

YouScience Vendor FAQ

Vendor Name: YouScience

Product Name: YouScience Exams

Question	Answers
<p>What grades are covered?</p>	<p>CTE Courses in various career clusters are found in the YouScience Exam Catalog.</p> <p>CTE courses in areas such as Career Development, Agriculture Food and Natural Resources, Business, Marketing and Finance, Information Technology, Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics, Human Services, Hospitality and Tourism, Health Science, Agriculture Food and Natural Resources, Arts A/V Technology and Communications, Manufacturing, Education and Training, Law and Public Service, Transportation Distribution and Logistics.</p>
<p>Is there a pre/post-test?</p>	<p>Yes, each YouScience Exam offers the option to administer both a pre-test and a post-test, and districts can choose option 2.</p>
<p>What is YouScience?</p>	<p>YouScience Exams are part of YouScience Brightpath, a comprehensive college and career readiness platform tailored for middle and high school students. The exams are offered within the Industry Recognized Certifications section of Brightpath. These exams evaluate students on various knowledge standards, assessing their understanding of the relevant skills and subject matter.</p>
<p>What were YouScience Exams designed to do?</p>	<p>With a catalog of over 200 exams, YouScience Exams are designed to streamline the administration of CTE assessments. YouScience provides educators with access to validated industry standards, along with the necessary data to support their CTE programs. Comprehensive pre- and post-tests enable educators to measure student growth, drive program improvements, and tailor their approaches to meet local pathway needs.</p>
<p>How can I use YouScience Exams?</p>	<p>Exams will assess a student's knowledge and skills in CTE courses. Our reporting features enable accurate and swift measurement of student growth at the individual student, class, campus, or district level.</p> <p>These exams can be used for both pre-and post-testing to assess student growth in specific courses at the start and end of the year or semester. They can also function as standalone or benchmark assessments.</p> <p>Additionally, the exams are designed as industry-recognized certification assessments. They are stackable, allowing students to earn certifications for individual courses.</p>

<p>Does YouScience provide expected growth targets for students?</p>	<p>No, YouScience does not provide expected growth targets; districts have the option to set their own growth targets.</p>
<p>How can districts use YouScience Exams to determine end-of-year student growth for purposes of TIA?</p>	<p>Reporting features show how students have grown in specific courses as well as specific standards within a course.</p> <p>Districts that administer a pre-test at the beginning of the year or semester and a post-test at the end will have access to reports that show the percentage of growth for individual students. Reports can be generated at the student, class, exam, campus, or district level. All reports are available in the Insights and Analytics section of Brightpath, with the option to easily download them in CSV format for various levels.</p>
<p>What types of data reporting capabilities are included with YouScience Exams?</p>	<p>The Insights and Analytics section of YouScience offer data and reports at the student, class, campus, and district levels. These reporting capabilities enable the measurement of student growth, support program improvements, and assess student performance at the knowledge standard level. Reports can be easily downloaded in CSV format, and permissions can be configured to provide teachers, campus leaders, and district administrators with the access they require.</p> <p>Available Reports:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Class Performance - Explore class performance on a selected exam ● District Summary - Explore exam completions and performance by district, exam and academic year ● Exam Performance - View completions and performance data by district, school, exam and standard ● Pre/Post Exam Summary - View performance and student growth data based on pre/post exams by state, district, school, proctor, and student ● Proctor Performance - Explore standard-level performance data on a selected exam ● Student Growth - Analyze student performance across pre and post-exams ● Student Performance - Explore a detailed analysis of individual students' exam results

For more information on this resource please refer to the vendor website and reach out to a representative.

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