



October 13, 2015

**TO THE DISTRICT TESTING COORDINATOR AND ESC ADDRESSED:**

**Subject: Development of the 2016–2017 Student Assessment Testing Calendar**

Please DO NOT reply to this email.

The purpose of this email is to notify school districts and education service centers about the posting of a draft version of the 2016–2017 Student Assessment testing calendar. This draft of the calendar is available for public review and will be posted to the Texas Education Agency's (TEA's) website at <http://tea.texas.gov/student.assessment/calendars/>. Comments and suggestions about the draft of the calendar should be sent to [Test.Calendar@tea.texas.gov](mailto:Test.Calendar@tea.texas.gov) by November 10, 2015.

A proposed change to the 2016–2017 Student Assessment testing calendar is described below.

- The summer administrations of the State of Texas Assessments of Academic Readiness (STAAR<sup>®</sup>) end-of-course (EOC) and the Texas Assessment of Knowledge and Skills (TAKS) are scheduled to occur June 19–23, 2017. This is the same week as the STAAR grades 5 and 8 mathematics and reading retests.

Please call the Student Assessment Division at (512) 463-9536 if you have any questions about this information.

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