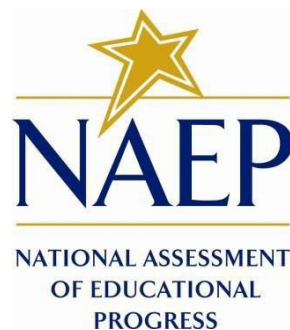


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*Appendix J2
2024 Teacher Questionnaires*

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Appendix J2 provides the teacher survey questionnaires that will be administered in 2024. Grades 4 and 8 Core, Math, and Reading questionnaires were previously approved in 2022 (OMB# 1850-0928 v.28), and any changes to the items from the 2022 administration are reflected in summary tables. Additionally, grade 8 Science was previously approved in 2019 (OMB# 1850-0928 v.15), and any changes to the items from the 2019 administration are reflected in summary tables.

Updates to the teacher survey questionnaires, including new COVID-19 SQs and a planned revision to the gender measure for teachers, will be available in this document in Amendment #2 by May 2023. Draft NIES questionnaires will be included in Amendment #2 and final questionnaires will be in Amendment #3 (July 2023). Note that all login screens and paper booklet covers contained in this document will be updated with the most current OMB clearance expiration date before administration.

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Sample Teacher Questionnaire Login Screens

A login screen for 'Test A'. It includes a 'User ID:' field with a person icon and the text 'Test A'. Below it is a 'Password:' field with a lock icon and an empty password input box. A link for 'Forgot Your Password?' is positioned below the password field. At the bottom, there is a prominent blue 'SIGN IN' button.

When you have finished or if you need to stop before finishing, please LOG OUT of the survey system by clicking "Exit" and CLOSE ALL browser windows or screens to keep your responses secure. For example, if you used Chrome or Safari to open the survey, make sure no Chrome or Safari windows or screens are open after you end the survey. Not closing all browsers may allow someone else to see your responses.

TEACHER QUESTIONNAIRE

GRADE 4

During the 2021–2022 school year, a sample of students across the country, including some of your fourth-grade students, will participate in the National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP). To investigate the relationship between students' achievement and various school, teacher, and home factors, NAEP is also collecting information from schools and teachers.

This questionnaire collects information about teachers' backgrounds and instructional practices as they relate to students selected for the assessment. Since you teach reading or mathematics to one or more students selected for the assessment, we are asking you to answer questions about these students' reading and mathematics classes.

Obviously, only you can provide this important information. So, although we realize that you are very busy, we urge you to complete this questionnaire as accurately as possible. While your participation is voluntary, your responses to these questions are critical to ensuring that this survey is accurate and complete.

All of the information provided by participants may be used only for statistical purposes and may not be disclosed, or used, in identifiable form for any other purpose except as required by law (20 U.S.C. §9573 and 6 U.S.C. §151).

THANK YOU FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION AND COOPERATION.

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Sample Teacher Questionnaire Booklet Covers



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2022
Grade 4

Teacher
Questionnaire

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Directions For School Staff

To complete this questionnaire:

- Use a number 2 pencil.
- Answer each question to the best of your ability.
- Return the questionnaire to your NAEP school coordinator by ___ / ___ .

For NAEP Staff Use Only

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Appendix J2-1: Operational Grade 4 (Core)

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1. What is your sex?

- Ⓐ Male
- Ⓑ Female

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2. Are you Hispanic or Latino? Select **all** squares that apply.

- Ⓐ No, I am not Hispanic or Latino.
- Ⓑ Yes, I am Mexican, Mexican American, or Chicano.
- Ⓒ Yes, I am Puerto Rican or Puerto Rican American.
- Ⓓ Yes, I am Cuban or Cuban American.
- Ⓔ Yes, I am from some other Hispanic or Latino background.

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3. Which of the following best describes you? Select **all** squares that apply.

- Ⓐ White
- Ⓑ Black or African American
- Ⓒ Asian
- Ⓓ American Indian or Alaska Native
- Ⓔ Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander

4. Excluding student teaching, how many years have you worked as an elementary or secondary teacher, counting this year?
- Ⓐ Less than 1 year
 - Ⓑ 1–2 years
 - Ⓒ 3–5 years
 - Ⓓ 6–10 years
 - Ⓔ 11–20 years
 - Ⓕ 21 or more years

5. Have you been awarded tenure by the school, district, or diocese where you currently teach?
- Ⓐ Yes
 - Ⓑ No
 - Ⓒ My school, district, or diocese does not award tenure.

6. Do you hold a regular or standard certificate that is valid in the state in which you are currently teaching?
- Ⓐ Yes, I hold a permanent certificate.
 - Ⓑ Yes, I hold a temporary certificate. (This type of certificate may require additional coursework, student teaching, etc.)
 - Ⓒ No, but I am currently working toward certification.
 - Ⓓ No, and I am not planning to obtain certification.

7. Did you enter teaching through an alternative route to certification program?

(An alternative route to certification program is a program that was designed to expedite the transition of non-teachers to a teaching career, for example, a state, district, or university alternative route to certification program.)

- A Yes
- B No

8. What is the highest academic degree you hold?

- A High school diploma
- B Associate's degree/vocational certification
- C Bachelor's degree
- D Master's degree
- E Education specialist's or professional diploma based on at least one year's work past master's degree
- F Doctorate
- G Professional degree (e.g., M.D., LL.B., J.D., D.D.S.)

9. Did you have a major, minor, or special emphasis in any of the following subjects as part of your **undergraduate** coursework? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Yes, a major | Yes, a minor or special emphasis | No | |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| a. Reading, language arts, or literacy education | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241758 |
| b. English | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241754 |
| c. Other language arts-related subject | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241784 |
| d. Mathematics education | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241760 |
| e. Mathematics | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241761 |
| f. Other mathematics-related subject such as statistics | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241776 |
| g. Education (including elementary or early childhood) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241762 |
| h. Special education (including students with disabilities) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241781 |
| i. English language learning | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241782 |

10. Since completing your undergraduate degree, have you taken any graduate courses?

- Yes
 No

11. Did you have a major, minor, or special emphasis in any of the following subjects as part of your **graduate** coursework? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Yes, a major | Yes, a minor or special emphasis | No | |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| a. Reading, language arts, or literacy education | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241791 |
| b. English | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241789 |
| c. Other language arts-related subject | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241810 |
| d. Mathematics education | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241792 |
| e. Mathematics | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241793 |
| f. Other mathematics-related subject such as statistics | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241794 |
| g. Education (including elementary or early childhood) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241795 |
| h. Special education (including students with disabilities) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241807 |
| i. English language learning | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241808 |

12. In this school year, did your school offer training for teachers on how to use computers or other digital devices?

- Yes, to all teachers
 Yes, to some teachers
 No

13. In this school year, have you participated in training on computers or other digital devices through your school?

- No
 Once
 Twice
 Several times

14. During the last **two years**, have you received training from any source in any of the following areas? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | No, I am already proficient. | No, I have not. | Yes | |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| a. Basic computer training | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241894 |
| b. Software applications | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241895 |
| c. Use of the Internet | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241898 |
| d. Use of other technology—for example, satellite access, wireless Web, interactive video, closed-circuit television, videoconferencing | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241897 |
| e. Integration of computers and other technology into classroom instruction | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241896 |

15. In this school year, which of the following types of computers or other digital devices are available in your school for student use? Select **all** squares that apply.

- Desktop computers
- Laptop computers (including Chromebooks)
- Tablets (for example, Surface Pro, iPad, Kindle Fire)

16. How well do the **desktop computers** in your school work?

- All computers are functional and operate quickly.
- All computers are functional, but some run more slowly than others.
- All computers are functional, but all or almost all run slowly.
- Some of the computers do not operate and cannot be used.
- I don't know.

17. How well do the **laptop computers** (including Chromebooks) in your school work?

- Ⓐ All computers are functional and operate quickly.
- Ⓑ All computers are functional, but some run more slowly than others.
- Ⓒ All computers are functional, but all or almost all run slowly.
- Ⓓ Some of the computers do not operate and cannot be used.
- Ⓔ I don't know.

18. How well do the **tablets** (for example, Surface Pro, iPad, Kindle Fire) in your school work?

- Ⓐ All tablets are functional and operate quickly.
- Ⓑ All tablets are functional, but some run more slowly than others.
- Ⓒ All tablets are functional, but all or almost all run slowly.
- Ⓓ Some of the tablets do not operate and cannot be used.
- Ⓔ I don't know.

19. How often do you do the following in this school? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Never | About once or twice a year | About once or twice a month | About once or twice a week | Every day or almost every day | |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|----------|
| a. Teach jointly as a team in the same class | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH304693 |
| b. Observe other teachers' classes and provide feedback | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH304698 |
| c. Engage in discussions about the learning development of specific students | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH304736 |
| d. Work with other teachers in my school to ensure common standards in evaluations for assessing student progress | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH304740 |

20. In your school, how severe is each problem? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Not a problem | Minor problem | Moderate problem | Serious problem | |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| a. The school building needs significant repair. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH262653 |
| b. Classrooms are overcrowded. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH262654 |
| c. Teachers have too many teaching hours. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH262655 |
| d. Teachers do not have adequate workspace (e.g., for preparation, collaboration, or meeting with students). | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH262656 |
| e. Teachers do not have adequate instructional materials and supplies. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH262657 |

21. How much does each of the following statements apply to you as a teacher? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Not at all like me | A little bit like me | Somewhat like me | Quite a bit like me | Exactly like me | |
|--------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| a. I am satisfied with being a teacher at this school. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH305016 |
| b. My work inspires me. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH305024 |
| c. I am frustrated as a teacher at my school. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH305032 |
| d. I am supported by the teachers at my school. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH305033 |

22. Whether a student does well or poorly in school may depend on a lot of different things. You may feel that some of these things are easier for your students to change than others. In school, how possible is it for your students to change each of the following? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Not at all possible to change | A little possible to change | Somewhat possible to change | Quite possible to change | Completely possible to change | |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|----------|
| a. Being intelligent | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH329967 |
| b. Putting forth a lot of effort | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH329968 |
| c. Behaving well in class | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH329970 |

Appendix J2-2: Summary of Changes Operational Grade 8 (Core)

| 2024 Operational Grade 8 Core Teacher | | | |
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| Previous Item | 2024 Item | D/A/ R/NC + | Rationale |
| <p style="font-size: small; margin: 0;">7. Excluding student teaching, how many years have you taught civics, geography, history, or social studies in grades 6 through 12, counting this year?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Less than 1 year <input type="radio"/> 1-2 years <input type="radio"/> 3-5 years <input type="radio"/> 6-10 years <input type="radio"/> 11-20 years <input type="radio"/> 21 or more years <p style="margin-top: 20px;">(2022 Grade 8)</p> | <p style="font-size: small; margin: 0;">7. Excluding student teaching, how many years have you taught science in grades 6 through 12, counting this year?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="radio"/> Less than 1 year <input type="radio"/> 1-2 years <input type="radio"/> 3-5 years <input type="radio"/> 6-10 years <input type="radio"/> 11-20 years <input type="radio"/> 21 or more years | R | <p>The 2022 version of the Item, which references Social Studies, was replaced with the Item that references Science. Social Studies is not in the 2024 NAEP Assessment. Science is being administered at Grade 8.</p> |

Appendix J2-3: Operational Grade 8 (Core)

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1. What is your sex?

- Male
- Female

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2. Are you Hispanic or Latino? Select **all** squares that apply.

- No, I am not Hispanic or Latino.
- Yes, I am Mexican, Mexican American, or Chicano.
- Yes, I am Puerto Rican or Puerto Rican American.
- Yes, I am Cuban or Cuban American.
- Yes, I am from some other Hispanic or Latino background.

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3. Which of the following best describes you? Select **all** squares that apply.

- White
- Black or African American
- Asian
- American Indian or Alaska Native
- Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander

4. Excluding student teaching, how many years have you worked as an elementary or secondary teacher, counting this year?
- Ⓐ Less than 1 year
 - Ⓑ 1–2 years
 - Ⓒ 3–5 years
 - Ⓓ 6–10 years
 - Ⓔ 11–20 years
 - Ⓕ 21 or more years

5. Excluding student teaching, how many years have you taught reading, writing, or language arts in grades 6 through 12, counting this year?
- Ⓐ Less than 1 year
 - Ⓑ 1–2 years
 - Ⓒ 3–5 years
 - Ⓓ 6–10 years
 - Ⓔ 11–20 years
 - Ⓕ 21 or more years

6. Excluding student teaching, how many years have you taught mathematics in grades 6 through 12, counting this year?
- Ⓐ Less than 1 year
 - Ⓑ 1–2 years
 - Ⓒ 3–5 years
 - Ⓓ 6–10 years
 - Ⓔ 11–20 years
 - Ⓕ 21 or more years

7. Excluding student teaching, how many years have you taught science in grades 6 through 12, counting this year?
- Ⓐ Less than 1 year
 - Ⓑ 1–2 years
 - Ⓒ 3–5 years
 - Ⓓ 6–10 years
 - Ⓔ 11–20 years
 - Ⓕ 21 or more years

8. Have you been awarded tenure by the school, district, or diocese where you currently teach?
- Ⓐ Yes
 - Ⓑ No
 - Ⓒ My school, district, or diocese does not award tenure.

9. Do you hold a regular or standard certificate that is valid in the state in which you are currently teaching?
- Ⓐ Yes, I hold a permanent certificate.
 - Ⓑ Yes, I hold a temporary certificate. (This type of certificate may require additional coursework, student teaching, etc.)
 - Ⓒ No, but I am currently working toward certification.
 - Ⓓ No, and I am not planning to obtain certification.

10. Did you enter teaching through an alternative route to certification program?

(An alternative route to certification program is a program that was designed to expedite the transition of non-teachers to a teaching career, for example, a state, district, or university alternative route to certification program.)

- A Yes
- B No

11. What is the highest academic degree you hold?

- A High school diploma
- B Associate's degree/vocational certification
- C Bachelor's degree
- D Master's degree
- E Education specialist's or professional diploma based on at least one year's work past master's degree
- F Doctorate
- G Professional degree (e.g., M.D., LL.B., J.D., D.D.S.)

12. Did you have a major, minor, or special emphasis in any of the following subjects as part of your **undergraduate** coursework? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Yes, a major | Yes, a minor or special emphasis | No | |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| a. Reading, language arts, or literacy education | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241758 |
| b. English | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241754 |
| c. Other language arts-related subject | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241784 |
| d. Mathematics education | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241760 |
| e. Mathematics | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241761 |
| f. Other mathematics-related subject such as statistics | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241776 |
| g. Biology or other life science | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241768 |
| h. Physics, chemistry, or other physical science | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241769 |
| i. Earth or space science | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241770 |
| j. Mathematics or mathematics education | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241771 |
| k. Science education | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241772 |
| l. Engineering or engineering education | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241780 |
| m. Elementary or secondary education | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241767 |
| n. Special education (including students with disabilities) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241781 |
| o. English language learning | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241782 |

13. Since completing your undergraduate degree, have you taken any graduate courses?

- Yes
 No

14. Did you have a major, minor, or special emphasis in any of the following subjects as part of your **graduate** coursework? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Yes, a major | Yes, a minor or special emphasis | No | |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| a. Reading, language arts, or literacy education | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241791 |
| b. English | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241789 |
| c. Other language arts-related subject | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241810 |
| d. Mathematics education | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241792 |
| e. Mathematics | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241793 |
| f. Other mathematics-related subject such as statistics | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241794 |
| g. Biology or other life science | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241798 |
| h. Physics, chemistry, or other physical science | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241799 |
| i. Earth or space science | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241800 |
| j. Mathematics or mathematics education | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241801 |
| k. Science education | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241802 |
| l. Engineering or engineering education | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241806 |
| m. Elementary or secondary education | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241797 |
| n. Special education (including students with disabilities) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241807 |
| o. English language learning | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241808 |

15. In this school year, did your school offer training for teachers on how to use computers or other digital devices?

- Yes, to all teachers
 Yes, to some teachers
 No

16. In this school year, have you participated in training on computers or other digital devices through your school?

- No
- Once
- Twice
- Several times

17. During the last **two years**, have you received training from any source in any of the following areas? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | No, I am already proficient. | No, I have not. | Yes | |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| a. Basic computer training | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241894 |
| b. Software applications | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241895 |
| c. Use of the Internet | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241898 |
| d. Use of other technology—for example, satellite access, wireless Web, interactive video, closed-circuit television, videoconferencing | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241897 |
| e. Integration of computers and other technology into classroom instruction | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241896 |

18. In this school year, which of the following types of computers or other digital devices are available in your school for student use? Select **all** squares that apply.

- Desktop computers
- Laptop computers (including Chromebooks)
- Tablets (for example, Surface Pro, iPad, Kindle Fire)

19. How well do the **desktop computers** in your school work?

- Ⓐ All computers are functional and operate quickly.
- Ⓑ All computers are functional, but some run more slowly than others.
- Ⓒ All computers are functional, but all or almost all run slowly.
- Ⓓ Some of the computers do not operate and cannot be used.
- Ⓔ I don't know.

20. How well do the **laptop computers** (including Chromebooks) in your school work?

- Ⓐ All computers are functional and operate quickly.
- Ⓑ All computers are functional, but some run more slowly than others.
- Ⓒ All computers are functional, but all or almost all run slowly.
- Ⓓ Some of the computers do not operate and cannot be used.
- Ⓔ I don't know.

21. How well do the **tablets** (for example, Surface Pro, iPad, Kindle Fire) in your school work?

- Ⓐ All tablets are functional and operate quickly.
- Ⓑ All tablets are functional, but some run more slowly than others.
- Ⓒ All tablets are functional, but all or almost all run slowly.
- Ⓓ Some of the tablets do not operate and cannot be used.
- Ⓔ I don't know.

22. How often do you do the following in this school? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Never | About once or twice a year | About once or twice a month | About once or twice a week | Every day or almost every day | |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|----------|
| a. Teach jointly as a team in the same class | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH304693 |
| b. Observe other teachers' classes and provide feedback | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH304698 |
| c. Engage in discussions about the learning development of specific students | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH304736 |
| d. Work with other teachers in my school to ensure common standards in evaluations for assessing student progress | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH304740 |

23. In your school, how severe is each problem? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Not a problem | Minor problem | Moderate problem | Serious problem | |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| a. The school building needs significant repair. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH262653 |
| b. Classrooms are overcrowded. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH262654 |
| c. Teachers have too many teaching hours. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH262655 |
| d. Teachers do not have adequate workspace (e.g., for preparation, collaboration, or meeting with students). | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH262656 |
| e. Teachers do not have adequate instructional materials and supplies. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH262657 |

24. How much does each of the following statements apply to you as a teacher? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Not at all like me | A little bit like me | Somewhat like me | Quite a bit like me | Exactly like me | |
|--------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| a. I am satisfied with being a teacher at this school. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH305016 |
| b. My work inspires me. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH305024 |
| c. I am frustrated as a teacher at my school. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH305032 |
| d. I am supported by the teachers at my school. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH305033 |

25. Whether a student does well or poorly in school may depend on a lot of different things. You may feel that some of these things are easier for your students to change than others. In school, how possible is it for your students to change each of the following? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Not at all possible to change | A little possible to change | Somewhat possible to change | Quite possible to change | Completely possible to change | |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|----------|
| a. Being intelligent | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH329967 |
| b. Putting forth a lot of effort | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH329968 |
| c. Behaving well in class | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH329970 |

Appendix J2-4: Operational Grade 4 (Mathematics)

VH240054

1. Which best describes your role in teaching mathematics to this class?

- Ⓐ I do not teach mathematics to this class.
- Ⓑ I teach all or most subjects, including mathematics.
- Ⓒ The only subject I teach is mathematics.
- Ⓓ We team teach, and I have primary responsibility for teaching mathematics.

VH261160

2. How many students are in this class? Enter the number of students.

VH845752

3. In a typical week, about how much time in total do you spend with this class on mathematics instruction? Enter the hours and minutes and include in-class time only.

_____ hours and _____ minutes per week

VH240058

4. Approximately how much mathematics homework do you assign to students in this class each day?

- Ⓐ None
- Ⓑ 15 minutes
- Ⓒ 30 minutes
- Ⓓ 45 minutes
- Ⓔ One hour
- Ⓕ More than one hour

5. To what extent are students permitted to use calculators during mathematics lessons?
- Ⓐ Unrestricted use
 - Ⓑ Restricted use
 - Ⓒ Calculators are not permitted.

6. What kind of calculator do your students usually use during mathematics lessons?
- Ⓐ None
 - Ⓑ Basic four-function (addition, subtraction, multiplication, division)
 - Ⓒ Scientific (not graphing)
 - Ⓓ Graphing

7. When you give students a mathematics test or quiz, how often do they use a calculator?
- Ⓐ Never
 - Ⓑ Sometimes
 - Ⓒ Always

8. In your mathematics class this year, how often do your students use a computer or other digital device (excluding handheld calculators) to do each of the following? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Never | About once or twice a year | About once or twice a month | About once or twice a week | Every day or almost every day | |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|----------|
| a. Practice or review mathematics topics | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH269922 |
| b. Extend mathematics learning with enrichment activities | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH269923 |
| c. Research mathematics topics on the Internet | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH269924 |

9. In your mathematics class this year, do you use any of the following instructional materials? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Yes | No, I do not prefer to use this resource. | No, this resource is not available to me. | |
|--------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|----------|
| a. Textbooks provided by your district or school | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH845833 |
| b. Other materials provided by your district or school | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH845834 |
| c. Materials you have created | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH845842 |
| d. Printed workbooks | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH845840 |
| e. Physical and/or digital manipulatives | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH845837 |
| f. Digital games | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH845841 |
| g. Interactive whiteboard | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH845844 |

10. Thinking about your fourth-grade mathematics classes this year, how much emphasis did you place on teaching your students each of the following? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | No emphasis | Very little emphasis | Some emphasis | Quite a bit of emphasis | A lot of emphasis | |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|------------|
| a. Use alternate methods to solve problems when the first method does not work | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH2.702.74 |
| b. Explain one's thinking and make connections between models and equations | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH2.702.75 |
| c. Make assumptions | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH6.17226 |
| d. Make approximations | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH6.17227 |
| e. Represent a problem situation with numbers, words, pictures, or charts | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH2.702.77 |
| f. Understand tools for problem solving and limitations of use | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH2.702.78 |
| g. Use clear and precise language to discuss problem solving and reasoning | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH8.47655 |

11. Think about your plans for this mathematics class for the entire year. How much emphasis did you or will you give each of the following? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Little or no emphasis | Moderate emphasis | Heavy emphasis | |
|-----------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|----------|
| a. Numbers and operations | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | VH240851 |
| b. Measurement | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | VH240852 |
| c. Geometry | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | VH240853 |
| d. Data analysis, statistics, and probability | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | VH240856 |
| e. Algebra and functions | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | VH240854 |

12. When you teach mathematics to your fourth-grade class, do you do any of the following? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Not at all | Small extent | Moderate extent | Large extent | |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| a. Set different achievement standards for some students | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH240874 |
| b. Supplement the regular course curriculum with additional material for some students | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH240875 |
| c. Have some students engage in different classroom activities | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH240878 |
| d. Use a different set of methods in teaching some students | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH240877 |
| e. Pace my teaching differently for some students | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH240876 |

13. In your mathematics class this year, how often do you do each of the following with individual students to assess their progress in mathematics? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Never | About once or twice a year | About once or twice a month | About once or twice a week | Every day or almost every day | |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|----------|
| a. Discuss each student's current level of performance with them | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH845878 |
| b. Set goals for specific progress the student would like to make | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH269928 |
| c. Discuss progress the student has made toward goals previously set | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH269930 |
| d. Determine how to adjust your teaching strategies to meet the student's current learning needs | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH269931 |

14. Suppose your students did very well on their last mathematics test. How likely do you think each of the following explanations is in this situation? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Not at all likely | Not likely | Somewhat likely | Quite likely | Extremely likely | |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| a. My students did well because they studied and were prepared. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH270306 |
| b. My students did well because they put in a lot of effort. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH270307 |
| c. My students did well because they always do well on tests. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH270308 |
| d. My students did well because I taught the concepts well. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH270309 |
| e. My students did well because they guessed well on the test. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH270311 |
| f. My students did well because they are just good at math. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH270313 |

15. In your mathematics classes this year, how often did you encourage your students to participate in mathematics activities **outside of school**?

- Never
 About once or twice a year
 About once or twice a month
 About once or twice a week
 Every day or almost every day

16. In this school year, how many times did you provide **direct opportunities** for your students to participate in mathematics activities **outside of school**?
- Ⓐ Never
 - Ⓑ Once
 - Ⓒ Two or three times
 - Ⓓ Four or five times
 - Ⓔ More than five times

Appendix J2-5: Operational Grade 8 (Mathematics)

VH240054

1. Which best describes your role in teaching mathematics to this class?

- I do not teach mathematics to this class.
- I teach all or most subjects, including mathematics.
- The only subject I teach is mathematics.
- We team teach, and I have primary responsibility for teaching mathematics.

VH261160

2. How many students are in this class? Enter the number of students.

VH845752

3. In a typical week, about how much time in total do you spend with this class on mathematics instruction? Enter the hours and minutes and include in-class time only.

_____ hours and _____ minutes per week

VH240058

4. Approximately how much mathematics homework do you assign to students in this class each day?

- None
- 15 minutes
- 30 minutes
- 45 minutes
- One hour
- More than one hour

5. To what extent are students permitted to use calculators during mathematics lessons?
- Ⓐ Unrestricted use
 - Ⓑ Restricted use
 - Ⓒ Calculators are not permitted.

6. What kind of calculator do your students usually use during mathematics lessons?
- Ⓐ None
 - Ⓑ Basic four-function (addition, subtraction, multiplication, division)
 - Ⓒ Scientific (not graphing)
 - Ⓓ Graphing

7. When you give students a mathematics test or quiz, how often do they use a calculator?
- Ⓐ Never
 - Ⓑ Sometimes
 - Ⓒ Always

8. In your mathematics class this year, how often do your students use a computer or other digital device (excluding handheld calculators) to do each of the following? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Never | About once or twice a year | About once or twice a month | About once or twice a week | Every day or almost every day | |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|----------|
| a. Practice or review mathematics topics | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH269922 |
| b. Extend mathematics learning with enrichment activities | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH269923 |
| c. Research mathematics topics on the Internet | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH269924 |

9. In your mathematics class this year, do you use any of the following instructional materials? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Yes | No, I do not prefer to use this resource. | No, this resource is not available to me. | |
|--------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|----------|
| a. Textbooks provided by your district or school | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH845833 |
| b. Other materials provided by your district or school | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH845834 |
| c. Materials you have created | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH845842 |
| d. Printed workbooks | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH845840 |
| e. Physical and/or digital manipulatives | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH845837 |
| f. Digital games | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH845841 |
| g. Interactive whiteboard | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH845844 |

10. Thinking about your eighth-grade mathematics classes this year, how much emphasis did you place on teaching your students each of the following? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | No emphasis | Very little emphasis | Some emphasis | Quite a bit of emphasis | A lot of emphasis | |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| a. Use clear and precise language to discuss problem solving and reasoning | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH562965 |
| b. Make assumptions | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH617994 |
| c. Make approximations | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH617995 |
| d. Represent a problem in multiple ways including using numbers, words, pictures, and charts | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH562967 |
| e. Use models to examine real-life and mathematical examples | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH549099 |
| f. Create equations | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH562985 |
| g. Examine patterns in tables and graphs to describe relationships | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH562991 |
| h. Evaluate a problem-solving process | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH562983 |
| i. Evaluate the conclusions of other students | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH549107 |
| j. Relate what your students know to the real world and make sense of it mathematically | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH562988 |

11. Thinking about your eighth-grade mathematics classes this year, how much emphasis did you place on teaching your students each of the following? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | No emphasis | Very little emphasis | Some emphasis | Quite a bit of emphasis | A lot of emphasis | |
|----------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| a. Use definitions and notation precisely | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VHS47462 |
| b. Identify and correct flawed mathematical reasoning | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VHS47464 |
| c. Construct arguments using tables, graphs, or diagrams | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VHS47468 |
| d. Make, test, and validate conjectures | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VHS47466 |
| e. Engage in deductive reasoning and informal proofs | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VHS47465 |

12. Think about your plans for this mathematics class for the entire year. How much emphasis did you or will you give each of the following? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Little or no emphasis | Moderate emphasis | Heavy emphasis | |
|-----------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|----------|
| a. Numbers and operations | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | VH240851 |
| b. Measurement | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | VH240852 |
| c. Geometry | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | VH240853 |
| d. Data analysis, statistics, and probability | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | VH240856 |
| e. Algebra and functions | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | VH240854 |

13. When you teach mathematics to your eighth-grade class, do you do any of the following? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Not at all | Small extent | Moderate extent | Large extent | |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| a. Set different achievement standards for some students | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH240900 |
| b. Supplement the regular course curriculum with additional material for some students | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH240901 |
| c. Have some students engage in different classroom activities | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH240904 |
| d. Use a different set of methods in teaching some students | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH240903 |
| e. Pace my teaching differently for some students | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH240902 |

14. In your mathematics class this year, how often do you do each of the following with individual students to assess their progress in mathematics? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Never | About once or twice a year | About once or twice a month | About once or twice a week | Every day or almost every day | |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------|
| a. Discuss each student's current level of performance with them | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH1845878 |
| b. Set goals for specific progress the student would like to make | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH1269928 |
| c. Discuss progress the student has made toward goals previously set | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH1269930 |
| d. Determine how to adjust your teaching strategies to meet the student's current learning needs | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH1269931 |

15. Suppose your students did very well on their last mathematics test. How likely do you think each of the following explanations is in this situation? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Not at all likely | Not likely | Somewhat likely | Quite likely | Extremely likely | |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| a. My students did well because they studied and were prepared. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH270306 |
| b. My students did well because they put in a lot of effort. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH270307 |
| c. My students did well because they always do well on tests. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH270308 |
| d. My students did well because I taught the concepts well. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH270309 |
| e. My students did well because they guessed well on the test. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH270311 |
| f. My students did well because they are just good at math. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH270313 |

16. In your mathematics classes this year, how often did you encourage your students to participate in mathematics activities **outside of school**?

- Never
 About once or twice a year
 About once or twice a month
 About once or twice a week
 Every day or almost every day

17. In this school year, how many times did you provide **direct opportunities** for your students to participate in mathematics activities **outside of school**?

- Ⓐ Never
- Ⓑ Once
- Ⓒ Two or three times
- Ⓓ Four or five times
- Ⓔ More than five times

18. In your mathematics class this year, how often do you use each of the following strategies when teaching? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Never or hardly ever | Once in a while | Sometimes | Often | Always or almost always | |
|---------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|----------|
| a. I teach mathematics as a whole-class activity. | <input type="radio"/> Ⓐ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓑ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓒ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓓ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓔ | VH617289 |
| b. I create student groups with the same achievement level. | <input type="radio"/> Ⓐ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓑ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓒ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓓ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓔ | VH617290 |
| c. I create student groups with different achievement levels. | <input type="radio"/> Ⓐ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓑ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓒ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓓ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓔ | VHR87867 |
| d. I create groups by random assignment. | <input type="radio"/> Ⓐ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓑ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓒ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓓ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓔ | VH617291 |
| e. I allow students to choose their own groups. | <input type="radio"/> Ⓐ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓑ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓒ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓓ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓔ | VHR52844 |

Appendix J2-6: Operational Grade 4 (Reading)

VI240015

1. Which best describes your role in teaching English/language arts to this class? Language arts refers to reading, writing, literature, and related topics. Select **one** circle.

- I do not teach English/language arts to this class.
- I teach all or most subjects, including English/language arts.
- The only subject I teach is English/language arts.
- We team teach, and I have primary responsibility for teaching English/language arts.

VI261160

2. How many students are in this class? Enter the number of students.

VI334214

3. In a typical week, about how much time in total do you spend with this class on English/language arts instruction? Language arts refers to reading, writing, literature, and related topics. Enter the hours and minutes.

_____ hours and _____ minutes per week

4. To what extent have you provided instruction in the following in English/language arts class so far this year? Select **one** circle in each row.

VH240522

| | Not at all | Small extent | Moderate extent | Large extent | |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| a. Fiction | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH240523 |
| b. Exposition | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH240526 |
| c. Argumentation and persuasion | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH240527 |

5. When reading a story, article, or other passage with your students, how often do you ask your students to do the following? Select **one** circle in each row.

VH334294

| | Never or hardly ever | Once in a while | Sometimes | Often | Always or almost always | |
|-------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|----------|
| a. Summarize the passage | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH334295 |
| b. Interpret the meaning of the passage | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH334296 |
| c. Question the motives or feelings of the characters | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH334299 |
| d. Identify the themes of the passage | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH335901 |
| e. Analyze two or more texts on the same topic | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH334297 |

6. This school year, to what extent have you emphasized the following cognitive processes when teaching informational and literary texts in class? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | No emphasis | Very little emphasis | Some emphasis | Quite a bit of emphasis | A lot of emphasis | |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| a. Locate and recall (e.g., identify main ideas or focus on specific elements of a story) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH261256 |
| b. Integrate and interpret (e.g., make comparisons, explain character motivation, or examine relations of ideas across the text) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH261257 |
| c. Critique and evaluate (e.g., evaluate text critically from many perspectives or evaluate overall text quality) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH261258 |

7. When you teach English/language arts, how often do you use the following strategies? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Never or hardly ever | Once in a while | Sometimes | Often | Always or almost always | |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|----------|
| a. I teach reading as a whole-class activity. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH334361 |
| b. I create student groups with the same achievement level. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH334362 |
| c. I create student groups with different achievement levels. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH548665 |
| d. I create groups by random assignment. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH334363 |
| e. I allow students to choose their own groups. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH334368 |
| f. I use differentiated instruction for reading (i.e., instruction tailored to student ability and learning style). | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH562894 |
| g. I ask students to work independently on an assignment or task. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH548666 |
| h. I ask students to work independently on a task they choose themselves. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH548667 |
| i. Other strategies (Please specify): _____ | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH562900 |

8. When you teach English/language arts to your students, how do you use each of the following resources? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Not used | Supplement | Basis for instruction | |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| a. Hardback textbooks, workbooks, or worksheets | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH334485 |
| b. Electronic textbooks | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH334486 |
| c. A variety of children's books (e.g., novels, collections of stories, nonfiction) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH262701 |
| d. Materials from different curricular areas | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH334498 |
| e. Children's newspapers and/or magazines | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH262704 |
| f. Reading-related websites or apps | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH334495 |
| g. Reading-related educational games | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH334491 |

9. In your fourth-grade English/language arts class this year, how often do your students do each of the following? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Never | About once or twice a year | About once or twice a month | About once or twice a week | Every day or almost every day | |
|------------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|----------|
| a. Build and practice vocabulary | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VI844696 |
| b. Build reading fluency | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VI844700 |
| c. Build reading comprehension | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VI844698 |
| d. Practice spelling and grammar | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VI844697 |
| e. Access reading-related websites | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VI844701 |
| f. Conduct research for reading projects | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VI844699 |

10. Suppose your students did very well on their last English/language arts test. How likely do you think each of the following explanations is in this situation? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Not at all likely | Not likely | Somewhat likely | Quite likely | Extremely likely | |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| a. My students did well because they studied and were prepared. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH262948 |
| b. My students did well because they put in a lot of effort. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH262949 |
| c. My students did well because they always do well on tests. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH262950 |
| d. My students did well because I taught the concepts well. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH262951 |
| e. My students did well because they guessed well on the test. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH337286 |
| f. My students did well because they are just good at reading. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH337287 |

11. In your view, to what extent do the following limit how you teach this class? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Not applicable | Not at all | Some | A lot | |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| a. Students lacking prerequisite knowledge or skills | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH262636 |
| b. Students with special needs (e.g., physical disabilities, mental or emotional/psychological impairment) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH262637 |
| c. Disruptive students | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH262638 |
| d. Uninterested students | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH262639 |

Appendix J2-7: Operational Grade 8 (Reading)

VH240015

1. Which best describes your role in teaching English/language arts to this class? Language arts refers to reading, writing, literature, and related topics. Select **one** circle.
- Ⓐ I do not teach English/language arts to this class.
 - Ⓑ I teach all or most subjects, including English/language arts.
 - Ⓒ The only subject I teach is English/language arts.
 - Ⓓ We team teach, and I have primary responsibility for teaching English/language arts.

VH261160

2. How many students are in this class? Enter the number of students.

VH334255

3. In a typical week, about how much time in total do you spend with one of your eighth-grade English/language arts classes? Enter the hours and minutes.

_____ hours and _____ minutes per week

VH334381

4. Which best describes how English/language arts instruction is organized for eighth-grade students at this school? Select **one** circle.
- Ⓐ English/language arts is taught primarily as a discrete subject with little or no integration with instruction in other subjects.
 - Ⓑ Some English/language arts instruction is integrated with other subjects, and some English/language arts instruction is presented as a discrete subject.
 - Ⓒ English/language arts lessons are primarily integrated with instruction in other subjects.

5. To what extent have you provided instruction in the following in English/language arts class so far this year? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Not at all | Small extent | Moderate extent | Large extent | |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| a. Fiction | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH240523 |
| b. Exposition | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH240526 |
| c. Argumentation and persuasion | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH240527 |

6. When reading a story, article, or other passage with your students, how often do you ask your students to do the following? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Never or hardly ever | Once in a while | Sometimes | Often | Always or almost always | |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|----------|
| a. Summarize the passage | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH334295 |
| b. Interpret the meaning of the passage | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH334296 |
| c. Question the motives or feelings of the characters | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH334299 |
| d. Identify the themes of the passage | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH335901 |
| e. Analyze two or more texts on the same topic | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH334297 |
| f. Analyze the author's organization of information in a passage | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH334302 |
| g. Critique the author's craft or technique | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH334305 |

7. This school year, to what extent have you emphasized the following cognitive processes when teaching informational and literary texts in class? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | No emphasis | Very little emphasis | Some emphasis | Quite a bit of emphasis | A lot of emphasis | |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| a. Locate and recall (e.g., identify main ideas or focus on specific elements of a story) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH261256 |
| b. Integrate and interpret (e.g., make comparisons, explain character motivation, or examine relations of ideas across the text) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH261257 |
| c. Critique and evaluate (e.g., evaluate text critically from many perspectives or evaluate overall text quality) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH261258 |

8. When you teach English/language arts, how often do you use the following strategies? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Never or hardly ever | Once in a while | Sometimes | Often | Always or almost always | |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------|----------|
| a. I teach reading as a whole-class activity. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH334361 |
| b. I create student groups with the same achievement level. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH334362 |
| c. I create student groups with different achievement levels. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH548665 |
| d. I create groups by random assignment. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH334363 |
| e. I allow students to choose their own groups. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH334368 |
| f. I use differentiated instruction for reading (i.e., instruction tailored to student ability and learning style). | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH562894 |
| g. I ask students to work independently on an assignment or task. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH548666 |
| h. I ask students to work independently on a task they choose themselves. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH548667 |
| i. Other strategies (Please specify): _____ | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH562900 |

9. When you teach English/language arts to your students, how do you use each of the following resources? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Not used | Supplement | Basis for instruction | |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| a. Hardback textbooks, workbooks, or worksheets | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH334485 |
| b. Electronic textbooks | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH334486 |
| c. A variety of books (e.g., novels, collections of stories, nonfiction) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH262702 |
| d. Materials from different curricular areas | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH334498 |
| e. Newspapers and/or magazines | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH262705 |
| f. Reading-related websites or apps | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH334495 |
| g. Reading-related educational games | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH334491 |

10. In your eighth-grade English/language arts class this year, how often do your students do each of the following? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Never | About once or twice a year | About once or twice a month | About once or twice a week | Every day or almost every day | |
|------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------|
| a. Build and practice vocabulary | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | V1547868 |
| b. Build reading fluency | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | V19617114 |
| c. Build reading comprehension | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | V19617116 |
| d. Access reading-related websites | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | V1547871 |
| e. Conduct research for projects | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | V1547872 |

11. Suppose your students did very well on their last English/language arts test. How likely do you think each of the following explanations is in this situation? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Not at all likely | Not likely | Somewhat likely | Quite likely | Extremely likely | |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| a. My students did well because they studied and were prepared. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH262948 |
| b. My students did well because they put in a lot of effort. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH262949 |
| c. My students did well because they always do well on tests. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH262950 |
| d. My students did well because I taught the concepts well. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH262951 |
| e. My students did well because they guessed well on the test. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH337286 |
| f. My students did well because they are just good at reading. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH337287 |

12. In your view, to what extent do the following limit how you teach this class? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Not applicable | Not at all | Some | A lot | |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| a. Students lacking prerequisite knowledge or skills | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH262636 |
| b. Students with special needs (e.g., physical disabilities, mental or emotional/psychological impairment) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH262637 |
| c. Disruptive students | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH262638 |
| d. Uninterested students | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH262639 |

Appendix J2-8: Operational Grade 8 (Science)

VH240113

1. Which best describes your role in teaching science to this class?

- Ⓐ I do not teach science to this class.
- Ⓑ I teach all or most subjects, including science.
- Ⓒ The only subject I teach is science.
- Ⓓ We team teach, and I have primary responsibility for teaching science.

VH261140

2. How many students are in this class? Enter the number of students.

VH859314

3. In a typical week, how much time do you spend teaching science to the students in this class? Enter the hours and minutes and include in-class time only.

_____ hours and _____ minutes per week

VH639433

4. In this class, about how much time do you spend on each of the following areas of science? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | No time | Very little time | Some time | Quite a bit of time | A lot of time | |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|----------|
| a. Life science | <input type="radio"/> Ⓐ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓑ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓒ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓓ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓔ | VH639434 |
| b. Earth and space science | <input type="radio"/> Ⓐ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓑ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓒ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓓ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓔ | VH639436 |
| c. Physical science | <input type="radio"/> Ⓐ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓑ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓒ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓓ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓔ | VH639435 |
| d. Engineering and technology | <input type="radio"/> Ⓐ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓑ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓒ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓓ | <input type="radio"/> Ⓔ | VH639437 |

5. About how often do your science students do each of the following activities? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Never | About once or twice a year | About once or twice a month | About once or twice a week | Every day or almost every day | |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|----------|
| a. Work with other students on a science activity or project | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH639589 |
| b. Write about science (e.g., papers, reports, or student science journals) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH639600 |
| c. Watch you do a science activity | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH639856 |
| d. Talk about the measurements and results from their hands-on activities | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH639594 |
| e. Discuss the kinds of problems that engineers can solve (e.g., how to build a bridge or how to collect energy from the Sun) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH639597 |
| f. Figure out different ways to solve a science problem | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH639846 |
| g. Present what they have learned about science | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH639593 |

6. Thinking about your science class this year, how much emphasis did you place on teaching your students each of the following skills? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | No emphasis | Very little emphasis | Some emphasis | Quite a bit of emphasis | A lot of emphasis | |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| a. Developing good research questions | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH640901 |
| b. Using drawings or models to explain events or phenomena | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH640902 |
| c. Coming up with experiments or other tests to answer a scientific question | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH640903 |
| d. Organizing data into a chart, graph, or spreadsheet to test a solution | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH640906 |
| e. Deciding when to use quantitative versus qualitative data | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH640907 |
| f. Generating explanations based on observations and measurements | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH640908 |
| g. Evaluating the quality of data | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH640909 |
| h. Teaching science ideas to others (e.g., students or teachers) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH640911 |

7. To what extent are the following resources available to you in your school system (including your school and school district)? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Not at all | Small extent | Moderate extent | Large extent | |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| a. Science textbooks (print or online) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH639521 |
| b. Science magazines and books (print or online) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH639522 |
| c. Supplies or equipment for science labs or demonstrations | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH639523 |
| d. Space to conduct science labs | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH639525 |
| e. Computers for teachers' use | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH639528 |
| f. Science kits | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH639531 |
| g. Scientific measurement instruments (e.g., microscopes, thermometers, beakers, or weighing scales) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH639526 |

8. To what extent do you use each of the following technological resources **for science instruction**? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Not at all | Small extent | Moderate extent | Large extent | |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| a. Desktop or laptop computer(s) (including Chromebooks) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH641307 |
| b. Tablet(s) (e.g., Surface Pro, iPad, Kindle Fire) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH641308 |
| c. Online content (e.g., online software, podcasts, or videos) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH641309 |
| d. Interactive web spaces or virtual classrooms (e.g., websites where students can interact and share class materials) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH641310 |
| e. Interactive panel (e.g., SMART Board, Promethean ActivPanel) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH859326 |

9. In your eighth-grade class, how often do your students use a computer or other digital device to do each of the following activities? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Never or hardly ever | Once or twice a month | Once or twice a week | Every day or almost every day | |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------|----------|
| a. Conduct a search for science information | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241282 |
| b. Simulate a physical or biological process or see how something works (e.g., how planets orbit the Sun or how gas expands) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241284 |
| c. Make a chart or graph that shows results of a science project | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH241283 |

10. In this school year, how often do you meet with students one-on-one to give feedback on their work and evaluate their progress in science?

- Never or hardly ever
 A few times a year
 Once or twice a month
 Once or twice a week
 Every day or almost every day

11. In this school year, how often do you do each of the following activities with individual students to evaluate their progress in science? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Never | About once or twice a year | About once or twice a month | About once or twice a week | Every day or almost every day | |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|----------|
| a. Discuss each student's current level of performance with them | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH639634 |
| b. Set goals for specific progress the student would like to make | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH639635 |
| c. Discuss progress the student has made toward goals previously set | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH639636 |
| d. Determine how to adjust your teaching strategies to meet the student's current learning needs | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH639637 |

12. Suppose your students did very well on their last science test. How likely do you think each of the following explanations is in this situation? Select **one** circle in each row.

| | Not at all likely | Not likely | Somewhat likely | Quite likely | Extremely likely | |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| a. My students did well because they studied and were prepared. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH641273 |
| b. My students did well because they put in a lot of effort. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH641276 |
| c. My students did well because they always do well on tests. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH641277 |
| d. My students did well because I taught the concepts well. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH641279 |
| e. My students did well because they guessed well on the test. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH641281 |
| f. My students did well because they are just good in science. | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH641284 |

13. In this school year, did your school offer any of the following supplemental activities? Select **one** answer choice in each row.

| | Yes | No | |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| a. Opportunities for students to work together to solve problems in their community or the world | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH641334 |
| b. Opportunities for students to engage in group science activities | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH641338 |
| c. Opportunities for students to use scientific instruments (e.g., thermometers, microscopes, or telescopes) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH641339 |
| d. Opportunities for students to participate in science outreach programs (e.g., partnerships with colleges, museums, or foundations) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | VH641341 |