

Downtime Modification

Smarter Balanced recently confirmed that the four days of system downtime previously scheduled for Thursday through Sunday, April 10 - 13, has been reduced to three days.

The new downtime dates are: Friday, April 11 – Sunday, April 13. This means that the Field Test system will be **open for use on Thursday, April 10**.

The CSDE recognizes that schools have already built testing schedules knowing that the system would be down next Thursday and Friday, therefore, there is no need to disrupt these already-established schedules. However, schools may want to use Thursday, April 10 at their discretion -- for example, as a make-up day for students who missed earlier testing session(s).

Contact the Academic Office at 1-860-713-6860 or SmarterBalancedCT@ct.gov with questions regarding the Smarter Balanced Assessment System. View past Smarter Balanced Field Test Updates on the [CSDE Web site](#).