

Test Security Agreement: (K-10) Interim and Modular Assessments

Test security is essential to obtain reliable and valid scores for accountability purposes. Accordingly, the Wyoming Department of Education (WDE) must take every step to ensure the security and confidentiality of the state test materials. All personnel involved in testing must agree to the following to maintain test security:

- 1. I will not divulge the contents of the tests to any other person through verbal written, or any other means of communication outside of the classroom or PLC groups. I will adhere to the Acceptable Use Policy Guidelines.
- 2. I will not copy or take a photo of any part of the test or test materials. I will only print items in accordance with *Acceptable Use Policy* Guidelines.
- 3. I will keep the tests secure until the tests are ready to be administered. Keeping materials secure means that paper testing materials are required to be kept in a securely locked room that can be entered only with a key or keycard and, when possible, in a locked storage cabinet or closet within that room.
- 4. I will keep all assigned, generated, or created usernames, passwords and logins secure and not divulge pupil personal information to anyone other than the pupil to whom the information pertains for the purpose of logging on to the assessment delivery system.
- 5. I will not allow anyone other than the assigned student to log in to their assigned tests. I may assist a student with using their information to log into his/her assigned test.
- 6. I will not allow students to access electronic devices that enable them to access outside information (including social media), communicate with other students, and/or photograph or copy test content. This includes, but is not limited to cell phones, personal digital assistants, tablets, laptops, cameras, and electronic translation devices.
- 7. I will actively supervise students throughout the assessment and verify that pupils have selected the appropriate assessment for the testing session.
- 8. I will collect and account for all materials following each period of testing and will not permit students to remove any test materials, including scratch paper, from the room where testing takes place.
- 9. I will not review any test questions, passages, or other test items with students or any other person before, during, or following testing except as allowable by the *Acceptable Use Policy* Guidelines.
- 10. I will return all paper test materials, including secure test forms, scratch paper, etc., to the designated Building Coordinator **daily** upon completion of testing.
- 11. I will not develop scoring keys or prepare answer documents for any assessment.
- 12. I will administer the test in accordance with the *Directions for Test Administration* and *Test Administration Manual* prepared by the testing contractor.
- 13. I have been trained to administer the tests.
- 14. I understand that failure to comply with the administration and security requirements may result in one or more of the following penalties:
 - a. invalidating test scores for an individual student or for groups of students; and
 - b. placing a school on a monitoring list for future test administrations; and
 - c. prohibiting specific personnel from administering a test in the future; and
 - d. requiring re-training plan for a school or district; and
 - e. reporting findings to the Professional Teaching Standards Board for potential actions related to professional licensure in Wyoming consistent with Chapter 9, Section 7(c) Reprehensible Conduct.

Signed		
Print Name	Assessment	
School	District	
Date	This form is to be kept as a testing record. This form may be photocopied. Copyright © 2019 Wyoming Department of Education	