# **Teacher Directions: End of Year State Assessment Review**





#### Spiral review plans:

The following schedule is a recommendation to review key academic strands for the 3 weeks leading up to your state assessment. Strategically choose 3 academic strands to focus on. You could choose academic strands that may be heavily tested, or maybe your class data has identified weak areas. The calendar template on page 2 is a suggestion and can be adapted to your state's testing schedule.

## Days 1-4 Days 5-7 Days 8-10 Days 11-14

On the first day, review key content vocabulary with teacher selected activities, and use 3 days to review one academic strand with instructional strategies.

Review a second academic strand with instructional strategies.

Review a third academic strand with instructional strategies.

Use the last week of review prior to state testing to refresh and pump up your students. Review all academic strands and keep students engaged. Use this final week to also do read-alouds, watch inspirational videos, and set goals to boost their confidence and motivation to do their best.

All suggested linked activities come from <u>Lead4Ward</u>, and can be easily adapted to any state standard and are low-prep.

Teachers can use these activities or develop their own.

# **Month Prior to State Assessment**

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Review Vocabulary (1 day)	Review math, reading, science, or social studies academic strand #1 (3 days: Tuesday-Thursday)		Review math, reading, science or social studies academic strand #2 (3 days: Fri-Tues)	
Continued Review math, reading, science, or social studies academic strand #2 (3 days: Friday-Tuesday)		Review math, reading, science, or social studies academic strand #3 (3 days: Wednesday-Friday)		
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### Sample Teacher Directions: Reading

Below are the suggested activities that can be adapted to any state standard. You can create any of the following activities below and use the linked review strategies for each type of practice.

To review, you can use:

- Bell Ringers to provide quick remediation on specific standards
- Create mini assessments with passage questions only in the Assessment Builder; Use the Item Analysis report to review questions
- Create an assignment with 10 practice questions; Use the Item Analysis report to review questions

#### **Fiction**

#### **Day 1 Fiction**

**Progress Learning Activity** 

Clarify Understanding with Questions: <u>ABCD Reasoning Cards</u>

#### **Day 2 Fiction**

**Progress Learning Activity** 

Summary/Main Idea: 3-2-1 Summary

#### **Day 3 Fiction**

Progress Learning Activity

Analyze: <u>Table Top Tweet</u>



#### **Nonfiction**

#### **Day 1 Non-fiction**

**Progress Learning Activity** 

Clarify Understanding with Questions: <u>Make the Case</u>

#### **Day 2 Non-fiction**

Progress Learning Activity

Summary/ Main Idea: Summary Salad

#### **Day 3 Non-fiction**

Progress Learning Activity

Analyze: Nine Squares

#### Poetry/Drama

#### **Day 1 Poetry/Drama**

**Progress Learning Activity** 

Clarify Understanding with Questions: <u>Balloon Pop</u>

#### Day 2 Poetry/Drama

Progress Learning Activity

Summary/ Main Idea: <u>High-Five Summary</u>

#### Day 3 Poetry/Drama

Progress Learning Activity

Analyze: Connect 4 Thinking

### **Sample Teacher Directions: Math**

Below are the suggested activities that can be adapted to any state standard. You can create any of the following activities below and use the linked review strategies for each type of practice.

#### To review, you can use:

- Bell Ringers to provide quick remediation on specific standards
- Create an assignment with 10 practice questions; Use the Item Analysis report to review questions

#### **Computations and Algebraic Relationships**

Day 1 of Computations and Algebraic Relationships

**Progress Learning Activity** 

Vocabulary: Who Am I?

Day 2 of Computations and Algebraic Relationships

Progress Learning Activity

Clarify Understanding with Questions: Pick Up the Slip Up

Day 3 of Computations and Algebraic Relationships

Progress Learning Activity

Analyze: <u>Total Recall</u>



#### **Geometry and Measurement**

Day 1 of Geometry and Measurement

**Progress Learning Activity** 

Vocabulary: Rock and Roll Vocabulary

Day 1 of Geometry and Measurement

**Progress Learning Activity** 

Clarify Understanding with Questions: IO Slap Down

Day 1 of Geometry and Measurement

Progress Learning Activity

Analyze: Thought Bubbles

#### **Data Analysis and Monetary Transactions**

Day 1 of Data Analysis and Monetary Transactions

**Progress Learning Activity** 

Vocabulary: Odd One Out

Day 2 of Data Analysis and Monetary Transactions

Progress Learning Activity

Clarify Understanding with Questions: <u>ABCD Reasoning Cards</u>

Day 3 of Data Analysis and Monetary Transactions

Progress Learning Activity

Analyze: Mind Bender