

# Using the Alternate Assessment Participation Decision-Making Tool

The purpose of this training is to guide teachers and administrators on how to use Ohio's new Alternate Assessment Participation Decision-Making Tool. Participants will learn about the status of Ohio's current Alternate Assessment practices and rankings nationwide and how the requirement to use Ohio's new Alternate Assessment Participation Decision Making Tool with fidelity will help improve equity and outcomes for all students while also supporting Ohio's move towards Federal accountability and expectations.

## ***After attending this event, participants will:***

Gain the skills necessary to use the Alternate Assessment Participation Decision-Making Tool with fidelity in regards to determining eligibility for students with the most significant cognitive disabilities and develop an action plan regarding the immediate implementation and usage of this tool in their buildings and districts to determine which students will participate in the Alternate Assessment moving forward.



***All sessions listed below will be presented virtually. Zoom session information will be sent out to those registered prior to the date of event.***

Date	Time
November 10, 2020	4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.
November 12, 2020	2:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
November 12, 2020	4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.
November 13, 2020	2:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
November 18, 2020	4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.
December 1, 2020	2:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

## ***Registration and Questions Information:***

Participants can either register through the Ohio Department of Education's OH|ID portal, at <https://safe.ode.state.oh.us/portal>, by e-mailing Jill Barnhisel at [esclew\\_jbar@sstr1.org](mailto:esclew_jbar@sstr1.org) or by phone at 1-800-346-8495, Ext. 152. If you have any questions on the content of these sessions, please contact State Support Team Consultant, Aaron Weisbrod, [esclew\\_aw@sstr1.org](mailto:esclew_aw@sstr1.org)

