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Dear District Technology Coordinator:

This technology update contains information related to the following topics:

- DTC Kick-Off Webinar Registration
- TestNav Desktop App Release Date 9-15-2015
- DLM Technical Liaison Webinar
- ACCESS for ELLs 2.0 Technology Webinar

## **DTC Kick-Off Webinar Registration**

The District Technology Coordinator from each district is invited to attend the 2015-2016 DTC Kick-Off webinar. Sessions will be held on the following days:

- Monday, September 14<sup>th</sup>, 2015 from 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. MST
- Thursday, September 17<sup>th</sup>, 2015 at 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. MST

Registration Link: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/9QJG7RD

This webinar will include the following topics:

- Pearson Updates
- Testing Schedules
- Testing Platforms
- ACCESS 2.0 System Overview

The webinar will be recorded and posted to the CDE Assessment Unit DTC page.

## **TestNav Desktop App Release Date**

TestNav Desktop is an installable TestNav client designed to reduce dependency on the Java plug-in used by internet browsers. It is an <u>optional</u> solution. The supported versions of the Internet Explorer, Firefox, and Safari internet browsers can still be used to complete online testing instead of the TestNav Desktop App.

The scheduled release date for the *TestNav Desktop* App is **September 15, 2015**.

Following the release, additional documentation and setup links will be available through the following link: <a href="https://support.assessment.pearson.com/x/BQACAQ">https://support.assessment.pearson.com/x/BQACAQ</a>

## **DLM Technical Liaison Webinar**

- Tuesday, September 15, 2015 from 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. MST
- Wednesday, September 23, 2015 from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. MST
  - o URL: http://meet.ku.edu/lisa.weeks/683JT73T
  - o Audio Connection: Dial (877) 304-0708
  - Enter Conference Code at prompt: 588 774 7757#

This webinar will assist district Technical Liaisons in the implementation of the Dynamic Learning Maps Alternate Assessment for the 2015-2016 school year

Participants will learn about the following topics:

- The role of a Technical Liaison
- Requirements and installation of the KITE system
- LCS, Local Caching Servers
- Troubleshooting CSV Files and data management
- Troubleshooting Educator Portal and KITE

## **ACCESS for ELLs 2.0 Technology Coordinator Overview Webinar**

- Wednesday, October 7th, 2015 from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. MST
- Friday, October 9th, 2015 from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. MST
  - o Registration link: https://wida.webex.com/mw0401lsp13/mywebex/default.do?siteurl=wida

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thank you, Collin