

# District Continuous Improvement & Support

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## Social and Emotional Learning LiveBinder

The CIS department has curated numerous resources related to social and emotional learning and leadership into an easy-to-navigate LiveBinder. Our [SEL LiveBinder](#) contains resources organized under the following topics:

- Guidance Documents
- Tools and Surveys
- Mental Health Resources
- Podcasts and Videos
- Websites
- Webinar PowerPoint Presentations
- Articles
- SEL Screeners

## **Career Technical Education Resources**

[Click here](#) to view the CTE Distance Teaching and Learning Monthly Newsletter. This hyperdoc newsletter has resources for professional development options, student opportunities, sector-specific guidance and resources, news and updates, and more.

[Click here](#) to access CDE's CTE Distance Learning Resource Document. This hyperdoc has planning templates, sample activities, educational technology resources, and more to support CTE educators during distance and hybrid learning.

## **Tools for Teachers - Smarter Balanced Website**

Smarter Balanced has now fully launched Tools for Teachers (account required for full access). It offers standards-based resources with lessons designed to enhance instruction, save teachers time in lesson planning, and help boost student learning. The lessons available in Tools for Teachers include recommended instructional strategies for meeting diverse student needs and were created by educators with a focus on using the formative assessment process during instruction.

The resources in Tools for Teachers, including the playlists, are great options to use during distance learning. To learn more, check out this four-minute

## Virtual, Self-Paced Training: “Using Assessment Data for Decision-Making” (CAASSPP)

Formerly known as “The Results Are In - Now What?”, these online training modules help educators use their own assessment data to make informed decisions about teaching and learning. Topics explored are:

- Module 1—What can data tell me about current student learning?
- Module 2—What does my data tell me?
- Module 3—How do I communicate about my data?
- Module 4—Making sense of Smarter Balanced data

To access the materials for this training, visit the [2020–21 CAASPP: Using Assessment Data for Decision-Making Registration](#) web page. After submitting the short registration form, you will receive an email containing a link to the training materials for download, including PowerPoint slides with notes and instructional videos for the four content modules.

Questions about this training can be directed to CalTAC by phone at 800-955-2954 or by email at [caltac@ets.org](mailto:caltac@ets.org).

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