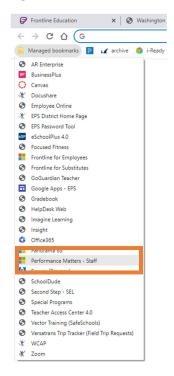


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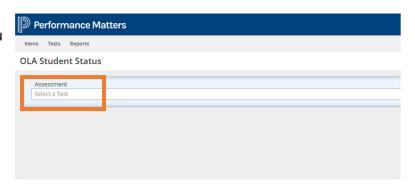
1. Open a Chrome browser and used the managed bookmarks menu to select "Performance Matters - Staff"



2. From your dashboard page, select the "Test" menu and then "OLA Student Status"



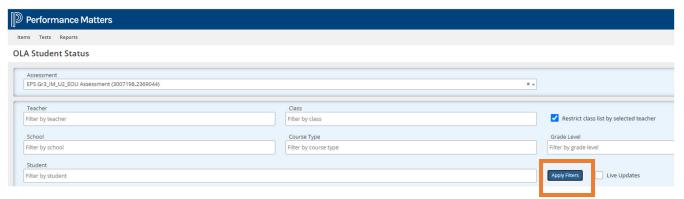
 In the assessment search bar, type in the number of the test you are administering. Test numbers can be found in the instructional maps on the Canvas Portal.



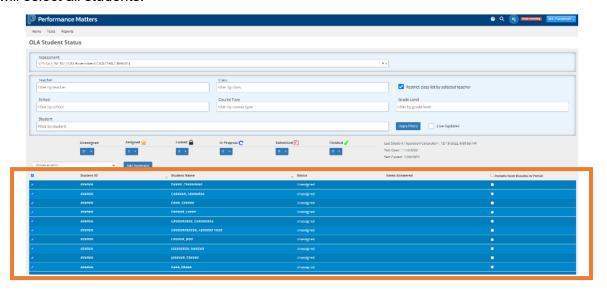


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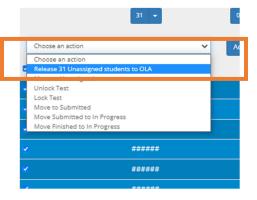
4. To administer the test to the entire class, click "Apply Filters" which is located on the right side of the search box. If you are administering the test only to specific students, use the additional filter boxes to narrow down the list of students.



- 5. The list of students you have selected and who are eligible to take the test will appear below the search boxes. If you do not see all the students that you are planning to assess, please call Assessment and Research immediately. This is usually easy to resolve.
- 6. To release a test to all students, click on the white box to the left of the student ID column. This will select all students.



7. Using the "Choose and Action" drop down menu, select "Release x number unassigned students to OLA".





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- 8. Monitor student progress using the blue drop down boxes entitled:
 - a. Unassigned: these are students who are eligible to take the test but have not been released to take it.
 - b. Assigned: students who have been assigned the test but have not started.
 - c. Locked: students whose tests have been locked by the teacher. This is used when a student has not completed an assessment and must come back at a different time to complete it. It prevents students from taking the test outside of class.
 - d. In Progress: students currently working on the assessment.
 - e. Submitted: students who have submitted their assessment and are awaiting machine scoring. Please note that machine scoring happens every 15 minutes and student responses will not show up in online scoring until this has been completed.
 - f. Finished: students whose tests have been submitted and machine scored and are ready for hand scoring when needed.



- 9. You can monitor students' progress through the assessment on this page by watching the "Items Answered" and "Status" columns.
- 10. You can move students forward and backward from unassigned to finished. For example: if a student submits an assessment and you would like them to go back and check their work, you can select the student by clicking the white box next to their ID number and use the "Choose an action" drop down menu to move them from submitted or finished to in progress. Likewise, students who are in progress at the end of a class period can be moved to locked.
- 11. Tests are designed for specific content areas and grade levels. A teacher can only assign a test that has been designated for a course and grade they teach. For example: a ninth-grade math teacher cannot give a second grade ELA test. Students can only take a test designated for a course they are enrolled in and for their grade level. For example: a second-grade student cannot take an eighth-grade test.