

## How to Access the Early Learning Assessment (ELA) Print Materials

### Early Learning Assessment Materials

Two versions of the Early Learning Assessment exist. Many Ohio Early Care and Education Professionals will use the smaller version, the required 10- Learning Progressions but may find the larger Comprehensive Assessment to be a good resource when scoring their observations.

The Early Learning Assessment team also created Adaptations embedded within the Comprehensive Assessment for those teachers that may need additional support assessing children with special needs.

Ohio's Early Learning Assessment (ELA) is a tool for Early Care and Education Professionals of preschool age children to learn about the current level of each child's skills, knowledge and behaviors in the areas of:

- Social Foundations
- Language and Literacy
- Mathematics
- Science
- Social Studies
- Physical Well-Being and Motor Development
- Fine Arts



### EARLY LEARNING ASSESSMENT PRINT MATERIALS INCLUDE:

*The Early Learning Assessment – Comprehensive Assessment Binder*

*The Early Learning Assessment – Ten Required Learning Progressions\**

*The Early Learning Assessment – Adaptations*

These ELA materials are now found in the Ready for Kindergarten (KReady) online system in the Early Learning Assessment – Early Childhood Educators (Ohio) professional development site. To access these materials for downloading, saving and printing, program staff must have attended an Early Learning Assessment training with a State Support Team or Resource and Referral Agent.

\*The *Ten Required Learning Progressions* are available in both a hard copy version that can be requested at ODJFS Forms Central by searching JFS 01245, or the electronic version in the KReady system. See detailed steps below for accessing the KReady system.

All copies of the assessment are considered secure documents and should be kept in a secure, but central location.

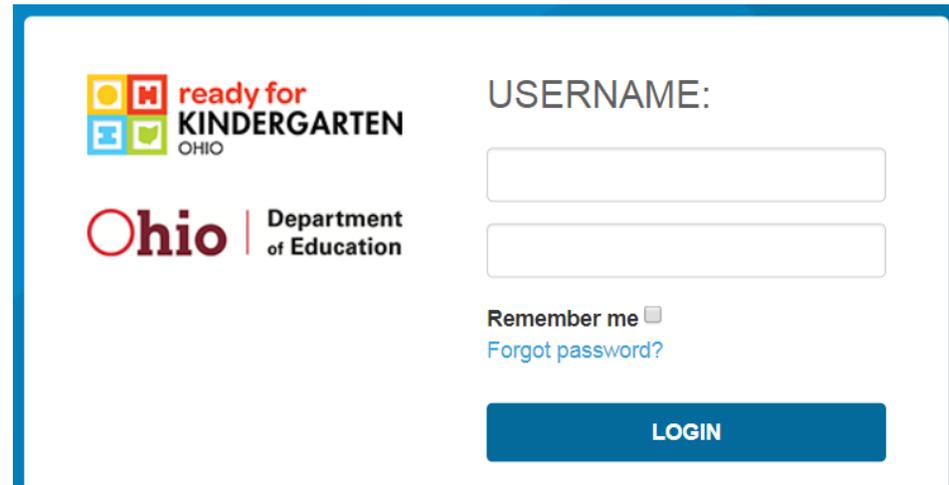
Login to <https://ohio.kready.org/login>

You must have a KReady account to login to the system.

If your organization has a local Assessment Data Manager who has a Data Manager account in the KReady system, please communicate with that person who can add you to the [KReady system](#). If you do not have a Data Manager, do not know who your Data Manager is, or your Data Manager has not yet received access to the KReady system, Early Care and Education Professionals can request a teacher account through the [Help Desk](#) (<https://www.ohio-k12.help/earlychild/>).

Early Care and Education Professionals of ODE-licensed programs should search for their organization using the IRN, then click Register to submit information for the KReady account.

Early Care and Education Professionals of ODJFS-licensed programs should search for ODJFS, then click Register to submit information.

The screenshot shows the login interface for the KReady system. On the left, there is a logo for 'ready for KINDERGARTEN OHIO' and the 'Ohio Department of Education' logo. On the right, the text 'USERNAME:' is followed by two empty input fields. Below the fields are the options 'Remember me' with a checkbox and a link for 'Forgot password?'. At the bottom right, there is a blue button labeled 'LOGIN'.

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1. From the Ready for Kindergarten Dashboard, click the green button to Access Professional Development.
2. Click on the button Ready for Kindergarten Login.
3. Click on the button to Allow the site to connect to your KReady account.

**Note: If you have not yet attended an ELA training you will not have access to the professional development links in the next step.**

Dashboard 1

Welcome

Welcome to the Ready for Kindergarten; Early Childhood Comp Readiness Assessment (KRA) and the Early Learning Assessment data. Data collections appear at the start of an assessment window.

To access the professional development for these assessments professional development dashboard, where you will need to enroll in the process.

If you are a district data manager, please click on the "Administer interface to add and manage teacher, student, and enrollment data" button.

[Access Professional Development](#)

[Ready for Kindergarten Login](#)

To access the professional development for Ready for Kindergarten, please click on the Login button below.

The site "pd.kready.org" would like to connect to your KReady account.

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From the My User Dashboard, choose the Early Learning Assessment – Early Childhood Educators (Ohio) link to enter the online professional development.

## My User Dashboard

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### My Professional Development

Click a link below to enter your online professional development.

[Early Learning Assessment - Early Childhood Educators \(Ohio\)](#)

[Early Learning Assessment Simulation and Content Assessment \(OH\)](#)

From the professional development site, click on the Resource Guide tab.

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Many resources are available on this screen.  
The ELA print materials include:

 *The Early Learning Assessment – Comprehensive Assessment Binder*

 *The Early Learning Assessment – Ten Required Learning Progressions\**

 *The Early Learning Assessment – Adaptations*

These are PDF files. Download, save, and print as you would any other PDF file.



Formative Assessment  
Enrichment Interactive



Observation Practice



Early Learning  
Pinterest Page



Targeted Resources



mATchup tool from  
the Maryland Assistive  
Technology  
Connection Hub



The Early Learning  
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## Early Learning Assessment Material Updates and Print Guidance

Document Title	Updates to Document	Printing Guidance
 <p><i>The Early Learning Assessment – Comprehensive Assessment Binder</i></p>	<p>The Comprehensive Assessment Binder is the full version of the ELA tool, including seven domains of growth and development, 32 learning progressions, 72 skills, knowledge and behaviors (SKBs); this version also includes the embedded adaptations.</p> <p>This original version of the tool has been revised as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• In the original version, the level description for the SKB “response to distressed peer” had an error. Level B is greyed out, which is incorrect; the correct level that should be greyed out is Level C. That revision is in the updated version.</li> <li>• The adaptations were provided in a separate document. In this updated version, the adaptations are embedded.</li> <li>• Pages 5 and 6 of the front matter include updated content with a new Sample SKB and Adaptation Example.</li> </ul>	<p>Previously, program staff and trainers ordered this tool through the JFS Warehouse (JFS 01265). You may choose to print this updated version in its entirety, or simply print the updated pages.</p> <p>To update your current ELA Comprehensive Assessment Binder:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Print only pages 5 and 6 of the revised version for updated front matter.</li> <li>• Print only the adaptations (from a separate PDF file) to add to your current ELA binder.</li> <li>• Print only page 16 for the revised SKB “response to distressed peer.”</li> </ul> <p>These are PDF files. Download, save, and print as you would any other PDF file.</p>
 <p><i>The Early Learning Assessment – Ten Required Learning Progressions*</i></p>	<p>The Ten Required Learning Progressions is the version of the ELA tool that includes four domains of growth and development, 10 learning progressions, 24 SKBs. There are no updates to this version.</p>	<p>The <i>Ten Required Learning Progressions</i> are available in both a hard copy version that can be requested at ODJFS Forms Central by searching JFS 01245, or the electronic version in the KReady system.</p> <p>These are PDF files. Download, save, and print as you would any other PDF file.</p>

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 <p><i>The Early Learning Assessment – Adaptations</i></p>	<p>The <i>Early Learning Assessment - Adaptations</i> follow the same Learning Progressions and level descriptors as the full ELA. The Adaptations provide examples of possible observational variations of each SKB for children with identified disabilities and for children who are developing differently from expected norms and not yet identified as having a disability. These examples include the use of alternate communication techniques and assistive devices, providing those implementing the ELA with a broader scope for the SKBs exhibited across all domains of the ELA. Early learning professionals are encouraged to refer to these adaptations when interpreting observational evidence, recognizing that children with disabilities might display the developmental SKBs in a different manner.</p>	<p>If you are simply updating your previous version of the ELA binder, you may choose to print this separate file to add to your resources.</p> <p><b>NOTE: If you are printing the updated Comprehensive Assessment Binder, you do not need to print the Adaptations separately.</b></p> <p>These are PDF files. Download, save, and print as you would any other PDF file.</p>

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