

Stopping Marker Guidance for 2019–2020* Summative ELPAC

If it seems like a student may be able to continue testing at a different time, LEAs are encouraged to provide breaks to the student. Breaks, including testing over more than one day, between the domain sections are permitted as a universal tool. Extended breaks in the middle of a domain-level test administration are allowed as an accommodation for students who have a documented need in their individualized education program or Section 504 plan.

Grade	Reading	Writing	Listening	Speaking
K–1	Administer all questions to the stopping marker. If the student has answered all of the questions incorrectly or has not responded to the questions after being reprompted twice, excuse the student, select “NR” from the answer choices for the remaining questions, and submit the test.	Administer all questions to the stopping marker. If the student has answered all of the questions incorrectly or has not responded to the questions after being reprompted twice, excuse the student, return the Answer Book with unanswered items to the site ELPAC coordinator.	Administer all questions to the stopping marker. If the student has answered all of the questions incorrectly or has not responded to the questions after being reprompted twice, excuse the student, select “NR” from the answer choices for the remaining questions, and submit the test.	Administer all questions to the stopping marker. If the student has answered all of the questions incorrectly or has not responded to the questions after being reprompted twice, excuse the student, skip the remaining questions by selecting [Next], and submit the test.
2	Administer all questions to the stopping marker. If the student has answered all of the questions incorrectly or has not responded to the questions after being reprompted twice, excuse the student, select [Mark as No Response] from the Context Menu for the remaining questions, and submit the test.	Administer all questions to the stopping marker. If the student has answered all of the questions incorrectly or has not responded to the questions after being reprompted twice, excuse the student, return the Answer Book with unanswered items to the site ELPAC coordinator.	Administer all questions to the stopping marker. If the student has answered all of the questions incorrectly or has not responded to the questions after being reprompted twice, excuse the student, select [Mark as No Response] from the Context Menu for the remaining questions, and submit the test.	Administer all questions to the stopping marker. If the student has answered all of the questions incorrectly or has not responded to the questions after being reprompted twice, excuse the student, skip the remaining questions by selecting [Next], and submit the test.
3–12	Students answer questions independently. There are no stopping markers.	Students answer questions independently. There are no stopping markers.	Students answer questions independently. There are no stopping markers.	Administer all questions to the stopping marker. If the student has answered all of the questions incorrectly or has not responded to the questions after being reprompted twice, excuse the student, skip the remaining questions by selecting [Next], and submit the test.

*Beginning with the 2020–2021 Initial ELPAC, there will be [End Test] buttons on the screen.