### HGSS CLASSROOM BASED STATE ASSESSMENT

2019-2023

**Foundations:** Assessments must be aligned to learning outcomes and your curriculum.

**Quality:** Assessment must inspire confidence that the data is accurate, dependable, fair, and attends to issues of accessibility and equity.

**USE:** Careful analysis of student performance should yield information that can be used to guide new teaching and learning.

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| 2019-2020  | Voluntary Pilot    | - Volunteer schools  
- Grades 6, 8, or 11  
- One task per grade  
- Schools submit examples for the purpose of calibrating the rubrics  
- Pilot schools submit scores through Kids on the End of Year Annual Report |
| 2020-2021  | Statewide Pilot    | - All schools  
- Grades 3-12  
- One task per grade band (3-5, 6-8, 9-12)  
- Schools submit scores through Kids on the End of the Year Annual Report |
| 2021-2022  | Stage 1 Transition | - All schools  
- Grades 3-12  
- Two different tasks per grade band (3-5, 6-8, 9-12)  
- Schools submit scores through Kids on the End of the Year Annual Report |

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STAGE 2 FULL IMPLEMENTATION

- ALL SCHOOLS
- GRADES 3-12
- ALL THREE TASKS COMPLETED BY THE END OF GRADES 5, 8, AND 12
- SCHOOLS SUBMIT SCORES THROUGH KIDS ON THE END OF THE YEAR ANNUAL REPORT

Tasks are teacher created activities to measure HGSS Benchmarks. Students must complete all three tasks by the end of each grade level (3-5, 6-8, 9-12).

- Task 1: Recognize and Evaluate
- Task 2: Analyze Context and Draw Conclusions
- Task 3: Research and Make Connections

Each Task has four required elements. The two verbs of the task and making a claim and supporting that claim with evidence and argument.

There are six measure to the rubrics for each tasks.

Quality Measures
- Topic Challenge
- Task Product
- Effective Communication

Academic Measures
- Multiple Perspectives and Disciplines
- Academic Content
- Depth of Knowledge

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