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To: All Elementary Chapter Chairs & Co-Chairs

From: Julie Washington, Elementary Vice President

RE: Assessments

Dear Chapter Chair,

I am reissuing this letter in an effort to clear up the questions and concerns about the quantity of periodic assessments required to be administered.

UTLA and LAUSD came to an agreement about the amount of Literacy and Mathematics periodic assessments that were required. The agreement is outlined in Memo #3275.1, which is included with this letter. It applies to all schools and all teachers in grades K-5/6.

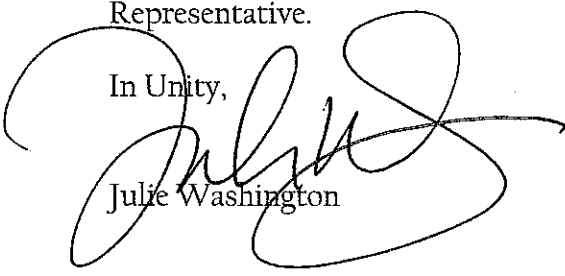
Assessment materials will continue to be available for all units and themes; however no teacher shall be required to administer any subtest

If a teacher decides to administer any or part of any of the "non-required" assessments, that data is for *the teacher's use only!* The data should not be collected or used by any administrator, coach, coordinator and/or grade level chair.

Memo #2554 is also included and serves to "remind elementary school principals and instructional coaches of the appropriate use of periodic assessments".

If you have additional concerns or questions, please contact me or your Area Representative.

In Unity,


Julie Washington

