

# 5 KEY THINGS TO KNOW ABOUT INDIANA'S ILEARN ASSESSMENTS

ILEARN Assessment Information for Families



**WHAT IS ILEARN?**

ILEARN is Indiana’s online computer-adaptive assessment designed to measure your child’s proficiency of the Indiana Academic Standards for Grades 3-8, Biology, and U.S. Government. ILEARN fulfills both state and federal accountability requirements and is Indiana’s summative accountability assessment. The graphic below shows ILEARN content areas and grade levels.

Subject	Grade(s)
Mathematics	Grades 3-8
English/Language Arts	Grades 3-8
Science	Grades 4 and 6
Social Studies	Grade 5
Biology End-of-Course Assessment (ECA)	Upon completion of the course, regardless of grade-level enrollment
U.S. Government ECA*	

\*Optional

**WHAT IS A COMPUTER-ADAPTIVE ASSESSMENT AND HOW DOES IT HELP MY CHILD?**

ILEARN is a computer-adaptive assessment, which adapts to each student’s mastery of the content throughout the assessment. This means that when a student answers a question on ILEARN, his or her response helps determine the next question. The difficulty of the test will adjust to each student’s skills to provide a better measure of what each student knows and can do. Visit IDOE's website for more information about computer-adaptive assessments.

**HOW DOES ILEARN SUPPORT ALL STUDENTS?**

The online testing system is easy to use and is more accessible to students who require tools or accommodations while testing. Tools and resources are available to help students show what they know.

- Built-in glossaries allow students to select unfamiliar words and read their definitions.
- Glossaries are available in English, Arabic, Burmese, Mandarin, Spanish, and Vietnamese.
- Students are provided with authentic tools, such as spell check, a dictionary, and a thesaurus for use when responding to the writing task.
- The Desmos calculator (provided for Mathematics grades 6–8) is available for students to practice using free of charge at [desmos.com](https://www.desmos.com).
- Spanish translations (stacked over the English version) are available for Mathematics, Science, and Social Studies.

**WHEN WILL I RECEIVE SCORE REPORTS ABOUT MY STUDENT’S PERFORMANCE ON ILEARN?**

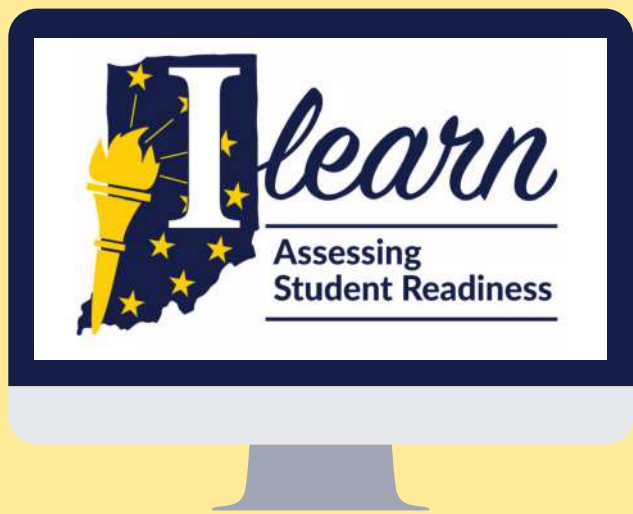
- Schools can access electronic preliminary scores following data verification by IDOE. Schools are responsible for sharing students’ results with parents in a timely manner.
- Reports provide a scale score as an indication of overall student achievement in a grade level.
- Parents may request rescores of responses to open-ended items through the local school during a defined rescore window.

**WHAT RESOURCES ARE AVAILABLE TO HELP PREPARE MY CHILD FOR ILEARN?**

Indiana’s [Released Items Repository](#) allows students to interact with released items and try some of the tools and features. New items are added each school year.

[Indiana’s ILEARN Portal](#) provides information and resources for understanding the assessment.

The [ILEARN website](#) answers questions about ILEARN.



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