



**STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA**  
**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** District Superintendents  
Instructional Leaders  
Special Education Directors  
English Language Arts Coordinators

**FROM:** Llewellyn Shealy  
Interim Director, Office of Assessment and Standards

**DATE:** July 25, 2023

**RE:** Supports for Educators from the Office of Assessment and Standards

The South Carolina Department of Education (SCDE) is pleased to announce the Office of Personalized Learning is joining the Office of Assessment and Standards (OAS). As part of our ongoing commitment to educators of South Carolina, the OAS is providing a variety of supportive opportunities and information. Menus of various professional development offerings that address high-frequency requests from schools and districts are available on the *Standards* and *Assessment Information* pages on the SCDE website under the *Districts & Schools* link. Additionally, a variety of assessment information, data, trainings, and special areas information and resources is also available within our *Standards* and *Assessment Information* webpages.

The OAS encourages educators to take advantage of resources, events, and professional development opportunities to enhance and strengthen their skills and knowledge or to obtain important information. To learn more, visit the *Assessment Information* webpage at <https://ed.sc.gov/tests/assessment-information/>, the *Assessment Quick Links for Teachers* webpage at <https://ed.sc.gov/tests/assessment-information/quick-links-for-teachers/>, the *Personalized Learning* webpage at <https://personalizesc.ed.sc.gov/>, and the *Standards* webpage at <https://ed.sc.gov/instruction/standards/>, or contact the respective Team Lead listed in the chart below.

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