

Accessing Online Tools Training (OTT) for the PEAKS Computer-Based Assessment



The Online Tools Training (OTT) for the PEAKS computer-based assessment is designed to provide students a hands-on opportunity to experience the test environment. Students can navigate through a “test”, practice using test-taking tools, and try out different technology-enhanced items.

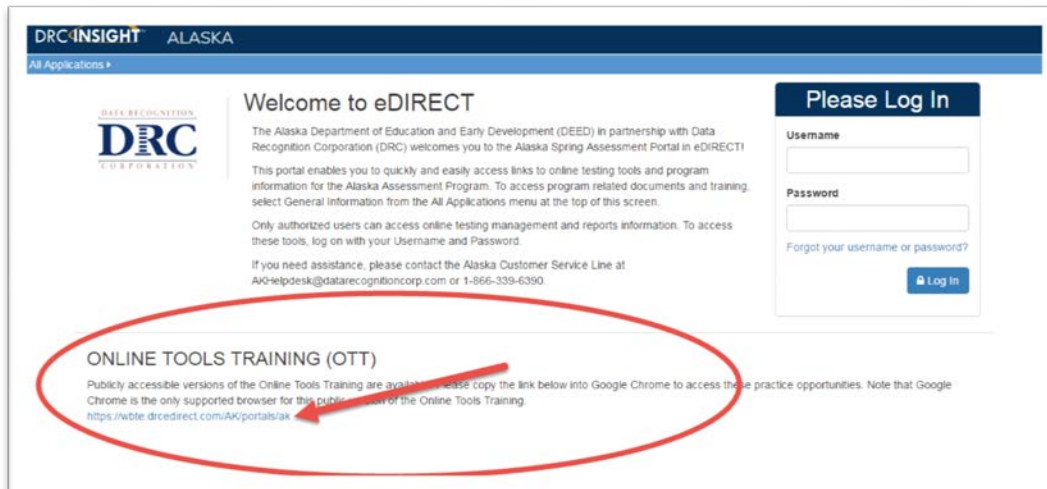
Quick Guide

School districts should provide students the opportunity to use the OTT.

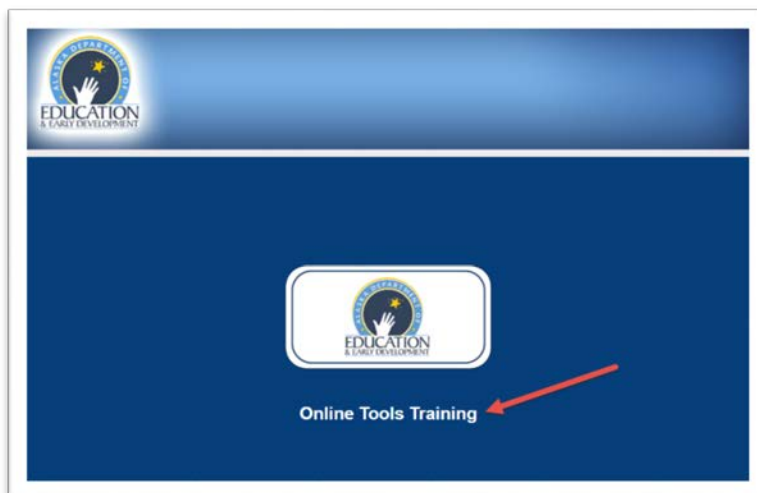
Students should be familiar with navigating the test environment prior to testing so they can focus on the content of the test and confidently demonstrate their knowledge of the Alaska standards.

OTT is accessible to students, educators, parents, and community. Parents are encouraged to use the OTT and see what kinds of questions their student will be answering. Test questions are not scored and answers are not saved.

1. Open the Google Chrome web browser. The OTT is only available using the Google Chrome. (Please visit <https://www.google.com/chrome/browser/> if you need to download Google Chrome.)
2. Go to ak.drcedirect.com.
3. The following screen will appear. Click on the link indicated in the screenshot below to access the OTT.



4. Select Online Tools Training.



Find out more information on the PEAKS assessment at: <https://education.alaska.gov/tls/assessments/peaks.html>