

# MontCAS Program Enhancements for 2020–2021

**Duane Schlabach** and the Assessment Team will hold a 1-hour session to discuss the Montana Comprehensive Assessment System's (MontCAS) program enhancements for this school year including (but not limited to) what's on the horizon, what's new, how to get started, and what tools and resources are available as local supports.

This focused webinar is designed to support educational practitioners such as district and school-level personnel involved in local assessment and accountability determinations and local data-driven decision-making actions and/or continuous improvement processes. If you are a Superintendent, Principal, System Test Coordinator, Curriculum Director, Data Specialist, K–12 Educator, or school building staff this session may be of interest to you.

**Once every month on Wednesday at 3:30 pm throughout the 2020–2021 school year.**

**Mark the calendar:** **[Wednesday, August 26, 2020]**

**Save the time:** **[3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.]**

The Assessment Team is inviting educational practitioners to learn more about balanced assessments systems and strategies for implementing high-quality local assessment/data literacy practices including creating local cultures and climates around data-driven decision-making. A total of 11 webinars will be offered during the 2020–2021 school year from August 2020 to June 2021. **This focused webinar will meet the following objectives:**

- Program Enhancements for 2020–2021;
- Key Dates and What's New?;
- What's on the Horizon?;
- Tools and Resources Available;
- Quick-Start Video Aids; and
- Open Forum for Questions/Clarifications.

The purpose of this focused webinar is to ensure you have advanced notice of what's planned this year and where to get the resources you need to support you with these preparation activities. This is a great opportunity for you to get an early start and seek readiness solutions for your school district.



*Join Duane and the Team  
for the focused webinar on  
“Program Enhancements  
for 2020–2021”*

Join the Assessment Team for a webinar focused on “Program Enhancements for 2020–2021”.

The Zoom computer login instructions are <https://mt.gov.zoom.us/j/93961875616> with the **Meeting ID: 939 6187 5616** or dial-in using your phone at **+1-646-558-8656** or **+1-406-444-9999** with **Meeting ID: 939 6187 5616**.

## Questions?

Contact the OPI Assessment Team at 1-844-867-2569 or e-mail at [OPIAssessmentHelpDesk@mt.gov](mailto:OPIAssessmentHelpDesk@mt.gov). This is the first Monthly Webinar for the 2020–21 school year and it will be recorded and posted to the [OPI Statewide Testing Page](#). If you would like to view it or any past recorded webinars, visit the [MontCAS Monthly Webinar page](#).