



BEST Assessments Sunsetting, BEST Plus 3.0 Test Administrator Updates, and more!

BEST Plus 2.0 and BEST Literacy: Sunsetting on June 30, 2025

The current versions of the BEST assessments, *BEST Plus 2.0* and *BEST Literacy*, will be sunset on **June 30**, **2025**. All sales are final. CAL is not able to provide credit for any remaining *BEST Plus 2.0* or *BEST Literacy* tests or exchange them for the new generation of BEST assessments.

We recommend monitoring your remaining tests (your *BEST Plus 2.0* test balance can be accessed on the <u>test activation website</u>) and ordering only what you need until your program transitions fully to the newer tests.

CAL's Policy on Expired Test Materials and Test Disposal

After **June 30**, **2025**, the Center for Applied Linguistics (CAL) will not be offering customer support or test administrator training for *BEST Plus 2.0* and *BEST Literacy* and will not be making these assessments available for purchase. We acknowledge that some circumstances may warrant the use of expired materials, and buyers are permitted to make this determination based on their specific needs. Please consult your State's local Assessment Policy for guidance on obsolete test disposal.

Test materials (expired or not) may not be reproduced by the buyer in any way.

PD Hours for BEST Plus 3.0 Test Administrator Course

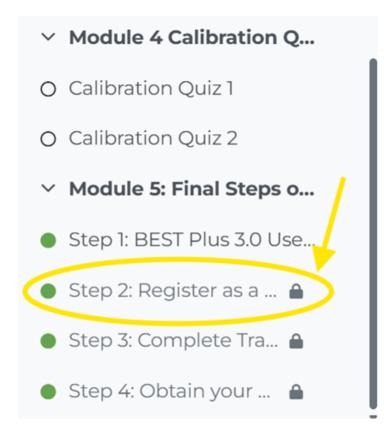
We recommend awarding **10 professional development (PD) hours** to educators who complete the *BEST Plus 3.0* Test Administrator Training. This training provides in-depth preparation to ensure high-quality administration and accurate scoring of the test and supports test users in developing strong assessment practices

BEST Plus 3.0: Test Administrator Registration Form

Are you or one of your staff members not appearing in your *BEST Plus 3.0* Test Administrator dropdown list in the CAL Test Platform?

Completing the *BEST Plus 3.0* **Test Administrator Registration Form** in the *BEST Plus 3.0* Test Administrator Training Course is a crucial step for registering to become a certified *BEST Plus 3.0* Test Administrator. You must complete this form in order for your name to appear in the CAL Test Platform dropdown list of cetified *BEST Plus 3.0* Test Administrators.

If you do not see your name on the dropdown list, please follow the steps below.



- Log into <u>callearning.org</u> and navigate to the *BEST Plus 3.0* Test
 Administrator Training Course.
 Use the menu on the lefthand side of the screen to go to Module 5, Step
 2.
- 2. Complete the *BEST Plus 3.0* Test Administrator Registration Form. Please allow up to five business days for the dropdown list in the CAL Test Platform to be updated.
- 3. If you receive the below message and are still not listed in your organization's dropdown list, please reach out to aea@cal.org.

⊗ You have already taken this survey

Receiving Emails from CAL

To ensure you receive important updates and confirmations, we advise all *BEST Plus* 3.0 Test Administrators to add **noreply@cal.org** to the list of trusted contacts or safe senders. This will help prevent important messages from being missed or sent to spam.

How are we doing?

We created a short Customer Satisfaction Survey to gather feedback on the key aspects of the new BEST Assessments and the quality of the service we provide to

the Adult Education Centers across the nation. Please take 3 minutes to complete the survey and let us know how we are doing!

BEST Customer Satisfaction Survey

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