



## Introduction to DRC BEACON

DRC BEACON is an online interim assessment that illuminates student learning needs and measures student progress throughout the year. It allows grade 3–8 educators to target instruction and make informed decisions.

Because the test adapts to the student’s level, results have more relevant data in shorter time. In addition, fewer test items are needed to achieve results and reports supply specific data identifying the support a student needs. All of this translates to more time for instruction and learning.


Below are links to online training for educators and students. The **online user guide** offers comprehensive, searchable instructions on how to use the DRC Portal to administer DRC BEACON.

The **Training Modules for Educators** demonstrate how to complete key test administration tasks using the DRC Portal. These step-by-step videos feature audio narration and interactive reviews for enhanced learning.

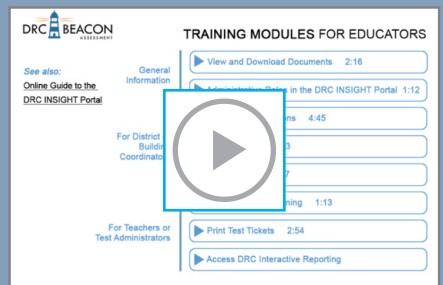
The **Student Tutorial** is a set of brief videos that introduces students to the DRC BEACON testing experience and offers students a preview of the testing tools. The Student Tutorial can be shown to a class or viewed by individual students. It is best used in combination with the **Online Tools Training (OTT)**. Students use the OTT to answer sample questions and practice with the testing tools. See “Access Student Training” in Training Modules for Educators for details.

CLICK THE LINKS BELOW TO ACCESS THE TRAINING

**for DRC BEACON**  
searchable online guide



**Training Modules  
for Educators for DRC BEACON**  
brief interactive videos



**Student Tutorial  
for DRC BEACON**  
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