## Timeline for implementing the new science TEKS in the state assessment program

In 2020-2021, the SBOE has adopted revised TEKS for science in grades K-12. TEA will work with Texas educators to update the science STAAR tests to assess the newly adopted standards on the following timeline.

2022-2023

2023-2024

2024-2025

2025-2026

Stakeholder engagement

Educator focus groups to gather feedback on design and assessed curriculum

Educators will be a part of both the planning and building of the new science assessment.

Educator Advisory Committee reviews feedback and makes recommendations

Educators continue to participate in the development of tests (e.g., reviewing and approval potential questions)

Test development

Start developing items aligned to new standards

First field test of items aligned to new standards

Implementation

New TEKS operational in classrooms

STAAR assesses overlap curriculum

STAAR assesses full scope of new TEKS

Standard-setting for new assessment

