

Comprehensive Adult Student Assessment Systems

Reading GOALS 2 Final Forms Study

Study Participation Guidelines

Purpose

To examine the performance and validity of the test forms at each test level of the new CASAS Reading GOALS 2 Series.

Eligible Participants

• ABE / ASE students at all levels

Methodology

- Following all standard test administration protocols, students will be administered a new CASAS Reading GOALS 2 Locator + Level field test.
- The field test level is based on the Locator results.
- Each student may also be administered a second level test.
 - It is permitted to give both tests on the same day. CASAS recommends a short break between level tests.
 - The second level test may be given the next day or up to one week after the first test to limit instruction.
 - As with the first testing event, the second test will be administered following all standard test administration protocols.
 - o The second level test may or may not be at the same level as the first.

Technology Requirement (For eTests)

- Agencies must have computers, laptops or Chromebooks.
- The field tests may be administered in-person or remotely.

Time Commitment

- Students should be allowed 30 minutes for the locator and up to 90 minutes for each level test to ensure they have adequate time to complete the tests.
- When using the Appraisal students should be given 45 minutes to complete the appraisal.

With Gratitude

In appreciation of your time and effort participating in this study, CASAS will compensate your students and agency as follows:

- \$15 gift card to each student for one field test
- \$40 gift card for two field tests
- \$60 gift card for three field tests
- Non-California participating agencies will receive 100 complimentary web-test units (WTUs or TEUs, whatever your agency is currently using).

Contact us

To participate, please contact Karen Burger (fieldtesting@casas.org / 1-800-255-1036, ext. 177).