

## LinkIt! Pre/Post Tests

Congratulations, you are teaching one or more of our most requested classes! As a result, your course has access to Pre/Post Tests aligned to Common Core State Standards.

Here's everything you need to know about this new initiative:

### Why LinkIt!?

LinkIt! is an assessment management and data analytics platform. We will use the LinkIt! system to administer the pre/post assessments, and the system will provide us with easy-to-use data reporting. The goal is to provide you, our instructors, with the data you need to inform your instructional decisions.

### How to deliver your LinkIt! tests

- Students should:
  - Go to [test.linkit.com](https://test.linkit.com)
  - Enter the provided testing code for the class period (have this on your screen)
  - Select their name from the list of names
  - Begin taking the test
  - Tutorial:
    - Here is an [iorad tutorial](#)

If you run into issues or need support, please [submit a ticket](#) for Curriculum/Canvas/Resources/PD.

- Important Reminders:
  - Ask your facilitator to test the link on a student device a few days in advance to ensure that the site is not blocked by the district.
  - Remain on screen for the duration of the pre/post test
  - Ensure you have independent work prepared for early finishers and students know what to do when they finish.
  - Check the roster of student names two days before the test by going to [test.linkit.com](https://test.linkit.com) and entering the testing code. If a student is missing from the roster, please [submit a ticket](#), sharing the student's name and the Canvas course URL. Please allow 24 hours for the roster to be updated.

- FAQs
  - What should I do if my student clicks on the wrong name?
    - They can close the window and click on the link again.
  - How will we know if a student is taking their own test?
    - The facilitator can walk around the room. Student's names will be displayed at the top of the screen.
  - How do I know which students are testing or have finished the test?
    - You are able to monitor the student's testing process from within the [LinkIt system](#). Follow the directions in [this video](#) for more information.
  - How do I help my students understand the purpose of a pretest/post-test so that they don't stress out?
    - Consider implementing some of the Growth Mindset / Pre-Assessment content from the [First Days Care Package](#).
  - How long will the pretest/post-test take?
    - This varies by content area. ELA and US History tests will take approximately 20-45 minutes to complete. Science and math tests will take 45-60 minutes to complete. The Chemistry test will take over an hour to complete.
  - What should I do if the test site is blocked by the district?
    - Implement Plan B – teach the next lesson in the curriculum. After class, submit a ticket to the solutions team so that your CSS can work with the district to try and get the site unblocked.
  - What should I do if a student doesn't appear on the roster?
    - You should check the roster 2 days prior to the test. If the student does not appear on the roster, please [submit a ticket](#), sharing the student's name and the Canvas course URL.
    - If your roster changes the day of the test, the newly added student will need to take the assessment on a later date, if possible.

## Accessing Your LinkIt! data

[Click here](#) to learn more about how to access your data, and the types of reports available. We have included an optional [data reflection form](#) that you can use to help guide your analysis and action planning (you will need to make a copy).

If you need support in accessing your data, please [submit a ticket](#). If you need support reviewing the data or developing an action plan, schedule a coaching session with your TLS.

## Courses with LinkIt Pre/Post Tests

### ELA - *Middle School*

- ELA Grade 6
- ELA Grade 7
- ELA Grade 8

### ELA - *High School*

- English 1 Grade 9
- English 2 Grade 10
- English 3 Grade 11
- English 4 Grade 12

### Math - *Middle School*

- Math Grade 6
- Math Grade 7
- Math Grade 8
- Prealgebra

### Math - *High School*

- Algebra 1
- Algebra 2
- Geometry
- Precalculus
- Probability and Statistics
- Trigonometry

### World Languages

- Spanish 1
- Spanish 2
- Spanish 3
- Spanish 4

### Science - *Middle School*

- Combo Science Grade 6
- Combo Science Grade 7
- Combo Science Grade 8
- Earth Science
- Life Science
- Physical Science

### Science - *High School*

- Anatomy and Physiology
- Biology
- Chemistry
- Earth and Space Science
- Environmental Systems
- Integrated Physics and Chemistry
- Physics

### Social Studies - *Middle School*

- Ancient Civilizations
- World Geography
- World Studies East
- World Studies West
- US History to 1900
- US History 1900 to Present

### Social Studies - *High School*

- US Government/Civics
- US History
- World History