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Subject: Correction to the 2018 STAAR Grades 6–8 Test Administrator Manual

To the District and ESC Testing Coordinator Addressed:

The purpose of this email is to notify school districts and education service centers of the following correction to the 2018 STAAR Grades 6–8 Test Administrator Manual. Please communicate this correction to relevant testing personnel.

2018 STAAR Grades 6–8 Test Administrator Manual

Online Administration Directions for STAAR Grade 7 Writing

Page 63 Administrator directions 2nd paragraph

Delete the paragraph that begins, “For any grade 7 student who is taking the STAAR writing test online, ...”

The language regarding transcription for students taking the writing test online is incorrect. Test administrators administering the STAAR grade 7 writing test online must be made aware of this.

The 2018 STAAR Grades 6–8 Test Administrator Manual has been updated since it was printed and shipped. The updated version of the manual with the incorrect information deleted has been posted to the STAAR Test Administration Manuals webpage at:

<https://tea.texas.gov/student.assessment/staar/manuals/>.

For questions regarding this information, contact the Student Assessment Division at 512-463-9536 or student.assessment@tea.texas.gov.

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