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Dear LEA CAASPP Coordinator:

The California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP) systems are back online. The following features are now available in the test delivery system and the Test Operations Management System (TOMS):

- **Smarter Balanced Summative Assessments Now Available**
  - The Smarter Balanced Summative Assessments are now available for administration within your local educational agency's (LEA's) selected test administration window. The interim assessments can also be administered at this time.
- **California Alternate Assessments (CAAs) for English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA) and Mathematics Now Available**
  - The summative CAAs for ELA and mathematics are now available for administration within your LEA's selected test administration window. Grade- and version-specific *Directions for Administration* must be downloaded from the TOMS [Help] tab before administering tests to students in the test delivery system. School-specific version assignments may be found on the [CAA for ELA and Mathematics Version Assignments for 2017–18 Test Administration](#) Web page.
- **CAA for Science Data Entry Interface (DEI)**
  - The CAA for Science Pilot 2 embedded performance tasks were made available to LEAs on November 1, 2017, within the TOMS [Help] tab. The DEI system is now available on the [CAA for Science DEI](#) Web page for transcribing test results. View the [How to Input CAA for Science into the DEI](#) video for step-by-step procedures for inputting test results after an embedded performance task has been administered to a student.

Questions regarding the 2017–18 CAASPP administration should be directed to the California Technical Assistance Center (CalTAC) by phone at 800-955-2954 or by e-mail at [caltac@ets.org](mailto:caltac@ets.org).

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