



January 15, 2026

IMPORTANT DEADLINES: Please forward this email to all applicable testing staff.

Dear Educators,

Please read below for important deadline reminders related to statewide ACT testing.

Submit ACT Accommodations and English Learner Supports in TAA: Due January 28

- Submit ACT accommodations and supports through the [Test Accessibility and Accommodations System](#) (TAA) by Wednesday, January 28.
 - See the [Wisconsin ACT Webpage, Step 3 – Accommodations](#) for all resources and tutorials on how to submit accommodation requests.
- Log into TAA to view decisions on accommodations requests and to confirm all student requests have been submitted. If you are unsure about what documentation to submit, contact the ACT Accommodations team at (800) 553-6244 ext.1788.
 - If a request submitted is not approved, you can submit additional documentation to support your request through **January 28**
 - Reach out to DPI as soon as possible if you are experiencing difficulty receiving approval for an accommodation request.

Verify Student Data: Due January 22

On January 23, DPI will load student rosters from WISEdata into PearsonAccess^{next} (PAnext) for both ACT and PreACT Secure. To ensure that you have the correct roster of students for testing, please make certain that your student enrollment and demographic data are correct in Student Information System (SIS) before the end of the day on **January 22**.

Verify ACT Student Rosters in PearsonAccess^{next}: January 26-30

2026 ACT student rosters will be available in [PearsonAccess^{next}](#) (PAnext) on **Monday, January 26**. Testing staff will have from **January 26-30 to verify that student enrollment** is correct. Barcode labels and test materials will be automatically shipped for students who are rostered in PAnext at the end of the day, January 30.

When verifying enrollment, confirm the following:

- Standard time testing enrollment numbers are correct
- All students are on your roster
- Examinee demographic information is correct (name, grade)
- Correct test delivery format (paper or online) for each student

- Accuracy of accommodations and/or supports enrollment information.

Use the following resources to assist you with this task:

- [How to Enroll, Verify and Update Students in PearsonAccess^{next} Tutorial](#)
- [PearsonAccess^{next} User Guide -Verify Enrollment for Testing Materials](#)
- [Verifying Student Roster and Testing Format Guide](#)
- [PearsonAccess^{next} User Guide -Managing Examinee Information](#)
- [Register for Verify Enrollment Office Hour - January 20](#)
- [PearsonAccessnext User Guide – Accommodations and Supports Roster](#)

Note: After January 30, schools can still add new students but will need to follow instructions in the Test Administration and PAnext manuals on how to order additional test materials.