Dear LEA ELPAC Coordinator:

Thank you for your support of the computer-based English Language Proficiency Assessments for California (ELPAC) field test.

Field test materials have shipped and include test forms that have a “spring 2019 Summative ELPAC” cover. These materials were not shipped in error, as test forms are being reused by Educational Testing Service, as part of the field test, to compare online versus paper-pencil test modes.

Grade-level, paper-pencil field test forms for oral language and written language were shipped. LEA ELPAC coordinators should refer to the Computer-based ELPAC Field Test Form Assignment and Final Student Counts email from Sacramento County Office of Education (SCOE) sent on August 23, 2019, when unpacking test materials.

Please note, students will be taking the grade-level paper-pencil forms that reflects the grade level in which the student was enrolled for in the 2018–19 school year. For example, students currently enrolled in grade six will field test with the spring 2019 Summative ELPAC for Grade 5, etc. The exception is kindergarten: These students will take the grade-level assessment for kindergarten during the field test.

Questions concerning the field test materials and form assignment should be directed to Salina Donek, SCOE ELPAC Field Test Coordinator, by phone at 916-228-3301 or by email at elpac@scoe.net.

Sincerely,

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