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TO: Division Directors of Testing

FROM: Shelley Loving-Ryder, Assistant Superintendent  
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SUBJECT: Additional Webinar to Support Preparation for the First Administration of the  
New Virginia Alternate Assessment Program

In preparation for the 2021-2022 administration of the Virginia Alternate Assessment Program (VAAP), the Office of Student Assessment will provide an additional webinar for Division Directors of Testing. Special Education Directors may also attend this training. The webinar will include information on VAAP Examiner resources, test administration, test security, test irregularities, and considerations for local policies and procedures. Registration information is provided below.

Webinar Dates and Times (Session is repeated.)	Registration Links
Wednesday, January 19, 2022 1:00 p.m.– 2:30 p.m.	<a href="#">Select this text to register.</a>
Thursday, January 20, 2022 9:00 a.m. –10:30 a.m.	<a href="#">Select this text to register.</a>

After completing registration, individuals will receive a confirmation email from the Office of Student Assessment.

In addition to this training session, the Office of Student Assessment is developing a VAAP Examiner's Training in the form of a recorded presentation to ensure that consistent administration procedures are implemented across school divisions. This recording and the accompanying presentation slides will be made available to DDOTs in January, 2022, in the DDOT Application in the Single Sign-on for Web Systems (SSWS) portal. DDOTs will be notified by email once the presentation is available.

If you have questions about this webinar, please contact assessment staff at [Student\\_Assessment@doe.virginia.gov](mailto:Student_Assessment@doe.virginia.gov) or (804) 225-2102.

cc: Directors of Special Education