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TABE® is the most comprehensive and reliable academic assessment product in the industry. TABE measures the skills required to succeed in today's global workforce, post-secondary education, and in-demand careers. More teachers, program administrators, and employers choose TABE than any other adult assessment in the country.

With TABE, you can select the components to match the needs of your students as well as your schedule and specific assessment goals. TABE and TABE CLAS-E™ tests combine to provide a flexible system of diagnostic assessments and instructional materials to meet the diverse needs of today's growing adult education market.



TESTS OF
ADULT BASIC
EDUCATION

TABE® 11&12 provides valid and reliable measurement of the skills needed to succeed, both on the job and in life. Available in both paper-pencil and online formats, TABE 11&12 is aligned with College and Career Readiness (CCR) standards and complies with today's rigorous Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) regulations.

[Learn More:](#) TABE 11&12 Brochure



ONLINE

TABE® Online is powered by DRC INSIGHT™, the industry-leading online assessment system used across the country. With DRC INSIGHT, you can add more flexibility and reliability to your testing program and have the option to deliver assessments both onsite and remotely.

[Learn More:](#) TABE Online

TABE 11&12 Content Areas

TABE 11&12 assesses the skills of students and potential employees in four key areas:

- Mathematics
- Language
- Reading
- Writing



TABE CLAS-E

TABE Complete Language Assessment System–English (TABE CLAS-E) is a coordinated system of assessments, instructional support, and staff development materials. TABE CLAS-E provides teachers with a reliable, easy-to-use system that accurately identifies the instructional needs of their ESL students and is appropriate for all levels of adult ESL.

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TABE CLAS-E ONLINE

Simplify test administration with TABE CLAS-E Online—a secure, web-based version of TABE CLAS-E that is designed specifically for adult English language learners and delivered entirely online in the DRC INSIGHT testing platform.

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TABE CLAS-E Content Areas

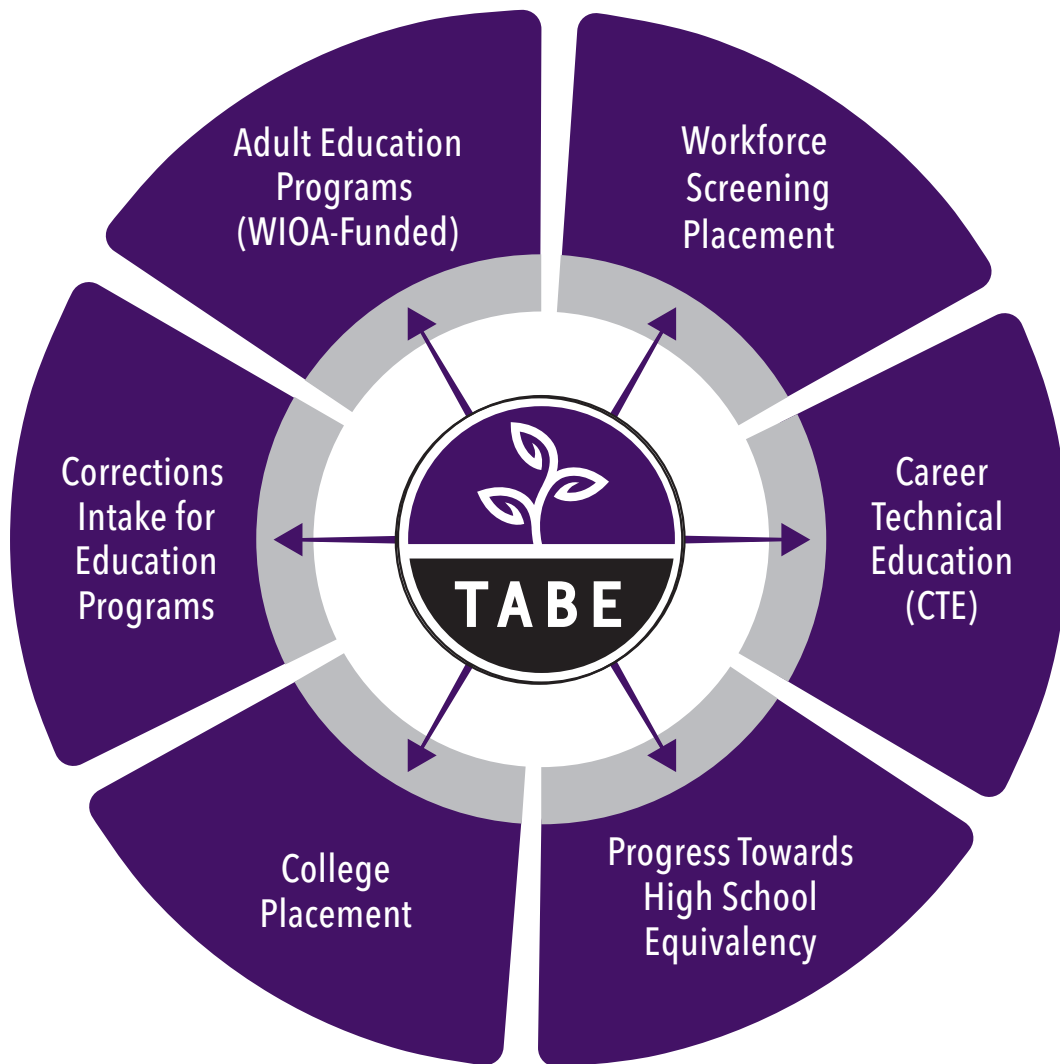
TABE CLAS-E assesses the language proficiency and skills of adult English language learners in four content areas:

- Reading
- Writing
- Listening
- Speaking

“One of the things that I love about TABE CLAS-E Online is that it tests all four areas: Listening, Speaking, Reading, and Writing. [It gives] me, as an educator, a comprehensive picture of where my student is when starting our program and where I need to take them.

The computer-based test is so much easier for students, as well as the scoring and the time constraints. It’s definitely an advantage to be able to test more than one person at a time at multiple levels. It’s just so much more convenient.”

- Tiffany Johnson, Director of Adult Education Victoria College



The Multiple Uses of TABE

No other assessment in the market provides what TABE does. TABE has always been a pathway for adult learners' progress, and now it can eliminate additional barriers to success. TABE is used for measuring learning gains in WIOA-funded adult education programs, corrections intake, workplace screening, and screening for entrance into post-secondary education.

With TABE, these multiple uses for one score and one test have the potential to remove barriers, eliminate the need for multiple assessments, and accelerate pathways to postsecondary opportunities.

“We looked at a number of other adult education assessments, and I really think TABE offers the best in terms of understanding what a learner brings to the table, what they already know, and what they need to know. We love the diagnostics because it helps instructors clue in on what their learners need.”

- Ginger Hilleary, Program Manager
Piedmont Regional Adult and Career
Education Programs



TABE FOR ADULT BASIC EDUCATION

For over 50 years, TABE has provided a solid foundation for assessing the skills and knowledge of adult learners. TABE is a federally approved tool used to measure learning gains in Adult Education programs.

Educators use TABE to:

- Place a student at the proper level in an adult basic education program
- Diagnose each student's specific strengths and needs
- Track the progress of individual students before and after testing
- Assess a student's mastery of basic academic skills needed for a particular career path
- Assist in making decisions about training and assignments in employment

TABE measures the basic academic skills commonly found in adult education curricula taught in high school and adult instructional programs. TABE is regularly updated to fit the latest needs—it reflects a changing job market and the new skills that today's jobs require.

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TABE as a Pathway to High School Equivalency

States across the country have begun adopting new approaches to increase the options available to adults seeking their High School Equivalency (HSE). These states recognize that providing more than one path to an HSE means a shorter journey to post-secondary education and career training and a quicker return to the workforce. To support this need, DRC researchers created a concordance between TABE and the national High School Equivalency (HSE) tests. In addition to showing predicted HSE test scores, this concordance supports the use of TABE as an alternative pathway to a high school diploma.

By taking advantage of the concordance to TABE, states can get data about what a person needs to earn their HSE diploma and enter (or return to) the workforce.

[Learn More: TABE to HSE Test Concordance](#)



TABE FOR EMPLOYERS AND THE WORKFORCE

An accurate assessment of real-world skills is critical to job success—at any level. The TABE suite of assessments helps you make informed decisions about hiring, training, and employee advancement. From the most basic skill levels and English language proficiency through college-level performance, you get an accurate assessment of each individual's strengths and weaknesses to place the right person in the right job at the right time.

TABE scores are used as a tool for a range of workforce and employment needs, such as Job Corps, workplace screening, training placement, and labor apprentice programs.

Employers and workforce centers use TABE to:

- Meet their clients' goals for employment
- Diagnose skill strengths and deficiencies
- Differentiate between job candidates based on measurable skills

TABE provides more than just a score—it reports the real-world skills that a client has demonstrated.

Additionally, researchers have gathered data to determine correlations between TABE scores and the U.S. Department of Labor's O*NET occupation-specific descriptors.

[Learn More: TABE for Business Brochure](#)



TABE FOR CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION (CTE) AND POSTSECONDARY OPPORTUNITIES

Career and Technical Education programs must prepare students for the high-skill, high-wage jobs of today's global economy. The ability to track your students' progress according to the OCTAE and College and Career Readiness requirements is critical to their future success. TABE helps you make informed decisions about student preparedness for industry-based credentials and in-demand occupations.

CTE programs use TABE to:

- Inform students and educators of a student's skill level in reading, writing, and math for entrance into CTE programs
- Focus on career readiness by measuring the skills that students need to succeed in the careers that will drive our economy
- Diagnose learning loss/gaps and target instruction with a direct link to individual learning plans
- Place students in community and technical colleges

Whether helping students prepare for industry certification, job training, or continued education after high school, TABE will meet the needs of your CTE program.

[Learn More:](#) Career and Technical Education Brochure



FLEXIBLE TEST ADMINISTRATION OPTIONS

The TABE family of assessments provides greater flexibility in assessment delivery, making it easy to schedule and manage testing for a variety of needs.



Online Testing

Simplify test administration and reporting with DRC INSIGHT™—the ideal, convenient online testing platform that saves you time and resources and provides rapid results.



Remote Testing

Remotely proctor live test sessions from anywhere, at any time, with our remote test administration options.



Offline Digital Testing

Correctional and other non-internet-based programs can use our offline digital solution to deliver computer-based tests when an internet connection is not possible within secure facilities.



Paper and Pencil Testing

Paper-based and alternate formats are available to meet every learner's needs, including local scanning options that significantly reduce costs for paper tests.

[Learn More:](#) Remote Proctoring Options

“[Remote testing] has really alleviated transportation barriers and even childcare problems sometimes. It’s been going very well. . . . Now I can communicate with someone on the other side of the country, see them face to face, deliver an assessment, put them in a class, and teach them—all remotely. We have amazing potential with this to emerge as a better and improved program.”

- Tiffany Johnson, Director
of Adult Education
Victoria College

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TABE suite of assessments,
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