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Kansas English Language Proficiency Assessment – Placement (KELPA-P)

Access KELPA-P assessment documents through this password-controlled web site: www.cete.us. The superintendent or district assessment coordinator can grant access to this site.

From the menu on the left, choose *KELPA*; when the short menu appears, choose *KELPA-P*.

The files needed for administering the KELPA-P are organized by grade level. Each zip file contains the relevant testing manual, test booklet, answer sheet, answer key, audio files, and proficiency scoring guide. There are no audio files for kindergarten or first grade. Instructions for creating an audio CD from this file are also provided on this page.

The examiner is responsible for self-training before administering the test. KELPA training modules must be used, http://title3.greenbush.us/kelpod/index.html, or KSDE will provide a training CD upon request. Contact Phyllis Farrar, pfarrar@ksde.org or 785-296-1891.

Answer sheets must be scored by the trained examiner and kept by the school district, not returned to CETE. Scoring will identify whether a student is English proficient or not, but will not identify increments of proficiency.

If you have any problems with the website, please contact cete@ku.edu

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