measurements for complex modeling.
M5: Statistics and Probability**	22%	16%	 At the A/B level, understand categories, identify relevant data in tables, represent data in graphs, understand variability, and describe distributions. At the C/D level, understand probability, sampling, draw inferences, summarize and interpret data categorical and quantitative data, draw inferences, investigate associations in bivariate data.

* CCRS domains of **Geometry** and **Statistics** include content from CASAS category *M4: Measurement*

Relationship to NRS Educational Functioning Levels (EFL) for ABE and ASE

	Educational Functioning Levels	CASAS Level	Reading GOALS Scale Score Ranges
		Level	Scale Score Ranges
1	Beginning ABE Literacy	Α	203 and below
2	Beginning Basic Education	В	204 - 216
3	Low Intermediate Basic Education	В	217 - 227
4	High Intermediate Basic Education	С	228 - 238
5	Low Adult Secondary Education	D	239 - 248
6	High Adult Secondary Education	E	249 and above

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	Educational Functioning Levels	CASAS Level	Math GOALS Scale Score Ranges
1	Beginning ABE Literacy	А	193 and below
2	Beginning Basic Education	A/B	194 - 203
3	Low Intermediate Basic Education	В	204 - 214
4	Middle Intermediate Basic Education	С	215 - 225
5	High Intermediate Basic Education	С	226 - 235
6	Adult Secondary Education	D/E	236 and above

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WIOA Title I/EFLs, CASAS scores, and GLEs

CASAS ABE Reading Scores by EFLs and Grade Level Equivalents (GLEs) for WIOA Title I

NRS Levels	Reading ABE/ASE EFLs		Reading GOALS Score Ranges	Grade Level
1	Beginning ABE Literacy		193 and below 194 - 203	К 1
2	Beginning Basic Education		204 - 210 211 - 216	2 3
3	Low Intermediate	Basic Skills Deficient	217 - 222 223 - 227	4 5
4	High Intermediate		228 - 230 231 - 234 235 - 238	6 7 8
5	Low Adult Secondary Education	Not Basic Skills Deficient	239 - 243 244 - 248	9 10
6	High Adult Secondary Education		249 – 253 254 and above	11 12

Reading GLEs located on website

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CASAS ABE Math Scores by EFLs and Grade Level Equivalents (GLEs) for WIOA Title I

NRS Levels	Mathematics ABE/ASE EFLs		Math GOALS Score Ranges	Grade Level
1	Beginning ABE Literacy		184 and below 185 – 193	К 1
2	Beginning Basic Education		194 – 198 199 – 203	2 3
3	Low Intermediate	Basic Skills Deficient	204 - 209 210 - 214	4 5
4	Middle Intermediate		215 - 221 222 - 225	6 7
5	High Intermediate		226 - 228 229 - 235	7 8
6	Adult Secondary Education	Not Basic Skills Deficient	236 – 240 241 – 244 245 – 248 249 and above	9 10 11 12

Math GLEs located on website

WIOA Title II NRS/CASAS Score Ranges for ESL

Relationship to NRS Educational Functioning Levels (EFL) for ESL

	Educational Functioning Levels	CASAS	Reading Life and Work	Listening (980 series)
	Educational Functioning Levels	Level	Scale Score Ranges	Scale Score Ranges
1	Beginning ESL Literacy	Α	180 and below	180 and below
2	Low Beginning ESL	Α	181 - 190	181 - 189
3	High Beginning ESL	Α	191 - 200	190 - 199
4	Low Intermediate ESL	В	201 - 210	200 - 209
5	High Intermediate ESL	В	211 - 220	210 - 218
6	Advanced ESL	C/D	221 - 235	219 - 227

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Miscellaneous Tips and Info

Internet Bandwidth – can be the cause of slow loading, especially of test prompts and graphics.

For Math GOALS, a test taker may use the onscreen calculator OR a **physical calculator**.

eTests **automatically ends a test** when time is up and a test taker finishes the item being worked on.

CASAS recommends having at least one **touch screen** device available for test takers that are not familiar with using computers.



Implementing with Fidelity





Going Live! Checklist – Next steps

□ 5. Connect to your online account

- G. Add Sites
- **7**. Add Users
- □ 8. Register testing stations
- 9. Review testing sessions CHECK to ensure Default eTests Test Sessions have been installed!
- 10. Conduct a trial run
- □ 11. Go live! and begin testing
- □ 12. Retrieve results and generate reports

Step 7. Add Users

Each staff member who will access the CASAS Online System requires a User account with login credentials.

Users are also part of the organizational structure of an online account

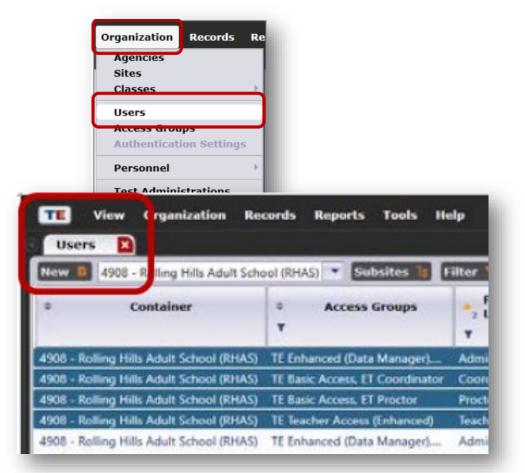




- May only grant upon confirmation of coordinator and/or proctor certification.
- Agencies must maintain copies of certificates on file.

Step 7. Add Users

- TE opens to a blank screen with a menu bar across the top
- \triangleright From the menu bar, click **Organization and** select Users.
- \succ Click New at the top left



Step 7. Add Users

CASAS adds pre-configured TE Access Groups when setting up a new online account.

• Data Managers may edit, rename, duplicate, or delete these groups, and add new groups.

TE Access Groups define menu and data access rights for groups of users.

• TE Data access may be restricted to "read only" access.

There is no limit to the number of users.

Step 7. Add Users – TE Access

Each agency decides which application its users may access.

		TE	Access Gro	oups
TE Access Rights	TE Data Manager	TE Admin	TE Basic	TE Teacher
Has full access to TE (e.g. edit, add, delete records)	х	х		
Has limited access to TE			Can only view records	Only View own classes
Can generate reports from TE	х	х	Х	Only for own students and classes
Can grant access to eTests	Х			
Has access to eTests	Х	**	**	**

Step 7. Add Users – eTests Access

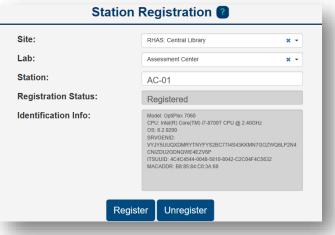
- The Data Manager adds Users to an eTests Access Group.
- eTests[®]
- Most users will serve as Proctors.
- Coordinator access requires a higher level of responsibilities.

	ET Coordinator	ET Proctor	ET Coordinator /Proctor	ET Tech*
Access Application Management Console	✓	\checkmark	✓	~
Create/Edit Test Sessions	\checkmark		\checkmark	
Supervise Test Administration		\checkmark	\checkmark	
Initiate or confirm Station Registration	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	
Unregister Station	\checkmark		\checkmark	\checkmark
Register Station Without Confirmation*				\checkmark

*Limited to Agency IT Dept. Staff only

Step 8. Register Testing Stations

- Registering testing stations enables a websecure server to deliver eTests on the local machine.
- Station registration is a one-time event!
- Registering stations requires two certified eTests users.
 - 1. First user initiates registration
 - 2. Second user confirms registration (not necessarily at the same time)



Step 9. Review Testing Sessions - Templates

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🔑 Change Password						

Using the default templates and sessions will ensure standardized test delivery in all labs per site with <u>CASAS</u> <u>approved assessments for</u> <u>NRS</u> and data collection for local, state, and federal accountability.

- The setup and review of testing session templates and testing sessions is a one-time event!
- Testing session templates carry over to the next program year.
- Testing sessions must be replicated in a new program year.

Step 9. Review Testing Session - Templates

Testing Session Template settings apply to all sessions sharing the same template to ensure standardization.

Template: identifies program (e.g. ABE/ASE, ESL)

Modalities: what tests to deliver

Options: how to deliver tests

Registration: who to test

Data: the information to collect

Layout: screen displays

Admin: session management

Site: RHAS: 00 - Adult Education							
Template config	guration						
Modalities	Options	Registration	Data	Layout	Admin		
Reading		Reading GOALS					
Locator/Apprais	al:	[Default - 104R]					
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Locator/Apprais	al:	[Default - 104M]					

Edit template details

eTests Testing Session Templates

Templates will deliver tests from the following CASAS test series:

ABE/ASE – <u>Reading GOALS</u> and <u>Math GOALS</u>

ESL/ELL – <u>Beginning Literacy Reading</u>, <u>Life and Work</u> <u>Reading</u>, and <u>Life and Work Listening (980 series)</u>

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Step 9. Review Testing Sessions – ABE/ASE

eTests Online - Rolling Hills Adult School (RHAS)

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Testing Stations	Adult Education	ABE/ASE	LAB:??? - Intake: Pretest
<u> </u>	Adult Education	ABE/ASE	LAB:??? - Progress: Post-test
🔎 Change Password	Adult Education	ABE/ASE	LAB:??? - Retest: Scores Outside Accurate Range (Not Same Day)
	Adult Education	ABE/ASE	LAB:??? - Retest: Scores Outside Accurate Range (Same Day Only)
	Adult Education	ABE/ASE	LAB:??? - Returning Students: Pretest
	Adult Education	ABE/ASE	LAB:??? - Spanish Reading Comprehension
	Adult Education	ABE/ASE	REGISTRATION w/Practice

TECH TIP: Testing Sessions > Filter for Template Names

Intake: Pretest – Locator + Pretest

• Delivers the Locator and the appropriate pre-test (based on Locator performance).

Progress: Post-test

- Delivers the appropriate next assigned test based on a student's pretest score.
- Post-testing should occur after 70-100 instructional hours (or a minimum of 40 hours).

Step 9. Review testing sessions

Retest: Same Day Only

- Delivers the appropriate "retest" to students who tested outside the accurate range (either too low or too high) on their form level test.
- Deliver to students who are re-testing on the same day.

Retest: Not Same Day

- Delivers the appropriate "retest" to students who tested outside the accurate range (either too low or too high) on their form level test.
- Deliver to students who are re-testing on a **different** day.

Step 9. Review Testing Sessions – ABE/ASE

Sets of testing sessions are required for proctors to manage and administer tests for each lab.

 Assign sets to each lab by replacing "???" in the Session Name with the Lab name, number, or acronym.

 One certified proctor per
 20-25
 students
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 per lab.

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Step 9. Review Testing Sessions – ESL

- Sessions are ready to use and reuse whenever you need to test simply START and STOP sessions throughout the program year (July 1 – June 30).
- The CASAS Online System is fully automated to present appropriatelevel tests with these standardized sessions.

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	View	Start		RHAS: 00 - Adult Education	Assessment Center	ESL/ELL	LAB:AC - Progress: Post-test
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Important Note about Retest Session

Retest session is configured to retest students with the next appropriate test form level automatically when a test score is:

- Below accurate range ***** retesting is required
- Conservative estimate + retesting is required for pretests and is recommended before the next term of enrollment

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Getting Staff Ready for Testing Day

Check to make sure all testing stations are registered *the week before* testing day.

eTests – Bookmark on the desktop

Review the Day of Testing procedures

Day of Testing Script

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Getting Students Ready for Testing Day

Home > Product Overviews > Curriculum Management & Instruction > Sample Test Items

Students and teachers can have direct access to the new CASAS eTests Sampler

New HTML version with

- clearer images
- + and buttons to easily enlarge prompt (e.g., reading passage) and question/answer options
- new test navigation features in GOALS series

CASAS eTests Sampler

Reading GOALS

Math GOALS

Life and Work Reading

Life and Work Listening

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Starting and stopping Test Sessions (how to on website link)

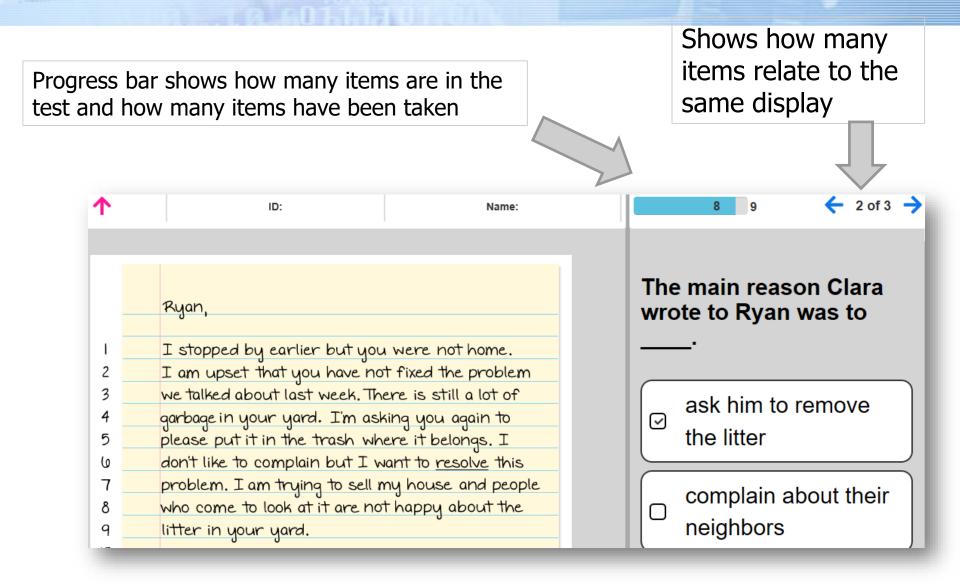
Test Interruptions

Pre-Test Sessions: Options for Registering Students

- <u>Script for Student registration through eTests</u>
- Exporting/importing data
- Manually entering students to TOPSpro Enterprise

TECH TIP: You can limit the Registration data in eTests

NEW – CASAS eTests Format and HTML Enhancements



Links to Resources on the CASAS Website

eTests and TE resources on CASAS website

- <u>New Going Live Checklist</u> Steps to go live with eTests
- eTests & TE Help Docs How To docs + testing day script + how to print key reports + managing test sessions

Access to Training – online Proctor & Coordinator Certification

GOALS Test Series CASAS Content Standards

<u>eTests Sampler</u> – To help students prepare for testing; build confidence

CASAS National Monthly Webinars – Watch previous webinars

Summer Institute Presentations – Free online

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CASAS Responses to Chat Box Questions

Question	Answer		
Do I email Mr. Pena for questions?	No, emailing directly is not recommended, as this may cause a		
(about registering students, etc.)	delay in your answer. Mr. Pena is a trainer and may be out of the		
	office or facilitating training.		
	Instead, follow these steps:		
	1) Check the eTests Help Docs online for Steps to Register		
	Students: https://www.casas.org/docs/default-		
	source/training-materials/steps-to-register-		
	students.pdf?sfvrsn=f3f4385a_4?Status=Master		
	2) Practice registering students using the RHAS simulation		
	server by conducting a "trial run" with staff registering as		
	students. <u>https://www.casas.org/docs/default-</u>		
	source/training-materials/steps-to-access-the-casas-		
	online-system.pdf?sfvrsn=a2587a04_28		
	3) If you have technical trouble: contact		
	techsupport@casas.org and one of the team members will		
	respond to you as soon as possible.		
	4) If you are in a testing session, and it is time sensitive, and		
	you are having trouble with a student registering, then call		
	Tech Support 1 (800) 255-1036 ext. 2.		
What test do you use when you	If the student has not received instruction in more than 90 days,		
have a returning student but the	then use the "Returning Students: Pretest" testing session. This		
student tested with a paper test	will start over with a new locator to determine current skill level.		
last year and now we are using the eTest?			
erestr	For other students with recent instruction, you will want to scan		
	the paper test into TE, or enter the data manually. This ensures		
How do we find out if our coeffic	the student gets the correct next form in eTests.		
How do we find out if our specific state requires retesting of a	Contact your Program Director or the state agency to whom your organization reports (Data Managers can help you)		
diamond score?	organization reports (Data Managers can help you)		
Does CASAS have a report like the	The CASAS Personal Score Report provides comparable		
TABE Personal Report?	information that is in the TABE report that you just sent. In fact, it		
	provides more detailed information than that TABE report.		
	There are many more, of course. You can find the help docs for		
	how to print reports here: https://www.casas.org/product-		
	overviews/software/casas-etests/etests-online-help		
Is there a time limit for the	You should use the "Returning Student" testing session because it		
Returning Students Pre-test? For	forces a new locator to be administered. The other sessions will		
example, a student leaves the	essentially pick up where the student left off two years ago.		
program for two years and then			
returns. Would it be better to test	Yes, all pre- and post-test forms cost one WTU. The short locator		

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Returning Student Pre-Test? Also, does each test taken for the Returning Student Pre-test go against the agency total of tests	
used?	
If a student starts a test and then has to go, how do I have them pick up where they left off?	 The local agency assessment policy should specify whether this is allowed or not. Returning to the same question is very simple, as eTests will do this automatically. The proctor does need to click a button to allow it, however: Student enters ID eTests asks "Are you John Doe?" Click Yes Proctor receives a "REQUEST" notification on her Session Activity screen Proctor clicks "Intervene" button next to student's name Click "Reconnect" Student resumes test
Is it possible to allow someone who is not coordinator or proctor to print off score reports? We would	Yes. The Data Manager user may create accounts in TE for anyone. Unlike for eTests, there is no training requirement.
like to get detailed reports to our	A user can log in to TE, click Reports > CASAS eTests > Personal
instructors, but our testing staff	Score Report, and then click Generate. And this could be any time
does not have the time to print off	after a test is completed.
everyone's detailed results each	
time students test.	
How do you recommend finding out if the student met their goals when they are finished or leave a class?	A good way is to run the "Enrollment (Update) Summary" report in TOPSpro.
How do you know if a student needs to re-test? It shows the black diamond on the final testing screen on the student's computer, but sometimes students click past that before a proctor can see it. Is it possible to see if the score is out of range on the Test Results screen on the proctor's computer? Thank you!	Proctors can reprint that final screen by going to Reports > CASAS eTests > Personal Score Report in TOPSpro. Various other reports will show the diamond (or asterisk for inaccurate), including Test History and Individual Skills Profile.
Does CASAS offer crosswalk to GED	Quick Search Online offers <u>https://www.casas.org/product-</u>
prep book pages in areas that need	overviews/curriculum-management-instruction/quicksearch-
improvement? Thank you.	online
Are there instructions for very	The Simulation Server is a great way to explore and test-drive
beginners how to start and work in	eTests functions and features. <u>https://www.casas.org/product-</u>
the program. This helped a bit as I	overviews/software/casas-etests/staff-preparedness
do work with it, but not extensively.	
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	If you haven't completed training you need to make sure you
	If you haven't completed training, you need to make sure you
	have Implementation Basics, as well as Proctor or Coordinator
	certifications.
Did I miss the steps to save the	Using your preferred browser:
etest bookmark or link on the	go to: https://etestsonline.org/html5/#/ (eTests website)
desktop?	
	Highlight the eTests URL
	Ctrl + C to copy the URL
	Right Click on the desktop
	Then click on "New" and Shortcut.
	Ctrl + V to paste the URL on your Desktop
	Name the Desktop link "eTests"
Does CASAS recommend giving an	Yes, for ESL students. For the CASAS recommendations for intake
oral and writing screening before	process, go to: <u>https://www.casas.org/docs/default-</u>
administering the locator?	source/pagecontents/casas-intake-
	process.pdf?sfvrsn=ad0b2e5a 10?Status=Master
Where can I locate the different	https://www.casas.org/product-overviews/software/topspro-
type of reports that TE offers?	enterprise/topspro-enterprise-help
Where can I find information about	
the available reports in TE?	
How can I create classes and group	
students?	
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showed us?	system.pdf?sfvrsn=a2587a04_28?Status=Master
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	documentation/basic-reports-with-casas-etests-
	online.pdf?sfvrsn=ec88acc7_18?Status=Master
Steps for Testing Day	https://www.casas.org/docs/default-source/training-
	materials/steps-for-testing-
	<pre>day.pdf?sfvrsn=4f3c255a_16?Status=Master</pre>
Suggested Script - Verbal	https://www.casas.org/docs/default-source/training-
Instructions for Online Testing for	materials/suggested-verbal-instructions-for-online-testing-in-
Proctors	html.pdf?sfvrsn=671c255a_6?Status=Master
Where can I find the eTests	https://casasportal.org/eTests
Sampler to help my students	
"practice" before they actually take	
the test?	
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Can I get a Manual emailed to myself?	Due to test security, we do not email test administration manuals (TAMs). If you do not have the updated Second Edition (2019), you need that. If you need the November 2019 update, email <u>casas@casas.org</u> for ordering the Second Edition (2019) and get the November 2019 update email.
Did the eTests Locator automatically adjust to the new cut scores?	Yes
Are there grade equivalencies for tenth of a grade level, is 10.1?	Grade level equivalents in tenths appear in the Personal Score Report and in the Individual Skills Profile. If you need a chart showing these values, contact CASAS.
How long is the locator? Can you show how to disable the questions on the ESL intake & pretest?	To clarify, the Locator takes a maximum of 15 minutes. You can disable the collection of demographic data at the beginning of a session by going in eTests to Testing Sessions Templates , click Edit under the corresponding template, click on the Data tab under Session Configurations and move the unwanted data fields from the Selected column to the Available column.
Can the CASAS test in Math and Reading be given in Spanish? Can you test pre and post tests at the same time? I tried to run both tests this morning, but it would not allow it. I had to wait until the post test students were completed to start the pre tests.	 No, I'm sorry but you may not give these tests in Spanish They are standardized for delivery only in English. Yes, eTests is designed to run multiple sessions at one time. The proctor just needs to assign which testing stations will be used under each testing session.
If in a school year we already pre and post test a student, but student didn't show gain, has enough hours and want to test again, do I choose pre or post session?	If the student has been attending class without an absence longer than 90 days and has 70-100 hours of instruction since the last test (paper or eTests), you need to test the student under the Progress: Post-test session.
Can Proctors reset their passwords for eTEsts without needed to contact the data manager?	Yes, eTests Proctors and Coordinators can install TE – TOPSpro Enterprise and at the login window, click on the link for Forgot your password? There is no need to have TE rights as this link is available at the login window. Please know that this feature is being further developed by our programmers so there is a chance that the user will still have to go through the process of requesting the Data Manager to reset a password.