

Key Stage 1 (KS1) Teacher Assessments (TA)

2023 assessment collection (statutory)

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LA Collection	LA Deadline	Schools return to?
KS1 TA (Teacher Assessments)	Tuesday 27 June 2023	Local Authority via AnyComms+

Who is in the scope for the statutory collection?

All state-funded schools, including academies and free schools, must report teacher assessment (TA) results for pupils at the end of KS1. Schools must:

- not submit their data until after the external moderation visit has taken place (if selected)
- only re-submit successfully submitted data after Tuesday 27 June when required to do so by STA or the LA – if authorisation is not provided, it will be investigated as maladministration.

What is required?

State-funded schools must report KS1 teacher assessment (TA) results, in English reading, English writing, mathematics and science, as indicated in the Standards and Testing Agency (STA) [guidance](#) for 2022-23.

This table shows which framework to use when making TA judgements, depending on the subject and standard at which the pupil is working.

Key stage 1 standard	Framework	English reading	Maths	English writing	Science
Pupils working at the standard of the national curriculum assessments	TA frameworks	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Pupils working below the standard of the national curriculum assessments and engaged in subject specific study	Pre-key stage 1 standards	Yes	Yes	Yes	N/A

[Exemplification materials](#) are available to help teachers make their judgements if additional guidance is needed.

Frameworks for English reading, English writing and mathematics

The frameworks contain 3 standards:

- working towards the expected standard;
- working at the expected standard; and
- working at greater depth.

Framework for science

The KS1 science framework contains one standard: working at the expected standard.

A pupil who has completed the programme of study will be judged as either 'working at the expected standard' or 'has not met the expected standard'.

Pre-key stage standards

Pre-key stage standards must be used for statutory assessment of pupils at the end of KS1 who are working below the overall standard of national curriculum assessments and engaged in subject-specific study, as well as for pupils who are working below the standard of the national curriculum assessments because they:

- have not completed the KS1 programmes of study but are still moving onto KS2 with their current year group (and are engaged in subject-specific study)
- cannot communicate in English (and are engaged in subject-specific study).

The Engagement model

Schools are required to:

- use the engagement model to assess pupils who are working below the standard of national curriculum assessments and not engaged in subject-specific study at the end of KS1
- report to DfE which pupils have been assessed using the engagement model for KS1. This is so the DfE is aware of how many pupils are not engaged in subject-specific study and where they are being educated. Schools are not required to submit any other data to DfE about the progress of these pupils.

See Appendix A for the statutory data required; and Appendix B for the steps to transfer the return securely to the Local Authority via [AnyComms+](#).

Timetable

Tuesday 27 June: State-funded schools submit KS1 teacher assessment return to the Local Authority via [AnyComms+](#).

Other key dates:

Throughout May: KS1 test administration window

Thursday 1 June: KS1 test materials and raw score to scaled score conversion tables available on GOV.UK, and KS1 headteacher's declaration form (HDF) available on the [Primary Assessment Gateway](#).

Friday 30 June: Deadline for schools to submit KS1 HDF on the [Primary Assessment Gateway](#).

The HDF confirms that the English reading and mathematics tests have been administered and marked according to the published guidance and the results have been used to inform TA, or that any issues have been reported to the Standards and Testing Agency (STA).

Collection guidance

<p>Management Information System (MIS):</p> <p>Schools should contact their management information systems (MIS) support provider for specific guidance about producing the CTF/XML return.</p>	<p>Pupils who change schools</p> <p>If a pupil changes school:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • before Tuesday 2 May the receiving school must administer the KS1 tests to the pupil and submit TA data for them; • during the KS1 test period the receiving school must find out which tests have already been administered to the pupil and administer any remaining tests (in this circumstance, the school where the pupil was registered for the greater number of school days in May should submit TA data for that pupil to the LA) 	<p>Pupils who change schools</p> <p>If a pupil changes school:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • after Tuesday 30 May the school where the pupil was registered during the KS1 test period must submit TA data for them. <p>If a pupil arrives from a non-participating school or having been EHE, the receiving school should assess the pupil and submit data for them.</p> <p>If the pupil arrives on, or after Thursday 1 June 2023 data is not required.</p>
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Additional link(s)

<p>2023 Key Stage 1: assessment and reporting arrangements (ARA)</p>	<p>TA frameworks</p>	<p>Pre-key stage 1 standards</p>
<p>Engagement model</p>	<p>Exemplification materials</p>	<p>STA Key stage 1 teacher assessment guidance</p>

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Appendix A: Statutory data required

The table below shows the data items collected for each child:

	Reading	Writing	Maths	Science
High Attaining	GDS Working at greater depth within the			N/A
Expected standard	EXS Working at the expected standard			
Lower Attaining	WTS Working towards the expected standard			HNM Has not met the expected standard
	PK4 Pre Key Stage Standard 4			
	PK3 Pre Key Stage Standard 3			
	PK2 Pre Key Stage Standard 2			
	PK1 Pre Key Stage Standard 1			
	EM Below the standard of the pre-key stage			
	Pupil assessed against the Engagement Model			
Other Values	A Absent			

Key Stage 1	Available Codes
English reading	GDS, EXS, WTS, PK4, PK3, PK2, PK1, EM, A
Mathematics	GDS, EXS, WTS, PK4, PK3, PK2, PK1, EM, A
English writing	GDS, EXS, WTS, PK4, PK3, PK2, PK1, EM, A
Science	EXS, HNM, A

Code	Description
GDS	Working at greater depth
EXS	Working at the expected standard
WTS	Working towards the expected standard
HNM	Has not met the expected standard
PK4	Pre-key stage standard 4
PK3	Pre-key stage standard 3
PK2	Pre-key stage standard 2
PK1	Pre-key stage standard 1
EM	Working below the level of the national curriculum and not yet engaged in subject-specific study
A	Absent for long periods, recently arrived, or not enough information to provide a TA judgement

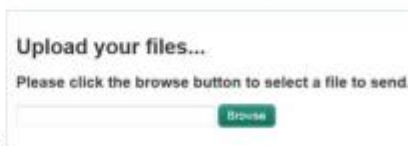
Appendix B: AnyComms+ (KS1)

Sending the 2023 Key Stage 1 return to the Families Business Intelligence Team

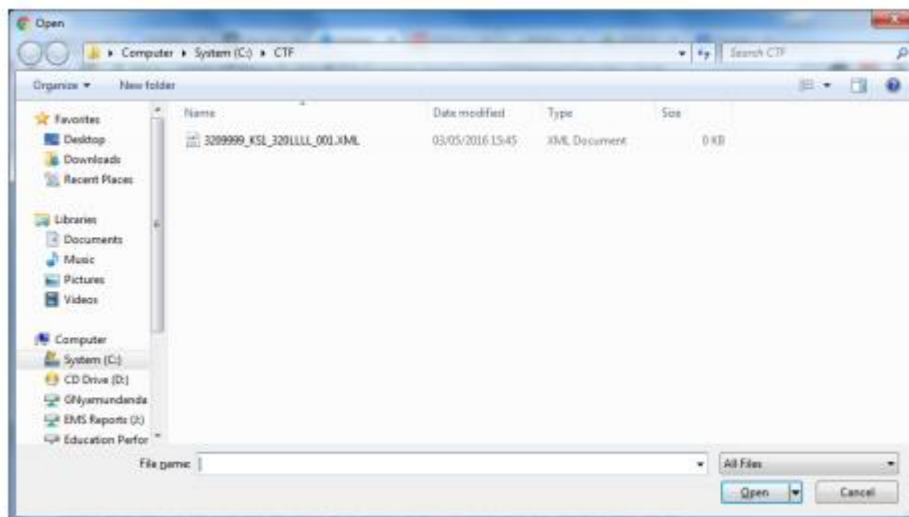
In terms of data protection - the **2023** Key Stage 1 return is to be sent to the Families **Business Intelligence** Team via the AnyComms+ secure file transfer website <https://www.wfresearch.org.uk>.

Login details will be needed to access and use the secure website. If needed, contact edu.performance@walthamforest.gov.uk).

- i) Login to <https://www.wfresearch.org.uk>;
- ii) From the Main Menu click on **Upload File to a Local Authority**;



- iii) Browse and find **2023** Key Stage 1 return;
- iv) Select file and click **Open**. Note that the browsing window will reappear and you may upload further files if necessary by the same process. If you have uploaded the return, and no further files are required to be uploaded, click the **Cancel** button;



- v) In the **File Type** drop down box select '**Key Stage 1 TA Results**'. In the 'Service' drop down box also select '**Key Stage 1 TA Results**'. In the **Description Box**, enter your school name, or other information as required

Select what type of file you are sending, and select which service you are sending this file to.

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- vi) Select '**Upload All Files**' to upload the **2023** Key Stage 1 return

