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Accessibility and Accommodations Wish Lists

These are sets of wish lists discussed by the Alt-ELPA21 Committee in February-March 2018. Further consideration will need to be applied to these lists, and adjustments might need to be made, depending on future decisions about the test constructs, assessment design, and item types. We recommend that the lists for universal features, designated features, and accommodations, when finalized, be placed into tables with three columns of information: name, description, and recommendations for use.

Administrative Considerations

Adaptive and Specialized Equipment or Furniture

Breaks

Extended time

Familiar examiner (includes familiar listener for Speaking domain)

Individual or Small Group Setting

Participate in different testing format (paper vs online)

Read Aloud to Self

Re-reading directions

Short Segments

Specific Seating

Testing at time beneficial to student

Verbal praise or tangible reinforcement for on task or appropriate behavior

Verbally redirect student's attention to the test (English or native language)

Universal Features

Embedded:

Amplification

Answer choice eliminator

Audio aids

Audio support

Color contrast

Color overlay

Digital notepad

Expandable passages

Flag for review

Highlighter

Keyboard navigation

Line guide

Low-vision aids/ magnification aids

Writing tools

Zoom (item-level)

Non-embedded:

Amplification

Audio aids

Audio support

Color overlay

Flag for review

Highlighters, colored pencils, or crayons

Low-vision aids, or magnification devices

Marking in test booklet

Scratch paper

Tracking tool

Designated Features

Embedded:

Answer masking

Assistive and Augmentative Communication settings/features

Assistive technology

General masking

Large print paper test booklet

Line reader

Non-school setting

Print on request

Speech-to-text

Turn off universal features

Unlimited replay

Zoom (test-level)

Non-embedded:

Answer masking

Assistive and Augmentative Communication devices

Assistive technology

General masking

Magnification device

Native language translation of directions

Noise buffer

Non-school setting

Paper-and-pencil test

Read aloud

Student reads test aloud

Tracking tool

Accommodations Embedded:

Unlimited rerecordings Unlimited replays

Non-embedded:

Braille Large print test booklet Scribe Unlimited rerecordings Unlimited replays

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