EL Screener Tests Setup (Illinois)

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To accurately collect data used in the EL Screener Extract, certain tests need to be added to your Infinite Campus system. The EL Screener Extract reports students who have:

- At any time had an active enrollment in the selected calendar AND
- Have EL Screener Information populated in the Student Assessment tool within the start and end dates entered on the extract editor.

The following information provides instructions for creating the tests in the Assessment Center with the correct information selected to report the data on the EL Screener Extract.

Reported tests

The EL Screener Extract reports the following tests, which are considered the "Parent" test in the Assessment Center.

Code	Test Name	Code	Test Name
01	Pre-IPT (Pre-K)	**10**	W-APT
02	Pre-LAS 2000 (Pre-K)	**11**	Access for ELs Test Results from Another State
03	ELTPS (Pre-K)	**12**	Other State Assessment Results
04	Other ELPT (Pre-K)	**13**	Private School Student
05	Checklist (Pre-K)	**14**	WIDA Screener Online
06	Interview (Pre-K)	**15**	Private School Student
07	Observation (Pre-K)	**16**	EL Screener - WIDA K
08	Other Process (Pre-K)	**98**	Provisional Screener
09	MODE	**99**	Erroneous

For each test above, a series of subject matter "Child" tests must also be created, as listed in the table below:

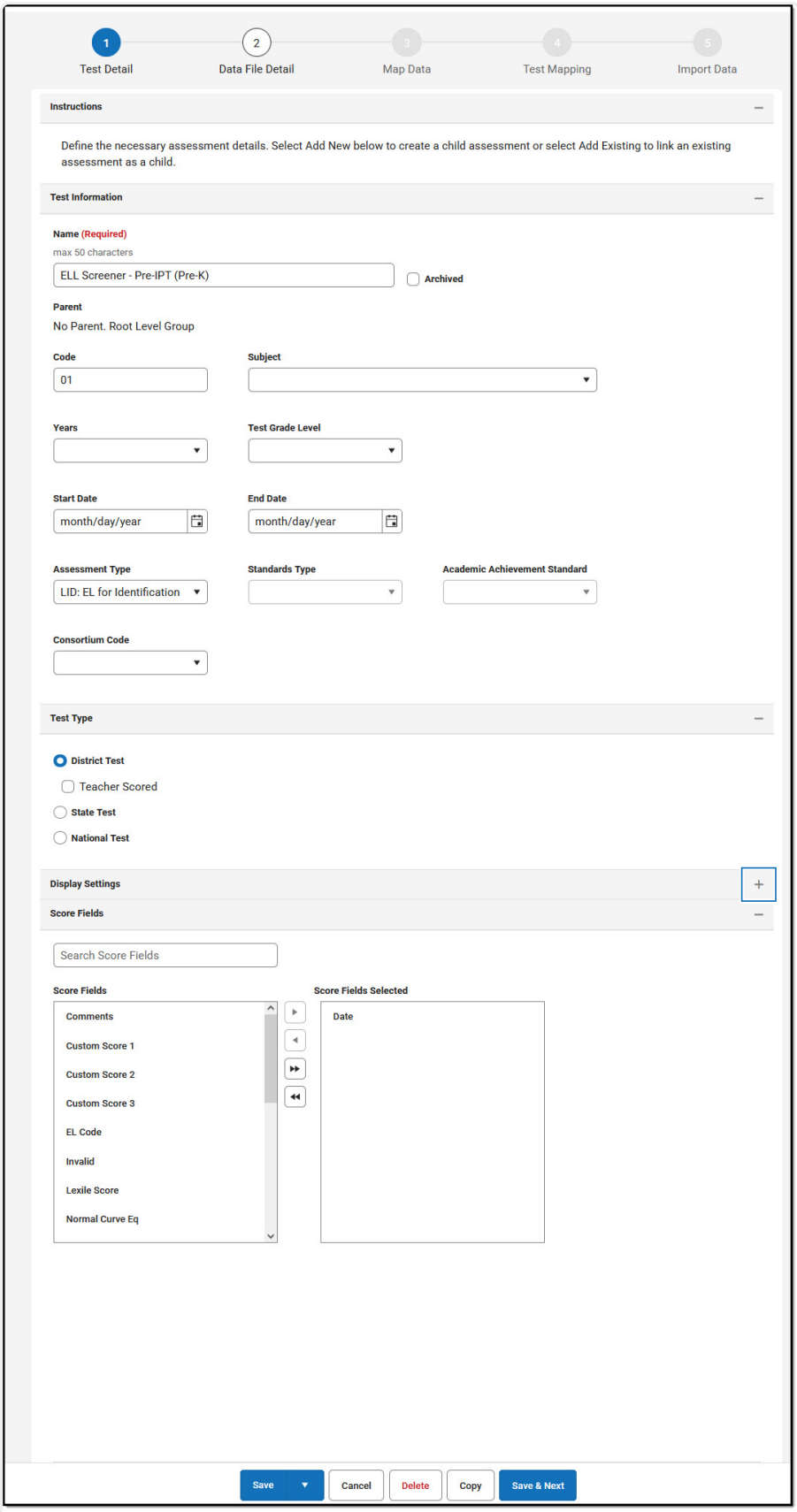
Code	Name
L	Listening
S	Speaking

Code	Name
R	Reading
W	Writing
Lit	Literacy
O	Oral
C	Composite

Create a parent test

Path: Student Information> Assessment Administration > Assessment Center

1. Navigate to the Assessment Center.
2. Select the **New** icon from the action bar to open the **Test Detail** editor.



Assessment Center- Test Detail Editor

3. Enter the **Name** of the test. Make sure it reflects that it is for the EL Screener.

4. Enter the **Code** of the parent test. See the Reported Tests section above for appropriate codes and test names.

5. Select the **Assessment Type** of **LID: LEP for Identification**.

6. Under **Test Type**, select **District Test**.

7. In the **Score Fields** section, mark the **Date** option.

8. All other fields should remain blank.

Create a child test

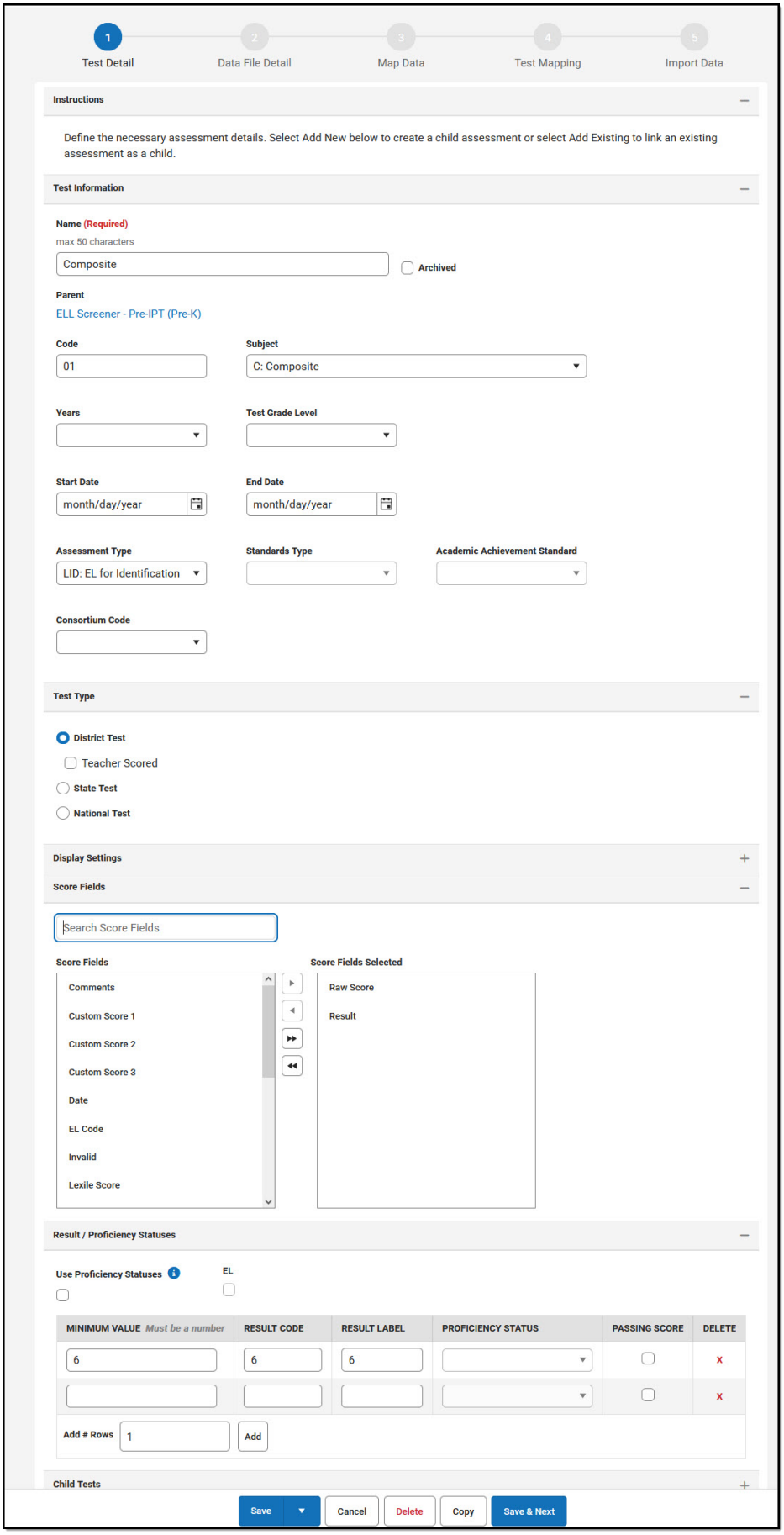
For each parent test created, at least seven child tests are needed. The Screener Extract reports the raw score and result score for each subject associated with the parent test.

1. Navigate to the **Child Test** section near the bottom of the Parent Test page. If needed, select the "+" symbol to expand the section.

2. Select the **Add New** icon from the action bar.



Add New Child Test


1 Test Detail
2 Data File Detail
3 Map Data
4 Test Mapping
5 Import Data
Instructions
Define the necessary assessment details. Select Add New below to create a child assessment or select Add Existing to link an existing assessment as a child.
Test Information
Name (Required)
max 50 characters
Composite
Archived
Parent
ELL Screener - Pre-IPT (Pre-K)
Code
01
Subject
C: Composite
Years
Test Grade Level
Start Date
month/day/year
End Date
month/day/year
Assessment Type
LID: EL for Identification
Standards Type
Academic Achievement Standard
Consortium Code
Test Type
District Test
Teacher Scored
State Test
National Test
Display Settings
Score Fields
Search Score Fields
Score Fields
Comments
Custom Score 1
Custom Score 2
Custom Score 3
Date
EL Code
Invalid
Lexile Score
Score Fields Selected
Raw Score
Result
Result / Proficiency Statuses
Use Proficiency Statuses
EL
MINIMUM VALUE Must be a number
RESULT CODE
RESULT LABEL
PROFICIENCY STATUS
PASSING SCORE
DELETE
6
6
6
Add # Rows
1
Add
Child Tests
Save
Cancel
Delete
Copy
Save & Next

3. Enter the **Name** of the test. It is advised that the name clearly reflect the subject of the EL Screener.

4. Enter the **Code** of the parent test.

5. Select the **Assessment Type** of **LID: LEP for Identification**.

6. Select the **Subject** for the child test. The necessary subjects are listed in the second table in the Reported Tests section above.

7. Under **Test Type**, select **District Test**.

8. In the **Score Fields** section, mark the **Raw Score** and **Result** options.

9. Create **Result Statuses** for reporting the **Result Code** for the test.

10. All other fields should remain blank.

11. Repeat this process for each subject needed.

Scores can be entered for the students who take the tests using the Student Assessment tool.