

# ACT Aspire

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The following are appropriate and available open access tools for the ACT Aspire Exam.  
**Open Access Tools/Designated supports** are for students who regularly use a similar support as part of regular classroom instruction. They must be designated before the start of exam administration within the Aspire portal by the Office of Assessment Administration.

Embedded Open Access Tools/Designated Supports	Notes
Line Reader	
Magnifier Tool	
Answer Masking	
Non-embedded Open Access Tools/Designated Supports	Notes
Large Print (paper)	Must be decided and communicated to OAA in advance of paper ordering deadlines.
Dictate Responses	
Breaks: supervised within each day	
Special seating/grouping	
Location for movement	
Other setting	
Audio environment	
Visual environment	
Physical/motor equipment	
Home Administration	

Open Access Tools/Designated Supports

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The following are appropriate and available accommodations for the ACT Aspire Exam. **Accommodations** must be specifically noted in a student's IEP or 504 accommodation plan, or formally documented by ELL case manager. They must be designated before the start of exam administration within the Aspire portal by the Office of Assessment Administration.

Embedded Accommodations	Notes
Text-to-speech English audio	For Reading and English domains, only directions will be read. Requires: PNP system automatically assigns extra time 300%
Text-to-speech English audio + orienting description for blind/low vision	Requires Braille to also be chosen. Requires: PNP system automatically assigns extra time 300%
Text-to-speech Spanish audio	Online prerecorded format; PNP system automatically assigns extra time 300%
Translated Spanish test directions	
Braille + tactile graphics	Requires: Response support to record responses; time for shipment of materials. Recommended to be paired with extra time.
Extra time	Amount of time must be specified – available in 50% increments from 150-300%
Non-embedded Accommodations	Notes
Word-to-word dictionary	Locally provided, Not allowed for Reading and English domains,
Human reader, English audio	For Reading and English domains, only directions may be read. Recommendation by ACT to be paired with extra time 300% support.
Sign language interpretation	
Abacus	Locally provided

Accommodations