

INTERMEDIATE UNIT 1

TITLE: ASSESSMENT OF
EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

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127. ASSESSMENT OF EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM	
<p>1. Purpose Title 22 Sec. 4.52</p>	<p>The Board recognizes its responsibility to develop and implement an assessment plan that will determine the degree to which students are achieving academic standards and will provide information for improving the educational program.</p>
<p>2. Authority Title 22 Sec. 4.4</p>	<p>The Board shall grant requests by parents/guardians to review the state assessments two (2) weeks prior to their administration, during regular office hours. The Intermediate Unit shall ensure the security of the assessment documents.</p>
<p>Title 22 Sec. 4.4</p>	<p>The Board shall grant parents/guardians the right to have their student excused from state assessments that conflict with their religious beliefs, upon receipt of a written request to the Executive Director or designee.</p>
<p>Title 22 Sec. 7.11</p>	<p>Parents/Guardians may obtain an explanation of assessment results from qualified school personnel of the Intermediate Unit.</p>
<p>Title 22 Sec. 4.52</p>	<p>The Intermediate Unit shall provide assistance to students not attaining academic standards at the proficient level.</p>
<p>Title 22 Sec. 4.51, 4.52</p>	<p>Students with disabilities shall be included in local and state assessments with appropriate accommodations where necessary.</p>
<p>Title 22 Sec. 4.51, 4.52</p>	<p>The Intermediate Unit shall follow guidelines for local assessment and state guidelines for state assessment for the participation of students with disabilities in alternate assignments for those children who cannot participate in the local and/or state assessments, as determined by the student's individualized education program team.</p>
<p>3. Delegation of Responsibility</p>	<p>The Executive Director or designee shall recommend methods of assessment and evaluation based on his/her professional judgment, generally accepted professional practice, and staff input.</p>

<p>PA Code Title 22 Sec. 4.4, 4.13, 4.51, 4.52, 7.11</p>	<p>The Executive Director or designee shall recommend improvements in the curriculum and instructional practices based upon assessment results.</p>
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