

ClearSight

ClearSight Tools, Accessibility, and Accommodations

Table 1. Global Tools – These tools appear in the global menu at the top of the test page.
















Tool Name	Description
Help 	On-screen Instructions and Help window, select the question mark  button in the upper-right corner.
Calculator 	On-screen calculator, select Calculator in the global menu.
Dictionary 	Look up words/definitions in Merriam-Webster dictionary or thesaurus.
Line Reader 	The Line Reader allows student to highlight an individual line of text in a passage or question. This tool is not available while the Highlighter tool is in use.
Masking 	<i>The Masking tool can be used to cover any part of the test page that a student may want to mask.</i>
Notes 	To enter notes in an on-screen notepad, select Notes in the global menu.
Print Page 	To print the entire test page, select Print Page in the global menu.
Print Passage 	To print a reading passage, select Print Passage in the global menu.
Zoom buttons  	To enlarge the test page, select Zoom In . Multiple zoom levels are available. To undo zooming, select Zoom Out .

Table 2. Context Menu Tools – These tools are for passages and questions.

Tool Name	Description
American Sign Language	American Sign Language videos are available; if there is one video it starts automatically, if multiple videos the sign language () icons appear next to the test content for each video. Select the icon for the test content you wish to translate into ASL.
Expand buttons	You can expand the passage section or the question section for easier readability.  
Highlighter	The student can add and remove highlighting to text through the Highlight Selection/Reset from the context menu. Text in images cannot be highlighted. This tool is not available while the Line Reader tool is in use.
Mark for Review	The student can use Mark for Review to help them remember to revisit items. This marked icon is shown in multiple places for ease of access.
Notepad	There is an item specific Notepad available from the context menu. A pencil icon  appears next to the question number on the test page.

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Table 2. Context Menu Tools (cont.)




Tool Name	Description
Print Item	A test item can be printed by using the Print Item from the context menu. A printer icon  appears next to the question number on the page.
Select Previous Version	To view and restore responses previously entered for a Text Response question, select the Select Previous Version option from the context menu. A list of saved responses appears. Select the appropriate response and click Select .
Strikethrough	For selected response items, the student can cross out an answer option to focus on the options you think might be correct.
Text-to-Speech	The student may select Speak from the context menu to hear the text read aloud. If Text-to-Speech Tracking is enabled, words become highlighted as TTS reads them aloud.
Tutorial	The Tutorial is a short video demonstrating how to respond to a particular question type. (Tutorials are also available on the <i>ClearSight</i> Portal.)

Table 3. Additional Accommodation/Accessibility Features

Tool Name	Description
Text automatically read to student: 	At applicable grade levels, the text of the question and/or options are read to the student or the student may click on the button to initiate the reading of the text. (Depending on the standard being measured and the grade level, this option may not be available.)
Student can click to hear text read: 	
Spanish Translations	Spanish translation can be turned on for a student for the Mathematics tests. Items will present in Spanish.
Braille*	The Braille presentation setting, in the Test Settings area, should be "Braille for any student that is testing with JAWS." Doing this will automatically enable streamlined mode, which arranges test content vertically.
Permissive Mode*	Permissive Mode is a TDS accommodation that allows students to use non-embedded assistive technology to complete tests in the Secure Browser. It must be turned on for any students testing with third-party assistive technology tools.
Color Choices	This setting provides numerous color combinations to support a student's visual needs. Examples: Black on Cream, Black on Green, Reverse Contrast, White on Navy.
Scribe	Students dictate their responses to a qualified person who records verbatim what they dictate.
Streamline Mode	Zoom levels set 5X or greater require streamlined mode to be turned on in TIDE. This will arrange the test content vertically.

*For more information on Braille and Permissive mode, please visit the Assistive Technology Manual.