

2020-21 SUMMATIVE ASSESSMENT FULL FORM AND ADJUSTED FORM BLUEPRINTS FOR ELA/LITERACY AND MATHEMATICS

For 2020-21, member states have the option to administer either the Smarter Balanced summative assessment full form blueprint or the Smarter Balanced summative assessment adjusted form blueprint for ELA/literacy and mathematics.

The [Smarter Balanced Summative Assessment for ELA/literacy blueprint](#) for the full form is available in the Smarter Content Explorer. Table 3 summarizes the number of items by claim for the full form.

Table 1. Smarter Balanced Summative Assessment for ELA Full Form Blueprint: Number of Items by Claim

Claim	Grades 3–5 CAT	Grades 3–5 PT	Grades 6–8 CAT	Grades 6–8 PT	Grade 11 CAT	Grade 11 PT
Total	36–39	4*	36–40	4*	37–39	4*
1. Reading	14–16	0	14–17	0	15–16	0
2. Writing	6	3	6	3	6	3
3. Listening	8–9	0	8–9	0	8–9	0
4. Research/Inquiry	8	1	8	1	8	1

* PT full write item is counted as 3 items

Table 2 summarizes the number of items by claim for the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessment for ELA adjusted form blueprint.

Table 2. Smarter Balanced Summative Assessment for ELA Adjusted Form Blueprint: Number of Items by Claim

Claim	Grades 3–5 CAT	Grades 3–5 PT	Grades 6–8 CAT	Grades 6–8 PT	Grade 11 CAT	Grade 11 PT
Total	20	4*	22	4*	22	4*
1. Reading	8	0	10	0	10	0
2. Writing	4	3	4	3	4	3
3. Listening	4	0	4	0	4	0
4. Research/Inquiry	4	1	4	1	4	1

*PT full write item is counted as 3 items

The [Smarter Balanced Summative Assessment for Mathematics blueprint](#) for the full form is available in the Smarter Content Explorer. Table 3 summarizes the number of items by claim for the full form.

Table 3. Smarter Balanced Summative Assessment for Mathematics Full Form Blueprint: Number of Items by Claim

Claim	Grades 3–5, 7, 8 CAT	Grades 3–5, 7, 8 PT	Grade 6 CAT	Grade 6 PT	Grade 11 CAT	Grade 11 PT
Total	31–34	4–6	30–34	4–6	33–36	4–6
1. Concepts and Procedures	17–20	0	16–20	0	19–22	0
2. Problem Solving	3	1–2	3	1–2	3	1–2
3. Communicating Reasoning	8	0–2	8	0–2	8	0–2
4. Modeling and Data Analysis	3	1–3	3	1–3	3	1–3

Table 4 summarizes the number of items by claim for the Smarter Balanced Summative Assessment for Mathematics adjusted form blueprint.

Table 4. Smarter Balanced Summative Assessment for Mathematics Adjusted Form Blueprint: Number of Items by Claim

Claim	Grades 3–5, 7, 8 CAT	Grades 3–5, 7, 8 PT	Grade 6 CAT	Grade 6 PT	Grade 11 CAT	Grade 11 PT
Total	17	4–6	16–17	4–6	18	4–6
1. Concepts and Procedures	10	0	9–10	0	11	0
2. Problem Solving	1	1–2	1	1–2	1	1–2
3. Communicating Reasoning	4	0–2	4	0–2	4	0–2
4. Modeling and Data Analysis	2	1–3	2	1–3	2	1–3