

CURRICULUM ASSESSMENT AND PROGRAM EVALUATION COMMITTEE

Tuesday, December 19, 2017

TSO Conference Room- 5:45 p.m.

AGENDA

1. Call to order
2. Presentation of the BHS Program of Studies for 2018-19: Marc Balanda (Principal, BHS) and Liz Spencer (Humanities Department Chair, BHS)
3. Information regarding request for pilot of Smithsonian NGSS module in grades K-8 during spring 2018. Presented by Maureen Ruby (Assistant Superintendent) with Knans Griffing of Carolina/Smithsonian by conference call.
4. Presentation on request from Joanne Thompson and Stephen Baldwin to participate in SHAPE America National Assessments in Health and Physical Education field tests in March 2018. Information presented by Maureen Ruby (Assistant Superintendent) with Stephen Baldwin (Director of Health, PE, and Athletics) by conference call.

All items have been aligned to the current National Standards **in each subject** by SHAPE America.

What are the SHAPE America National Assessments in Health and Physical Education field tests?

The National Assessments in Health and Physical Education are two field tests created in a partnership between SHAPE America and American Institutes for Research (AIR) for students in grades 5, 8, and High School (9–12).

When is the Assessment Window?

The field test assessment window for Health and Physical Education will be open for participating districts from March 1 through March 30, 2018.

How long will the assessments take?

The assessments are designed to be delivered and completed by students within one class period per subject.

Will the results impact teacher or student performance?

No. The goal of the field tests are not to assess performance but rather to gather feedback about the need for a national assessments in Health and Physical Education.

When is the deadline for a district to commit to participating in the field test?

Districts must commit to participating in the field test by February 16, 2018. Districts can sign up by filling out the form at [SHAPE National Assessments in Health and Physical Education Learn More](#) page.

Why should districts participate in the field test?

Participating districts will:

- participate at no cost;

- expose students to interactive and dynamic online tests using different technologies such as iPads and Google Chromebooks;
- expose students to new content aligned to national standards in Health and Physical Education;
- reduce student anxiety by taking the assessments while they are optional;
- receive student reports with valuable insights showing standards-based performance;
- receive technical support during setup and test administration;
- share feedback on the assessments to; and
- help SHAPE America and American Institutes for Research (AIR) ensure the assessments are valid.

What districts should participate?

Any district interested in trying the assessment is eligible to If you have computers/tablets and internet, then you can setup your school or district.

What is the cost of participating in the field test?

There is no cost to participate in the field test.

Will our district receive the results?

Yes, SHAPE America & American Institutes for Research (AIR) will provide reports to each participating district. Aggregate data (with no personally identifiable information) will be shared with SHAPE America for national research data.

When will our district receive results?

Please return back for more information. SHAPE America and American Institutes for Research (AIR) will provide a schedule to participating districts based on the plan administration window.

Sample questions at: <https://demo.tds.airast.org/shape/>

5. Good of the Order

6. Adjournment