



Buckeye Valley Local Schools

District Assessments 2015-2016

### **Grades 3-12**

#### **Alternate Assessment**

Ohio's Alternate Assessment for Students with Significant Cognitive Disabilities (AASCD) is aligned to Ohio's Learning Standards–Extended (OLS-E) and designed to allow students with significant cognitive disabilities to demonstrate their knowledge and skills in an appropriately rigorous assessment. The AASCD will be administered by grade band (3-5, 6-8, HS). Students in grades 3 and 7 will be assessed in English language arts and mathematics. Students in grades 4 and 6 will be assessed in English language arts, mathematics and social studies. Students in grades 5 and 8 will be assessed in English language arts, mathematics and science. Students taking the HS-AASCD will be assessed in English language arts, mathematics, science and social studies. The administration window is February 22 through April 15.

#### **ELAP21**

The English Language Proficient Assessment for the 21st Century (ELPA-21) will become Ohio's statewide instrument to annually assess English language learners (ELLS) for the 2015-16 school year. It will replace the current Ohio Test of English Language Acquisition. The administration window is January 11 through March 4.