

Alaska Educator Opportunity

DEED seeks Alaska educators for four events to contribute to the assessment item development process for AK STAR, the Alaska Science Assessment, or both!



Data Review: Virtual meeting to review and provide feedback on ELA and math test item data from spring 2025. Assist DEED and NWEA in building operational assessments for future administrations.

Stipend - \$150 for full participation.

Tuesday, July 15 - 8:00 am - 4:00 pm

Content Review: Virtual meeting to provide feedback on new AK STAR test items for field testing in Spring 2026. Educators will review items for content, bias, and sensitivity as well as verify their alignment to Alaska's ELA and mathematics academic standards.

Stipend - \$250 for full participation.

Wednesday, July 16 - Thursday, July 17 - 8:00 am - 4:00 pm



Both science assessment reviews will be in-person events in Anchorage. The vendor will cover all travel and lodging costs for educators, with no expense to them. Additionally, a per diem stipend will be provided for full participation.

Data Review: In-person meeting in Anchorage to review and provide feedback on science test item data from spring 2025. Assist DEED and NWEA in building operational assessments for future administrations.

Stipend - \$100 for full participation.

Tuesday, August 5 - 8:00 am - 4:00 pm

Content Review: In-person meeting in Anchorage to provide feedback on newly developed science test items for field testing in spring 2026. Educators will review items for content, bias, and sensitivity as well as verify their alignment to the Alaska's K-12 Science Standards.

Stipend - \$250 for full participation.

Wednesday, August 6 - Thursday, August 7 - 8:00 am - 4:00 pm

Complete the [Assessment Interest Form](#) to apply for any of these events. Only complete applications will be considered.

