



## 2019-2020 WIDA Q&A Webinars – Central Time

Please see pp. 3-6 for webinar content descriptions and their intended audiences. Webinars are scheduled in **Central Time** and will be posted in the WIDA website’s Secure Portal within a week after completion.

Participants can join each webinar 30 minutes prior to starting time.

MONTH	WEBINAR EVENTS
April 2019	<p><b>Central Office Service (COS) Transition (Part One)</b> Monday, April 8 from 10:00am-11:00am Central</p>
June 2019	<p><b>Central Office Service (COS) Transition (Part Two)</b> Wednesday, June 12 from 10:00am-11:00am Central</p>
July 2019	<p><b>ACCESS for ELLs: Speaking Domain</b> Tuesday, July 23, 11am-12pm Central</p>
August 2019	<p><b>Central Office Service (COS) Transition (Part Three)</b> Thursday, August 1 from 10:00am-11:00am Central</p>
	<p><b>WIDA Screener – Online</b> Thursday, August 8, 11am-12pm Central</p>
	<p><b>WIDA Screener – Paper</b> Tuesday, August 20, 10am-11am Central</p>
September 2019	<p><b>Welcome Back: What’s New This Year?</b> Wednesday, September 18, 1pm-2pm Central <a href="#">Join Now</a></p>
	<p><b>WIDA MODEL Overview</b> Thursday, September 19, 2pm-3pm Central <a href="#">Join Now</a></p>
	<p><b>Pre-Testing: ACCESS for ELLs for New Test Administrators</b> Tuesday, September 24, 11am-12pm Central <a href="#">Join Now</a></p>
	<p><b>Pre-Testing: ACCESS for ELLs for New District Test Coordinators</b> Thursday, September 26, 1pm-2pm Central <a href="#">Join Now</a></p>

October 2019	<p><a href="#">Pre-Testing: Software Updates &amp; Technology Readiness Checklist</a> Thursday, October 3, 1pm-2pm Central <a href="#">Join Now</a></p>
	<p><a href="#">Pre-Testing: Technology Installations* (1.5 hours)</a> Tuesday, October 8, 1pm-2:30pm Central <a href="#">Join Now</a></p>
	<p><a href="#">Pre-Testing: Ordering Materials in WIDA AMS</a> Thursday, October 10, 11am-12pm Central <a href="#">Join Now</a></p>
	<p><a href="#">Pre-Testing: Test Scheduling</a> Thursday, October 17, 1pm-2pm Central <a href="#">Join Now</a></p>
November 2019	<p><a href="#">Pre-Testing: Technology Coordinator Support for Test Administrators</a> Thursday, November 7, 11am-12pm Central <a href="#">Join Now</a></p>
	<p><a href="#">During Testing: Managing Students in WIDA AMS (Online)</a> Wednesday, November 13, 2pm-3pm Central <a href="#">Join Now</a></p>
December 2019	<p><a href="#">Alternate ACCESS for ELLs Test Administration</a> Tuesday, December 3, 11am-12pm Central <a href="#">Join Now</a></p>
	<p><a href="#">During Testing: Managing Test Sessions (Online)</a> Wednesday, December 11, 1pm-2pm Central <a href="#">Join Now</a></p>
	<p><a href="#">During Testing: Managing Students in WIDA AMS (Paper)</a> Tuesday, December 17, 1pm-2pm Central <a href="#">Join Now</a></p>
January 2020	<p><a href="#">During Testing: Managing Test Materials (Paper)</a> Thursday, January 9, 1pm-2pm Central <a href="#">Join Now</a></p>
	<p><a href="#">During Testing: Technology Troubleshooting</a> Wednesday, January 15, 11am-12pm Central <a href="#">Join Now</a></p>
	<p><a href="#">Post-Testing: Returning Materials (Paper)</a> Thursday, January 30, 1pm-2pm Central <a href="#">Join Now</a></p>

February 2020	<p><b>During Testing: Monitoring Completion for Test Coordinators (Online)</b>  Thursday, February 6, 11am-12pm Central  <a href="#">Join Now</a></p>
March 2020	<p><b>Post-Testing: Data Validation</b>  Wednesday, March 4, 1pm-2pm Central  <a href="#">Join Now</a></p>
	<p><b>Post-Testing: Interpreting Score Reports</b>  Thursday, March 12, 11am-12pm Central  <a href="#">Join Now</a></p>

## Webinar Descriptions

WEBINAR TITLE	DESCRIPTION	AUDIENCE	DATES
<b>WELCOME BACK!</b>			
<b>Central Office Service (COS) Transition</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Provide an overview of Central Office Service (COS) and share details about the transition from TSM to COS</li> </ul>	Test Coordinators, Technology Coordinators	4/8, 6/12, 8/1
<b>ACCESS for ELLs: The Speaking Test and How it is Scored (Online)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Provide information about ACCESS Online Speaking to improve understanding among test users about meaning of test score</li> <li>Provide overview of test structure, tier placement, and task design, how sample student speaking responses are scored</li> </ul>	Test Administrators	7/23/19
<b>Welcome Back: What's New This Year?</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Introduce new items in WIDA AMS, in the WIDA training process, and on the WIDA website</li> </ul>	Test Administrators, District Test Coordinators, Technology Coordinators	9/18/19
<b>WIDA Screener</b>			
<b>WIDA Screener – Online</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Provide an overview of WIDA Screener Online training, test administration, and scoring</li> </ul>	Test Administrators and District Test Coordinators administering Screener Online	8/8/19
<b>WIDA Screener - Paper</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Provide an overview of WIDA Screener Paper training, test and audio file ordering, test administration, and scoring</li> </ul>	Test Administrators and District Test Coordinators administering Screener via Paper	8/20/19

<b>WIDA MODEL</b>			
<b>WIDA MODEL Overview</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>This webinar highlights the features of WIDA MODEL as an interim assessment for local districts and schools. WIDA will provide general information about WIDA MODEL, point you to valuable resources, and provide responses.</li> </ul>	Test Administrators, District Test Coordinators	9/19/19
<b>ACCESS For ELLs - PRE-TESTING</b>			
<b>Pre-Testing: ACCESS for ELLs for new Test Administrators</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Provide information on preparing to administer the WIDA ACCESS for ELLs assessment</li> </ul>	Test Administrators	9/24/19
<b>Pre-Testing: ACCESS for ELLs 2.0 for new District Test Coordinators</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Provide how-to information on:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Creating WIDA user accounts</li> <li>Monitoring test administrator training completion</li> <li>Using WIDA AMS as a District Test Coordinator</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	District Test Coordinators	9/26/19
<b>Pre-Testing: Software Updates &amp; Technology Readiness Checklist</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Introduce and walkthrough the Technology Readiness Checklist</li> </ul>	Technology Coordinators	10/3/19
<b>Pre-Testing: Technology Installations*</b> (1.5 hours)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Provide installs of the COS INSIGHT and DTK on varying devices (Windows, Macs, Chromebooks, iPads)</li> <li>Share information on updated system requirements</li> </ul>	Technology Coordinators	10/8/19
<b>Pre-Testing: Ordering Materials</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Provide how-to information on:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ordering test materials for paper and online</li> <li>Monitoring order status</li> <li>Confirming shipping address</li> <li>Communicate ordering expectations</li> </ul> </li> <li>Share grade levels 1-3 and 4-5 ordering considerations</li> </ul>	Test Administrators, District Test Coordinators	10/10/19
<b>Pre-Testing: Test Scheduling</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Provide how-to information on:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Scheduling paper and online testing</li> <li>Grouping students</li> <li>Timing of tests</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Test Administrators, District Test Coordinators	10/17/19

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Scheduling practice tests</li> <li>• Scheduling a room</li> </ul>		
<b>Pre-Testing: Technology Coordinator Support for Test Administrators</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provide Technology Coordinators information to communicate with Test Coordinators and Administrators</li> <li>• Facilitate how to establish a local communication plan to identify issues and troubleshoot if problems arise</li> <li>• Review when to support Test Administrators at their testing sites by training them to respond to technical issues and when/how to report them</li> </ul>	Technology Coordinators	11/7/19
<b>ACCESS For ELLs – DURING TESTING</b>			
<b>During Testing: Managing Students in WIDA AMS (Online)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provide how-to information on student demographic information and accommodations</li> </ul>	Test Administrators	11/13/19
<b>During Testing: Managing Test Sessions (Online)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provide how-to information on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Creating test sessions</li> <li>• Printing test tickets</li> <li>• Managing test sessions</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Test Administrators	12/11/19
<b>During Testing: Managing Students in WIDA AMS (Paper)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provide how-to information on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bubbling/Labeling</li> <li>• Comparing student information in WIDA AMS</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Test Administrators	12/17/19
<b>During Testing: Managing Test Materials (Paper)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provide information on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Paper inventory</li> <li>• Additional materials</li> <li>• Secure material protocol</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Test Administrators	1/9/20
<b>During Testing: Technology Troubleshooting</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provide an overview of the various error messages</li> <li>• Common troubleshooting solutions</li> </ul>	Test Administrators, District Test Coordinators, Technology Coordinators	1/15/20
<b>During Testing: Monitoring Completion (Online)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provide information on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Student status reports</li> <li>• Daily cumulative student status report</li> <li>• Online testing statistics</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Test Administrators, District Test Coordinators	2/6/20

<b>Alternate ACCESS for ELLs Administration</b>			
<b>Alternate ACCESS for ELLs Administration</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provide an overview of Alternate ACCESS for ELLs, including:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Scheduling</li> <li>• Basics of administration</li> <li>• Review of training resources</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Test Administrators, District Test Coordinators administering the Alternate ACCESS for ELLs assessment	12/3/19
<b>ACCESS for ELLs Administration – Post Testing</b>			
<b>Post Testing: Returning Materials (Paper)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Determine what materials to return, how, and when</li> </ul>	Test Administrators	1/30/20
<b>Post Testing: Data Validation</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provide how-to information on:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Validating student data</li> <li>• Correcting student data</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Test Administrators, District Test Coordinators	3/4/20
<b>Post Testing: Interpreting Score Reports</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Share how to interpret score report data</li> <li>• Review general data corrections and scoring appeals process</li> </ul>	Test Administrators, District Test Coordinators	3/12/20