



# PROCESS FOR INSTRUCTIONALLY EMBEDDED ASSESSMENTS

## 1 CHOOSE

Choose an Essential Element and linkage level for a student using the Instruction and Assessment Planner in Kite® Educator Portal.

*More than one Essential Element can be chosen at a time.*



**Check your state's page of the DLM® website for assessment window dates.**

## 2 TEACH

Provide instruction on the chosen Essential Element.

*The linkage level can be changed in the Instruction and Assessment Planner if the student demonstrates different skills during instruction.*



## 3 ASSESS

Return to the Instruction and Assessment Planner to assign a testlet for the chosen Essential Element and linkage level, which will be delivered in Kite Student Portal.

*The testlet's Testlet Information Page (TIP) is accessed directly in the Instruction and Assessment Planner.*



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## 5 REPEAT

Repeat the process throughout the assessment window.

## 4 EVALUATE

Consider the assessment results provided in the Instruction and Assessment Planner to plan continued instruction on the Essential Element assessed or move on to a different Essential Element.

*Student Progress Reports are also available in Educator Portal.*