

2021 Answer Sheets and Session 2 Processing - SCRIC

For both ELA and Math:

Any Session 2 response bubbles filled in on an answer sheet will be scanned and captured for use in report(s) created specifically for Session 2 items. Session 2 response data will NOT be sent to Level 2. Any NYSED calculated scores for these tests will be based ONLY on Session 1 responses.

Session 2 administered on CBT, MUST be scored by your Lead Scoring Entity, according to NYSED. CBT Lead Scoring entity cannot be changed at this late date. These entities are normally OSC – Optimum Solutions Corp or EdVistas – Educational Vistas.

ELA

Paper based testing: schools will receive a single answer sheet. Session 1 on front and Session 2 on the back. The sheet may be used to record Session 2 responses but MUST be returned to the SCRIC no later than May 7 regardless of Session 2 testing. After **May 7**, districts are on their own to record Session 2 response data and it will not be scanned by SCRIC.

CBT based testing: schools may opt to administer Session 2 on paper. If so, they will be responsible for procuring the test booklets and may request answer sheets from SCRIC. Scoring of the session 2 responses may then be done by your vendor or by the local district. The processing of those sheets by SCRIC is the same as “Paper based testing” above.

Math

Paper based testing: schools will receive 2 answer sheets. Session 1 on sheet 1 and Session 2 on sheet 2. Sheet 2 may be used to record Session 2 responses. BOTH sheets MUST be returned to the SCRIC no later than **May 21** if the district wants the Session 2 response data reflected in SCRIC report(s) created specifically for Session 2 items.

Sheet 1 is due to the SCRIC no later than **May 21** regardless of Session 2 test administration.

CBT based testing: schools may opt to administer Session 2 on paper. If so, they will be responsible for procuring the test booklets and may request answer sheets from SCRIC. Scoring of the session 2 responses may then be done by your vendor or by the local district. If districts want their Session 2 responses included in SCRIC report(s) created specifically for Session 2 items, they will follow “Math - Paper based testing” above.

Contact SIRSHelp@btbooces.org with any questions.