

Assessment Jargon (LMNOP)

- ACT American College Testing Program
- AER Assessment Evaluation Research
- ALE Alternate Learning Expectations
- ALSR Achievement Level Summary Report
- APBA Alternate Performance Based Assessment
- API Alternate Performance Indicators
- ARRA American Reinvestment & Recovery Act
- AYP Adequate Yearly Progress
- BTC Building Testing Coordinator
- CCSSO Council of Chief State School Officers
- CDF Comprehensive Data File
- CRT Criterion Referenced Test
- DAC District Assessment Coordinator for ACT
- DOE Department of Education
- DPS District Profile Sheet
- DTS Diagnostic Test Sheet
- DVM Data Verification Module
- EIS Education Information System
- ELDA English Language Development Assessment
- ELL English Language Learner
- EPAS Educational Planning and Assessment System
- ESL English as a Second Language
- ETS Educational Testing Service
- FSD Faculty Student Data
- FTTT First to the Top
- GIS Group Information Sheet
- GTI Guide to Test Interpretation
- IEP Individual Education Plan
- IPR Individual Profile Report
- IRT Item Response Theory
- ITM Inactive Test Material
- LEA Local Education Agency
- LEP Limited English Proficient Student
- ME Medical Exception

• MI	Measurement Incorporated
• NAEP	National Assessment of Educational Progress
• NAGB	National Assessment Governing Board
• NCE	Normal Curve Equivalent
• NCES	National Center for Education Statistics
• NCLB	No Child Left Behind
• NCME	National Council on Measurement in Education
• NELB	Non English Language Background
• NRT	Norm Referenced Test
• OIB	Ordered Item Booklet
• OP	Operational Unit
• OPI	Objective Performance Indicators
• PARCC	Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers
• PIRLS	Progress in Reading Language Study
• PLAN	Pre-ACT Assessment
• PSAT/NMSQT	Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test
• PSAT	Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test
• RANDA	R and A Solutions
• RCPI	Reporting Category Performance Indicators
• RFP	Request for Proposal
• RI	Report of Irregularity
• RTTT	Race to the Top
• SAT	Scholastic Aptitude Test
• SDDV	Student Demographic Data Verification
• SGL	School Group List
• SPI	State Performance Indicators
• SS	Scale Score
• SR	Selected Response
• SSID	Student Identification System
• STC	System Testing Coordinator
• TAC	Technical Advisory Committee
• TAC	Testing Assessment Coordinator for ACT
• TAG	Test Administration Group
• TAM	Test Administration Manual
• TAP	Teacher Advancement Program
• TCA	TN Code Annotated

- TCAP Tennessee Comprehensive Assessment Program
- TCAP/ACH Achievement Assessment
- TCAP/Alt-PA Alternative Portfolio Assessment
- TCAP/CRA Constructed Response Assessment
- TCAP/ELSA English Linguistically Simplified Assessment
- TCAP/EOC End of Course Assessment
- TCAP EOC/ELSA English Linguistically Simplified Assessment
- TCAP/GW Gateway Assessments
- TCAP/HSAS Holistically Scored Assessment System
- TCAP/MAAS Modified Academic Achievement Standards
- TCAP/WA Writing Assessment
- TELPA Tennessee English Language Proficiency Assessment
- TIMSS Trends in International Mathematics and Science Study
- TS Testing Supervisor for ACT (school level)
- TSC Teacher Student Connections
- TVAAS Tennessee Value-Added Assessment System
- USID Unique Student Identification number