

# SHAPE America National Assessments

## Health and Physical Education Field Test

### **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/>