

AUTHORING SYSTEM ENHANCEMENTS 2023-2024

Authoring System Enhancements

- All tests created in the Authoring system will now apply a student's ELA settings controlled in TIDE
- New and Improved User interface
 - Simplified User Interface with usability as the focus
 - Streamlined Test Administration and Sharing workflows



Authored Tests Now Follow TIDE ELA Settings

- New this year, tests created in the Authoring system will now automatically apply a student's ELA settings controlled in TIDE

The screenshot displays the TIDE interface with several sections, each containing a list of settings and a corresponding ELA settings column. A red box highlights the ELA settings column, which includes a toggle switch and a dropdown menu for each setting.

Section	Setting	ELA Setting
Presentation	American Sign Language	OFF
	Language	English
Concentration Assistance Tools	Masking	OFF
Integration with Assistive Technology	Permissive Mode	OFF
	Print on Request	None
	Text-To-Speech	None
Literacy Assistance Tools	TTS Tracking	OFF
Visual Assistance Tools	Color Choices	Black on White
	Line Reader	Off
	Mouse Pointer	System Default
	Streamlined Mode	OFF

Authoring Interface Enhancements

The screenshot displays the Authoring Interface with several enhancements highlighted by red callouts:

- Show Filters 5**: A button in the top navigation bar.
- Filters Panel now a pop-out**: A callout pointing to the 'Show Filters' button.
- Standards now a pop-out**: A callout pointing to the 'Standards' tab in the navigation bar.
- Streamlined Menu**: A callout pointing to the 'More...' dropdown menu.

The main content area shows an **Items List** table with the following columns: NAME, FEATURES, ITEM TYPE, GRADE, SUBJECT, AUTHOR, and DATE. The table contains 8 rows of item data.

	NAME	FEATURES	ITEM TYPE	GRADE	SUBJECT	AUTHOR	DATE
<input type="checkbox"/>	Metamorphic Rock Ice Wedging Published	EN 3 2	Edit Task Inline Choice	8 - 10	Career and Technical Education	HIDOE, Demo PR	Jan 18, 2023
<input type="checkbox"/>	Sagittarius Visibility is Seasonal Published	EN 1 1	Item Set	5	Science	CAI	Jan 17, 2023
<input type="checkbox"/>	Flagpole Height Published	EN 2	Multiple Choice / Select	7	Physics	CAI	Jan 17, 2023
<input type="checkbox"/>	Monkeyflower Pollination Published	ES EN 1 1	Item Set	8	Science	HIDOE	Jan 16, 2023
<input type="checkbox"/>	Lystrosaurus, World Traveler? Draft	EN 1	Multiple Choice / Select	9 - 10	Career and Technical Education	Me	Jan 15, 2023
<input type="checkbox"/>	What is an Urban Heat Island? Draft	ES EN	Table Match	9	Mathematics	Me	Jan 7, 2023
<input type="checkbox"/>	Ostracod Origins Draft	EN 2	Equation Response	6	Mathematics	Me	Dec 29, 2022
<input type="checkbox"/>	Packing Tape on Frosted Glass Draft	EN	Grid	5 - 6	Science	Me	Dec 27, 2022

At the bottom of the page, there is a 'Results per Page' dropdown set to 20 and a pagination control showing '1' of 3 pages.

Enhanced Tab Interface

- Includes new CAI Unified Header
- Modernized, simpler interface
- Streamlined Menu along top of the screen
- Simplified Grid to view all Item/Test information
- Filters Panel is now hidden and available as a pop-out menu
- Standards are now available as a pop-out menu

Authoring Items Tab

Items List

- All of the same item information is retained, but now available directly in the Item Grid

Items List		Expanded Item information available directly in the Grid						Filtering on: Item Type, Subject, Grade	Sorting by: Date
<input type="checkbox"/>	NAME	FEATURES	ITEM TYPE	GRADE	SUBJECT	AUTHOR	DATE		
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="heart"/> Metamorphic Rock Ice Wedding Published	EN <input type="comment"/> 3 <input type="document"/> 2	Edit Task Inline Choice	8 - 10	Career and Technical Education	HIDOE, Demo PR	Jan 18, 2023		
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<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="heart"/> Lystrosaurus, World Traveler? Draft	EN <input type="comment"/> 1	Multiple Choice / Select	9 - 10	Career and Technical Education	Me	Jan 15, 2023		
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<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="heart"/> Ostracod Origins Draft	EN <input type="comment"/> 2	Equation Response	6	Mathematics	Me	Dec 29, 2022		
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="heart"/> Packing Tape on Frosted Glass Draft	EN	Grid	5 - 6	Science	Me	Dec 27, 2022		

Authoring Filters Panel

Filters Pop-out Panel

- Filters Panel is now a pop-out available from the main Tab display
- Allows users to interact with Filters without losing their place in the system
- Expanded usable area to improve usability of all filter types and unifies recent "Advanced Filters" into the panel

Filters

- Date Range
- Libraries
- Item Types
- Subject
- Grades
 - Kindergarten
 - 1st
 - 2nd
 - 3rd
 - 4th
 - 5th
 - 6th
 - 7th
 - 8th
 - 9th
 - 10th
 - 11th
 - 12th
- Standard
- Status
- Favorites
- Labels
- Items to Review
- Stimulus Associations
- Course
- Task Modal
- Difficulty Level

Apply Filters **Clear All**

Secure Inbox Help Roberta Smith

Standards

view Duplicate Label Share More... New Item Search

Filtering on: Item Type, Subject, Grade Sorting by: Date

FEATURES	ITEM TYPE	GRADE	SUBJECT	AUTHOR	DATE
EN 3 2	Edit Task Inline Choice	8 - 10	Career and Technical Education	HIDOE, Demo PR	Jan 18, 2023
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Authoring Standards

Standards Pop-out Panel

- Standards now a pop-out available from the main Tab display
- Allows users to search through their state Standards without losing their place in the system

The screenshot displays the Cambium Assessment Authoring interface. The main content area shows a table of items with columns for NAME, ITEM TYPE, GRADE, and SUBJECT. A red callout box labeled "Pop-out Standards panel" points to the right side of the interface, where a "Standards" panel is open. This panel lists various standards publications with expandable options.

NAME	ITEM TYPE	GRADE	SUBJECT
Metamorphic Rock Ice Wedging	Stimulus	8	
Sagittarius Visibility is Seasonal	Stimulus	5	
Flagpole Height	Stimulus	8	Science
Lystrosaurus, World Traveler?	Multiple Choice / Select	8	Science
Soccer Penalty Kick	Multiple Choice / Select	4	Science
5 PS1-2 steel wool	Grid	5	Science
Dog Head Tilt	Multi-Part	3-4	English Language Arts
Redwall Limestone	Edit: Task Inline Choice	4	Physical Education
Great Frigate Birds	Equation Response	5-8	Mathematics
What is an Urban Heat Island?	Embedded Text Entry	9-10	Computer Science
Boat at Dock	Table Match	K-4	English Language Arts

Standards Panel:

- SBAC Publications**
 - Common Core ELA Standards (K-12) English Language Arts
 - Common Core Math Standards (K-11) Mathematics
- NGSS Publications**
 - Next Generation Science Standards (K-12) Career and Technical Education
- Hawaii Publications**
 - Career and Technical Education (K-12) Career and Technical Education
 - CSTA K-12 Computer Science Standards (K-12) Computer Science
 - Fine Arts (K-12) Visual Arts
 - Health Education (K-12) Health Education
 - Physical Education (K-12) Physical Education
 - Social Studies (K-12) Social Studies
 - World Languages (K-12) World Languages



Authoring Standards

Standards

- Select a Standards Publication to view a simplified list of all associated Standards
- New Standard Actions that allows users to dynamically engage with individual standards
- Text Filter to quickly find the Standard you need

The screenshot displays the Cambium Assessment Authoring interface. The main area shows a table of standards with columns for NAME, ITEM TYPE, GRADE, and SUBJECT. A sidebar on the right is titled 'Common Core ELA Standards' and includes a search filter 'Type to Filter'. A red callout box labeled 'New Quick Actions for Standards' points to a menu with the following actions:

- STANDARD ACTIONS
- Copy ID Code
- Find Items matching this Standard
- Find Tests matching this Standard
- Create Quick Test

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Authoring Tests Tab

Dashboard Items **Tests** Standards

Show Filters 3 Tests selected Duplicate Label Share More... New Test Test Generator Wizard Search

Tests List

Filtering on: # of Items, Subject, Grade Sorting by: Date

	NAME	# OF ITEMS	TEST WINDOW	GRADE	SUBJECT	AUTHOR	DATE																														
<input type="checkbox"/>	Basic Maintenance, Part II Published	12	Feb 7, 2023 - July 3, 2023	8 - 10	Career and Technical Education	HIDOE, Demo PR	Jan 18, 2023																														
<input type="checkbox"/>	Astronomy Introduction Published	9	Feb 12, 2023 - June 7, 2023	5	Science	CAI	Jan 17, 2023																														
<input type="checkbox"/>	Gravity Basics Published	15	Mar 9, 2023 - Mar 23, 2023	7	Physics	CAI	Jan 17, 2023																														
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Modify Test Window

List of Items on a Test

Tests List

- All Test information is still retained and displayed in the Grid
- Filters panel moved to a pop-out to preserve Grid display space
- View all Items included on a Test using the dropdown arrow
- Modify the Test Window directly from the Grid

Sharing & Test Administration

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- Simplified Sharing & Test Administration workflows
- Allows users to more seamlessly search for users, groups, and institutions and customize individual permissions

Test Sharing

Sharing Destination

Share in Authoring
Allow other users to see, edit, or publish this test

Share to TDS
Allow other users to administer this test

Find Recipients

Sharing Group

- Schoolgroup: Demo School Group 2
- Institution: Training School 2

Search for Recipients

All Search

Search Results

NAME	EMAIL	ADD
Washington, George	george.washington@gmail.com	+
Demo School Group 2		+
Training School 2		+

Test Information

Checkpoint: Writing Grade 8 Informative (Educator-Scored) - 2
English Language Arts • Grade 8

Selected Recipients

NAME	EMAIL	ADMINISTER
Madison, James	james.madison@gmail.com	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Monroe, James	james.monroe@gmail.com	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Demo School Group 2		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Training School 2		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Save Cancel



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Item Sharing

Find Recipients

Sharing Group

✓ Schoolgroup: Demo School Group 2

✓ Institution: Training School 2

Search for Recipients

All Search

Search Results

NAME	EMAIL	ADD
Washington, George	george.washington@gmail.com	+
Adams, John	john.adams@gmail.com	+
Jefferson, Thomas	thomas.jefferson@gmail.com	+
Demo School Group 2		+
Training School 2		+

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Selected Recipients

NAME	EMAIL	VIEW	EDIT	PUB
Madison, James	james.madison@gmail.com	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Monroe, James	james.monroe@gmail.com	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Demo School Group 2		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Training School 2		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Save Cancel



Item Sets

- Renaming Stimulus item type to "Item Set" to clarify purpose of item type

<input type="checkbox"/>	...	<input type="heart"/>	Sagittarius Visibility is Seasonal Published	EN	<input type="comment"/>	1	<input type="calendar"/>	1	▼	Item Set	5	Science	CAI	Jan 17, 2023
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