#### **AQuESTT Evidence-Based Analysis (District)**



### **Evidence-Based Analysis (EBA)**

The purpose of this Evidence-Based Analysis (EBA) is to obtain information supporting AQuESTT processes required by <u>Neb. Rev. Stat. Sections</u> 79-760.06 and 79-760.07. This information will also guide the prioritization of statewide investments towards AQuESTT Systems of Support.

Your responses should be reflective of \${e://Field/District} during the 2016-2017 school year.

It is important that you provide an accurate and honest response. Please give thoughtful consideration to school processes that provide support or evidence for your selections. Completion of the EBA does <u>NOT</u> require you to assemble or submit such evidence. However, the Nebraska Department of Education reserves the right to request evidence for your selections. Your responses will be publicly displayed on school and district profiles.

To assist you, please use this guide as you complete the EBA: Technical Assistance Guide

As you move through the EBA, your responses will be saved automatically. There is no need to click any sort of "save" button. If you must close your web prowser before completing the EBA, simply return and complete any remaining items.

If you have any questions, please direct an email to <a href="mailto:nde.aquestt@nebraska.gov">nde.aquestt@nebraska.gov</a> for support.



To begin, the next five questions ask about specific policies, practices, and procedures related to Positive Partnerships, Relationships, and Student Success.

To what extent does your school district perform the following?

Please refer to this rubric as a guide to help you select the most appropriate response to each statement: <a href="PPSS">PPSS</a>
<a href="Rubric (District)">Rubric (District)</a>

|   | Never<br>(Not<br>at All) | Seldom<br>(To a<br>Limited<br>Extent) | Sometimes<br>(To a<br>Moderate<br>Extent) | Usually<br>(To a<br>Great<br>Extent) | Always<br>(All the<br>Time) |
|---|--------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. The school district partners with community groups and support services for the academic success and healthy social and emotional development for all students.  | 0                        | $\circ$                               | $\circ$                                   | $\bigcirc$                           | $\bigcirc$                  |
| 2. The school district implements strategies to increase family attendance and participation at school activities.  | $\bigcirc$               | $\bigcirc$                            |   | $\bigcirc$                           | $\bigcirc$                  |
| 3. School district leadership collaboratively develop and communicate clear expectations for a safe, clean, and healthy learning environment with all stakeholders. | 0                        | 0                                     | $\circ$                                   | $\bigcirc$                           | $\bigcirc$                  |
| 4. The school district implements data-informed strategies for measuring and addressing student engagement.   | $\bigcirc$               | $\bigcirc$                            |   | $\bigcirc$                           | $\bigcirc$                  |
| 5. The school district implements strategies to support all students in monitoring and managing their own learning as well as meet curriculum competencies.         | $\circ$                  | 0                                     | 0   | $\circ$                              |                             |
| If you would like to provide clarifying comments for your responsibelow:  | ses abov                 | re, you m                             | do so in th                               | e text bo                            | xes                         |
| Partnerships with community groups and support services      Strategies for family attendance and participation   |                          |                                       |   |                                      |                             |
| 3. Clear expectations for safe, clean, and healthy schools  |                          |                                       |   |                                      |                             |
| 4. Measuring and addressing student engagement  |                          |                                       |   |                                      |                             |
| 5. Strategies to support all students in monitoring and managing  | ng learni                | ng                                    |   |                                      |                             |
|   |                          |                                       |   |                                      |                             |

## AQuESTT Systems of Support: Positive Partnerships, Relationships, and Student Success

The next section asks about Systems of Support related to Positive Partnerships, Relationships, and Student Success. The items below correspond with the numbered statements in the previous section.

This information will be used to prioritize statewide investments and will <u>NOT</u> impact your AQuESTT classification.

Please indicate what type of support, if any, might be needed at your school district. Also, mark if your school district has an exemplary model of best practice you would be willing to share for the benefit of Nebraska schools.

| For definitions on each type of support, please cl                                     | ick here: De         | fining Support T            | <u>ypes</u>        |                  |
|--|----------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------|------------------|
|  | Type of Su           | upport (check all           | that apply)        | Exemplary Model  |
|  | Technical<br>Support | Professional<br>Development | Other<br>Resources | Willing to Share |
| Partnerships with community groups and support services                                |                      | (0)                         |                    |                  |
| 2. Strategies for family attendance and participation                                  |                      |                             |                    |                  |
| 3. Clear expectations for safe, clean, and healthy schools                             | 101                  |                             |                    |                  |
| 4. Measuring and addressing student engagement   |                      |                             |                    |                  |
| 5. Strategies to support all students in monitoring and managing learning              |                      |                             |                    |                  |
| POSITIVE PARTNI<br>AND STUDENT SU  |                      |                             | TIONSH             | IPS              |
| In the previous section, you identified a need for Relationships, and Student Success. | other resou          | ırces" in support           | of Positive F      | Partnerships,    |
| Please describe what "other resources" are need  | led at your s        | school district for         | the following      | g:               |
| 1. Partnerships with community groups and sup  | port servic          | es                          |                    |                  |
|  |                      |                             |                    |                  |

2. Strategies for family attendance and participation

| 3. Clear expectations for safe, clean, and healthy schools  |
|---|
|   |
| 4. Measuring and addressing student engagement  |
|   |
| 5. Strategies to support all students in monitoring and managing learning   |
|   |
| You also indicated that your school district has an exemplary model of best practice you would be willing to share for the benefit of Nebraska schools. |
| Please upload resources showcasing your model of best practice for the following:   |
| 1. Partnerships with community groups and support services  |
| 2. Strategies for family attendance and participation   |
| 3. Clear expectations for safe, clean, and healthy schools  |
| 4. Measuring and addressing student engagement  |
| 5. Strategies to support all students in monitoring and managing learning   |

The next five questions ask about policies, practices, and procedures related to student Transitions.

To what extent does your school district perform the following?

4. Processes to ensure the preparedness of incoming students

Please refer to this rubric as a guide to help you select the most appropriate response to each statement: TRANS Rubric (District)

Seldom Sometimes Usually

|   | Never<br>(Not<br>at All) | (To a<br>Limited<br>Extent) | (To a<br>Moderate<br>Extent) | (To a<br>Great<br>Extent) | Always<br>(All the<br>Time) |
|---|--------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. The school district follows a systematic process to support on-time grade completion for all students.   | $\bigcirc$               |                             | 10                           |                           | $\bigcirc$                  |
| 2. The school district follows a systematic process for addressing the educational needs of highly mobile students.   | $\bigcirc$               | (6)                         |                              | $\bigcirc$                | $\bigcirc$                  |
| 3. The school district follows a systematic process to identify and support students at risk of dropping out.   |                          |                             | $\bigcirc$                   | $\bigcirc$                | $\bigcirc$                  |
| 4. The school district implements processes to help all incoming students be prepared for elementary, middle, and high school.  | b                        | $\bigcirc$                  | $\circ$                      | 0                         | 0                           |
| 5. The school district implements strategies to support the successful transition of all students from elementary to middle school, from middle to high school, and from high school to post-high school opportunities. | $\bigcirc$               | $\circ$                     | $\circ$                      | 0                         | $\circ$                     |
| f you would like to provide clarifying comments for your responsorelow:  1. Process to support on time grade completion   | ses abov                 | e, you ma                   | ay do so in th               | ne text bo                | xes                         |
| 2. Process for addressing the needs of highly mobile students   |                          |                             |                              |                           |                             |
| 3. Process to identify and support students at risk of dropping   | out                      |                             |                              |                           |                             |
|   |                          |                             |                              |                           |                             |

| 5. Strategies to support transition from element from high school to post-high school opportunit  | •                    | e school, from              | middle schoo        | ol to high school, and |
|---|----------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|------------------------|
| TRANSITIONS   | ) a (                |                             |                     |                        |
| AQuESTT Systems of Support: Transi  | tions                |                             |                     |                        |
| The next section asks about Systems of Support with the numbered statements in the previous se  |                      | tudent Transitio            | ns. The items       | s below correspond     |
| This information will be used to prioritize state classification.   | tewide inve          | stments and w               | ill <u>NOT</u> impa | ect your AQuESTT       |
| Please indicate what type of support, if any, might district has an exemplary model of best practice schools.   |                      |                             |                     |                        |
| For definitions on each type of support, please c   | lick here: De        | fining Support              | Гуреѕ               |                        |
|   | Type of Su           | pport (check all            | that apply)         | Exemplary Model        |
|   | Technical<br>Support | Professional<br>Development | Other<br>Resources  | Willing to Share       |
| 1. Process to support on-time grade completion  |                      |                             |                     |                        |
| 2. Process for addressing the needs of highly mobile students   |                      |                             |                     |                        |
| 3. Process to identify and support students at risk of dropping out   |                      |                             |                     |                        |
| 4. Processes to ensure the preparedness of incoming students  |                      |                             |                     |                        |
| 5. Strategies to support transition from elementary to middle school, from middle school to high school, and from high school to post-high school opportunities |                      |                             |                     |                        |



| In the previous section, you identified a need for "other resources" in support of student Transitions.  |
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| Please describe what "other resources" are needed at your school district for the following:   |
| 1. Process to support on-time grade completion   |
| 2. Process for addressing the needs of highly mobile students  |
| 3. Process to identify and support students at risk of dropping out  |
| 4. Processes to ensure the preparedness of incoming students   |
| 5. Strategies to support transition from elementary to middle school, from middle school to high school, and from high school to post-high school opportunities  |
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| You also indicated that your school district has an exemplary model of best practice you would be willing to share for the benefit of Nebraska schools.  Please upload resources showcasing your model of best practice for the following: |
| 1. Process to support on-time grade completion   |
| 2. Process for addressing the needs of highly mobile students  |
| 3. Process to identify and support students at risk of dropping out  |

| 4. Processes to ensure the preparedness of incoming students   | s             |                            |                                |                |                    |
|--|---------------|----------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------|--------------------|
| 4. I rocesses to ensure the prepareuness of mooning students   | 3             |                            |                                |                |                    |
| 5. Strategies to support transition from elementary to middle s<br>from high school to post-high school opportunities  | school, fre   | om middl                   | e school to h                  | igh scho       | ol, and            |
| EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUGE AND ACCESS   | NITIE         | s                          | 1                              |                |                    |
| The next five questions ask about policies, practices, and proce   | edures rel    | ated to E                  | ducational O                   | pportunit      | ies and            |
| Access.  | , (           | <b>)</b>                   |                                |                |                    |
|  |               |                            |                                |                |                    |
|  |               |                            |                                |                |                    |
| To what extent does your school district perform the following?  | 11            |                            |                                |                |                    |
|  | st appropr    | iate respo                 | onse to each                   |                |                    |
| To what extent does your school district perform the following?  Please refer to this rubric as a guide to help you select the most statement: EDOP Rubric (District)  | st appropr    | iate respo                 | onse to each                   |                |                    |
| Please refer to this rubric as a guide to help you select the mos  | Never<br>(Not | Seldom<br>(To a<br>Limited | Sometimes                      | (To a<br>Great |                    |
| Please refer to this rubric as a guide to help you select the mos  | Never<br>(Not | Seldom<br>(To a<br>Limited | Sometimes<br>(To a<br>Moderate | (To a<br>Great | Always<br>(All the |
| Please refer to this rubric as a guide to help you select the most statement: EDOP Rubric (District)  1. The school district offers students before school or after  | Never<br>(Not | Seldom<br>(To a<br>Limited | Sometimes<br>(To a<br>Moderate | (To a<br>Great | Always<br>(All the |
| Please refer to this rubric as a guide to help you select the most statement: EDOP Rubric (District)  1. The school district offers students before school or after school opportunities for expanded learning.  2. The school district supplements in-person classroom  | Never<br>(Not | Seldom<br>(To a<br>Limited | Sometimes<br>(To a<br>Moderate | (To a<br>Great | Always<br>(All the |
| Please refer to this rubric as a guide to help you select the most statement: EDOP Rubric (District)  1. The school district offers students before school or after school opportunities for expanded learning.  2. The school district supplements in-person classroom instruction with digital learning opportunities for students.  3. The school district has an embedded process to develop, implement, review, and modify a Targeted Improvement Plan  | Never<br>(Not | Seldom<br>(To a<br>Limited | Sometimes<br>(To a<br>Moderate | (To a<br>Great | Always<br>(All the |
| Please refer to this rubric as a guide to help you select the most statement: EDOP Rubric (District)  1. The school district offers students before school or after school opportunities for expanded learning.  2. The school district supplements in-person classroom instruction with digital learning opportunities for students.  3. The school district has an embedded process to develop, implement, review, and modify a Targeted Improvement Plan (TIP) within its school improvement process.  4. The school district aligns educational opportunities to the | Never<br>(Not | Seldom<br>(To a<br>Limited | Sometimes<br>(To a<br>Moderate | (To a<br>Great | Always<br>(All the |

1. Before or after school opportunities

| 2. Supplementing in-person classroom instruction   | on with digit       | al learning opp  | ortunities   |                  |
|--|---------------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|
| 3. Processes relating to a Target Improvement P  | lan (TIP)           |                  |              |                  |
| 4. Aligning educational opportunities to the need  | ds of all stud      | lents            |              |                  |
|  |                     |                  | 1            |                  |
| 5. Evaluating new educational programs   |                     | 7                | 11/          |                  |
|  |                     | . ()             | •            |                  |
|  |                     |                  |              |                  |
| EDUCATIONAL OF AND ACCESS  | PPORT               | JNITIES          |              |                  |
| AQuESTT Systems of Support: Education  | tional Opp          | ortunities a     | nd Access    | 3                |
| The next section asks about Systems of Support below correspond with the numbered statements.  This information will be used to prioritize state classification. | in the previ        | ous section.     |              |                  |
|  |                     |                  |              |                  |
| Please indicate what type of support, if any, might district has an exemplary model of best practice schools.  |                     |                  |              | •                |
| For definitions on each type of support, please cl   | ick here: <u>De</u> | fining Support 1 | <u>Types</u> |                  |
|  | Type of Su          | pport (check all | that apply)  | Exemplary Model  |
|  | Technical           | Professional     | Other        |                  |
|  | Support             | Development      | Resources    | Willing to Share |
| 1. Before or after school opportunities  |                     |                  |              |                  |
| 2. Supplementing in-person classroom instruction with digital learning opportunities   |                     |                  |              |                  |

|  | Type of Su<br>Technical<br>Support | ipport (check all<br>Professional<br>Development | that apply) Other Resources | Exemplary Model Willing to Share |
|--|------------------------------------|--|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 3. Processes relating to a Target Improvement Plan (TIP)           |                                    |  |                             |                                  |
| 4. Aligning educational opportunities to the needs of all students |                                    |  |                             |                                  |
| 5. Evaluating new educational programs                             |                                    |  |                             |                                  |
| EDUCATIONAL OF AND ACCESS  | PPORT                              | JNITIES  |                             |                                  |
| In the previous section, you identified a need for Access.         | other resou                        | rces" in support                                 | of Education                | nal Opportunities and            |
| Please describe what "other resources" are need                    | ded at your s                      | school district fo                               | r the following             | g:                               |
| Before or after school opportunities                               |                                    | N  |                             |                                  |
| 2. Supplementing in-person classroom instructi                     | on with digit                      | tal learning oppo                                | ortunities                  |                                  |
| 3. Processes relating to a Target Improvement F                    | Plan (TIP)                         |  |                             |                                  |
| 4. Aligning educational opportunities to the need                  | ds of all stud                     | dents  |                             |                                  |
| 5. Evaluating new educational programs                             |                                    |  |                             |                                  |
|  |                                    |  |                             |                                  |

You also indicated that your school district has an exemplary model of best practice you would be willing to share for the benefit of Nebraska schools.

| Please upload resources showcasing your model of best practic  | e for the               | following  | :   |                                      |                             |
|--|-------------------------|------------|---|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. Before or after school opportunities  |                         |            |   |                                      |                             |
| 2. Supplementing in-person classroom instruction with digital leading to the second contract of the second contrac | earning                 | opportun   | ities                                     |                                      |                             |
| 3. Processes relating to a Target Improvement Plan (TIP)   |                         |            | 7   |                                      |                             |
| 4. Aligning educational opportunities to the needs of all student  | ts C                    |            |   |                                      |                             |
| 5. Evaluating new educational programs   |                         |            |   |                                      |                             |
| COLLEGE AND CAREER RI  | EADY                    | ,          |   |                                      |                             |
| The next five questions ask about policies, practices, and proced  | dures rel               | ated to C  | ollege and C                              | areer Re                             | adiness.                    |
| To what extent does your school district perform the following?  |                         |            |   |                                      |                             |
| Please refer to this rubric as a guide to help you select the most Rubric (District)   | appropr                 | iate respo | onse to each                              | statemer                             | nt: <u>CCR</u>              |
|  | Never<br>(Not<br>at All |            | Sometimes<br>(To a<br>Moderate<br>Extent) | Usually<br>(To a<br>Great<br>Extent) | Always<br>(All the<br>Time) |
| 1. The school district utilizes a fully developed and written curriculum aligned to the <u>Nebraska Content Area Standards</u> .   | $\bigcirc$              | $\bigcirc$ | $\circ$                                   | $\bigcirc$                           | $\bigcirc$                  |

|   | Never<br>(Not<br>at All | (To a<br>Limited<br>Extent) | (To a<br>Moderate<br>Extent) | (To a<br>Great<br>Extent) | Always<br>(All the<br>Time) |
|---|-------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 2. The school district integrates the <u>Nebraska Career Readiness</u> <u>Standards</u> into all content areas.   | $\bigcirc$              | $\bigcirc$                  | $\bigcirc$                   | $\bigcirc$                | $\bigcirc$                  |
| 3. The school district curriculum is systematically reviewed and modified through a collaborative process.  | $\bigcirc$              | $\bigcirc$                  | $\circ$                      | $\bigcirc$                | $\bigcirc$                  |
| 4. The school district partners to provide students with expanded learning opportunities including career-related field trips, service learning, work-based learning, or internships. | $\circ$                 | $\circ$                     | 0                            | 0                         | 0                           |
| 5. The school district provides every student with classroom instruction and expanded learning opportunities that focus on career awareness, exploration, and preparation.            | 0                       | $\bigcirc$                  | 0                            | 0                         |                             |
| If you would like to provide clarifying comments for your respons below:  | es abov                 | e, you ma                   | y do so in th                | e text bo                 | xes                         |
| Curriculum development and alignment to Content Area Stan   | dards                   |                             |                              |                           |                             |
| Integration of Career Readiness Standards into all content ar     Systematic and collaborative curriculum review  | eas                     |                             |                              |                           |                             |
| 4. Partnerships for expanded learning opportunities   |                         |                             |                              |                           |                             |
| 5. Career awareness, exploration, and preparation instruction   |                         |                             |                              |                           |                             |
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### COLLEGE AND CAREER READY

AQuESTT Systems of Support: College and Career Ready

The next section asks about Systems of Support related to College and Career Readiness. The items below correspond with the numbered statements in the previous section.

This information will be used to prioritize statewide investments and will <u>NOT</u> impact your AQuESTT classification.

Please indicate what type of support, if any, might be needed at your school district. Also, mark if your school district has an exemplary model of best practice you would be willing to share for the benefit of Nebraska schools.

For definitions on each type of support, please click here: <u>Defining Support Types</u>

|  | Type of Su           | ıpport (check al            | I that apply)      | Exemplary Model  |  |  |
|--|----------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------|------------------|--|--|
|  | Technical<br>Support | Professional<br>Development | Other<br>Resources | Willing to Share |  |  |
| Curriculum development and alignment to     Content Area Standards   |                      |                             |                    |                  |  |  |
| 2. Integration of Career Readiness Standards into all content areas  |                      | 7                           |                    |                  |  |  |
| 3. Systematic and collaborative curriculum review  |                      |                             |                    |                  |  |  |
| 4. Partnerships for expanded learning opportunities  | 7                    |                             |                    |                  |  |  |
| 5. Career awareness, exploration, and preparation instruction  |                      |                             |                    |                  |  |  |
| COLLEGE AND CAREER READY  In the previous section, you identified a need for "other resources" in support of College and Career Readiness. |                      |                             |                    |                  |  |  |
| Please describe what "other resources" are need  | ed at your s         | chool district fo           | r the following    | g:               |  |  |
| 1. Curriculum development and alignment to Cor   | ntent Area S         | tandards                    |                    |                  |  |  |
|  |                      |                             |                    |                  |  |  |
| 2. Integration of Career Readiness Standards int   | o all conten         | t areas                     |                    |                  |  |  |
|  |                      |                             |                    |                  |  |  |

3. Systematic and collaborative curriculum review

| 4. Partnerships for expanded learning opportunities   |
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|   |
| 5. Career awareness, exploration, and preparation instruction   |
|   |
| You also indicated that your school district has an exemplary model of best practice you would be willing to share for the benefit of Nebraska schools. |
| Please upload resources showcasing your model of best practice for the following:   |
| 1. Curriculum development and alignment to Content Area Standards   |
| 2. Integration of Career Readiness Standards into all content/areas   |
| 3. Systematic and collaborative curriculum review   |
| 4. Partnerships for expanded learning opportunities   |
| 5. Career awareness, exploration, and preparation instruction   |
|   |

ASSESSMENT

The next five questions ask about policies, practices, and procedures related to Assessment.

To what extent does your school district perform the following?

Please refer to this rubric as a guide to help you select the most appropriate response to each statement: ASSESS Rubric (District)

|   | Never<br>(Not<br>at All) | (То а      | (To a<br>Moderate<br>Extent) | (To a<br>Great<br>Extent) | Always<br>(All the<br>Time) |
|---|--------------------------|------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. The school district has a process to ensure assessments in use are reliable, valid, and appropriate for the students being assessed.   | 0                        | $\circ$    | $\circ$                      | $\bigcirc$                | $\bigcirc$                  |
| 2. Teachers utilize a balanced assessment system that includes formative, interim, and summative assessments to inform instruction, monitor progress, and evaluate student learning for all content areas and grade levels. | $\bigcirc$               |            | 10                           | 0                         | 0                           |
| 3. Assessment information and results are shared in a timely and specific manner with teachers, administrators, students, parents, and the community at large.  | 0                        | 6          |                              |                           |                             |
| 4. Written standards-driven grading policies are shared with students and parents.  | 6                        |            | $\bigcirc$                   | $\bigcirc$                | $\bigcirc$                  |
| 5. The school district utilizes perceptual data about the thoughts of stakeholders (e.g., opinions, views, beliefs, convictions, sentiments) to inform and adjust practices, policies, and procedures.                      | 0                        | 0          | 0                            | $\circ$                   | $\circ$                     |
| If you would like to provide clarifying comments for your response below:  1. Process to ensure reliable, valid, and appropriate assessment   |                          | re, you ma | ay do so in th               | e text bo                 | xes                         |
|   |                          |            |                              |                           |                             |
| 2. Utilizing balanced assessment system   |                          |            |                              |                           |                             |
|   |                          |            |                              |                           |                             |
| 3. Sharing assessment results in a timely manner  |                          |            |                              |                           |                             |
|   |                          |            |                              |                           |                             |
| 4. Establishing and sharing grading policies and standards  |                          |            |                              |                           |                             |

# 5. Utilizing perceptual data

# ASSESSMENT

#### **AQuESTT Systems of Support: Assessment**

The next section asks about Systems of Support related to Assessment. The items below correspond with the numbered statements in the previous section.

This information will be used to prioritize statewide investments and will <u>NOT</u> impact your AQuESTT classification.

Please indicate what type of support, if any, might be needed at your school district. Also, mark if your school district has an exemplary model of best practice you would be willing to share for the benefit of Nebraska schools.

For definitions on each type of support, please click here: Defining Support Types

|   | Type of Sc           | pport (check all            | Exemplary Model    |                  |
|---|----------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------|------------------|
|   | Technical<br>Support | Professional<br>Development | Other<br>Resources | Willing to Share |
| 1. Process to ensure reliable, valid, and appropriate assessments |                      |                             |                    |                  |
| 2. Utilizing balanced assessment system                           |                      |                             |                    |                  |
| 3. Sharing assessment results in a timely manner                  |                      |                             |                    |                  |
| 4. Establishing and sharing grading policies and standards        |                      |                             |                    |                  |
| 5. Utilizing perceptual data                                      |                      |                             |                    |                  |



In the previous section, you identified a need for "other resources" in support of Assessment.

Please describe what "other resources" are needed at your school district for the following:

1. Process to ensure reliable, valid, and appropriate assessments

| 2. Utilizing balanced assessment system  |
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|  |
| 3. Sharing assessment results in a timely manner   |
| 4. Establishing and sharing grading policies and standards   |
|  |
| 5. Utilizing perceptual data   |
|  |
| You also indicated that your school district has an exemplary model of best practice you would be willing to share for the benefit of Nebraska schools.  Please upload resources showcasing your model of best practice for the following: |
| 1. Process to ensure reliable, valid, and appropriate assessments  |
| 2. Utilizing balanced assessment system  |
| 3. Sharing assessment results in a timely manner   |
| 4. Establishing and sharing grading policies and standards   |



### **EDUCATOR EFFECTIVENESS**

In the final section, the next five questions ask about policies, practices, and procedures related to Educator Effectiveness.

To what extent does your school district perform the following?

Please refer to this rubric as a guide to help you select the most appropriate response to each statement: EDEFF Rubric (District)

|   | N                        |                             | Sometimes                    | ,                         | <b>A</b> I                  |
|---|--------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|
|   | Never<br>(Not<br>at All) | (To a<br>limited<br>Extent) | (To a<br>Moderate<br>Extent) | (To a<br>Great<br>Extent) | Always<br>(All the<br>Time) |
| 1. The school district utilizes data-informed strategies for measuring and addressing teacher engagement.   | 0                        | $\bigcirc$                  |                              | $\bigcirc$                | $\bigcirc$                  |
| 2. The school district utilizes a research-based instructional model aligned to the Nebraska Teacher and Principal Performance Framework (NTPPF). | 0                        | $\bigcirc$                  | 0                            |                           | $\bigcirc$                  |
| 3. The school district utilizes a formal staff evaluation process aligned to the Nebraska Evaluation Moder for Teachers and Principals.           | 0                        | $\bigcirc$                  | 0                            | 0                         | $\bigcirc$                  |
| 4. The school district develops an annual professional learning plan that supports continuous improvement.  | $\bigcirc$               | $\bigcirc$                  | $\bigcirc$                   | $\bigcirc$                | $\bigcirc$                  |
| 5. The school district technology in frastructure meets the teaching and learning needs of faculty and staff.                                     | 0                        | $\bigcirc$                  | 0                            |                           |                             |
| f you would like to provide clarifying comments for your response pelow:  | es above                 | , you ma                    | y do so in the               | e text bo                 | xes                         |
| 1. Measuring and addressing teacher engagement  |                          |                             |                              |                           |                             |
|   |                          |                             |                              |                           |                             |
| 2. Utilizing a research-based instructional model aligned to the  | NTPPF                    |                             |                              |                           |                             |
|   |                          |                             |                              |                           |                             |

| 3. Utilizing a formal staff evaluation process aligned to the Nebraska Evaluation Model for Teachers and Principals           |                      |  |                     |                  |  |  |  |
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|   |                      |  |                     |                  |  |  |  |
| 4. Developing a professional learning plan to su  | pport contir         | uous improvem  | ent                 |                  |  |  |  |
| 5. Technology to support teaching and learning  |                      |  |                     |                  |  |  |  |
| EDUCATOR EFFE  AQuESTT Systems of Support: Educa  |                      | The state of the s | J. Y                |                  |  |  |  |
| The next section asks about Systems of Support correspond with the numbered statements in the                                 |                      |  | eness. The it       | tems below       |  |  |  |
| This information will be used to prioritize staclassification.  | tewide inve          | stments and w  | ill <u>NOT</u> impa | ct your AQuESTT  |  |  |  |
| Please indicate what type of support, if any, mig district has an exemplary model of best practice schools.                   |                      | -  |                     | •                |  |  |  |
| For definitions on each type of support, please of  | click here: De       | efining Support  | <u>Types</u>        |                  |  |  |  |
|   | Type of Su           | upport (check all  | Exemplary Model     |                  |  |  |  |
|   | Technical<br>Support | Professional<br>Development  | Other<br>Resources  | Willing to Share |  |  |  |
| Measuring and addressing teacher engagement   |                      |  |                     |                  |  |  |  |
| 2. Utilizing a research-based instructional model aligned to the Nebraska Teacher and Principal Performance Framework (NTPPF) |                      |  |                     |                  |  |  |  |
| 3. Utilizing a formal staff evaluation process aligned to the Nebraska Evaluation Model for Teachers and Principals.          |                      |  |                     |                  |  |  |  |
| 4. Developing a professional learning plan to support continuous improvement  |                      |  |                     |                  |  |  |  |
| 5. Technology to support teaching and learning  |                      |  |                     |                  |  |  |  |



### **EDUCATOR EFFECTIVENESS**

| In the previous section, you identified a need for "other resources" in support of Educator Effectiveness.  |
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| Please describe what "other resources" are needed at your school district for the following:  |
| 1. Measuring and addressing teacher engagement  |
| 2. Utilizing a research-based instructional model aligned to the NTPPF  |
| 3. Utilizing a formal staff evaluation process aligned to the Nebraska Evaluation Model for Teachers and Principals                                     |
| 4. Developing a professional learning plan to support continuous improvement  |
| 5. Technology to support teaching and learning  |
| You also indicated that your school district has an exemplary model of best practice you would be willing to share for the benefit of Nebraska schools. |
| Please upload resources showcasing your model of best practice for the following:   |
| 1. Measuring and addressing teacher engagement  |

2. Utilizing a research-based instructional model aligned to the NTPPF

| 3. Utilizi | ng a forma | l staff evalı | uation proce | ss aligned t | o the Nebra | ska Evaluation | Model for | Teachers an | ıd |
|------------|------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|----------------|-----------|-------------|----|
| Principa   | ls         |               |              |              |             |                |           |             |    |

4. Developing a professional learning plan to support continuous improvement

5. Technology to support teaching and learning

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You have now completed the AQuESTT Evidence-Based Analysis (EBA).

Click on the "Submit" button below to transmit your responses to the Nebraska Department of Education. Please review all of your responses carefully as you will not be able to make any changes upon clicking the "Submit" button.

Once the EBA has been submitted, you will receive a confirmation email indicating that your responses have been received. A summary of your final responses will be displayed on the next page.

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