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TOOLS FOR ALL STUDENTS			
<p>Highlighting</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Electronically highlight text as needed to aid comprehension and recall. Available colors include yellow, pink, and blue. 	<p>Highlighters</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Highlight and extract text from any Google document or webpage. Available colors include yellow, blue, green, and pink. • Collect highlights by color and export them into a Google document.
<p>Masking</p> <p>Line Reader</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Covers an area of the item so they can focus on certain item elements. The student may uncover anything masked when ready. • Allows the student to use an onscreen tool to highlight lines of text as they read. 	<p>Screen Masking</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tint the screen using a choice of colors, like an overlay, with adjustable “unmasked” spotlight line size and level of transparency. • Underline the line the student is reading or typing on, with adjustable line thickness, color, and level of transparency also available.
<p>Text to Speech (math)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Read text aloud to the student using embedded text to speech software.* 	<p>Text to Speech</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Read text aloud with dual color highlighting using natural sounding male and female voices. International voices available for speech-enabling other languages.
<p>Spellcheck</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Allows the student to check the spelling of words in student-generated responses when student clicks the ABC button. Spellcheck is not allowed on the English language arts OST. 	<p>Check It</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A proofreading tool that checks for spelling, and also checks for grammar, homophones and confusable word, capitalization and punctuation errors.

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TOOLS FOR DESIGNATED SUPPORTS			
Text to Speech (ELA) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Read text aloud to the student using embedded text to speech software. • The read-aloud accommodation is to provide access for a very small number of students with print-related disabilities. 	Text to Speech 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Read text aloud with dual color highlighting using natural sounding male and female voices. International voices available for speech-enabling other languages.
TOOLS FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES AND ENGLISH LEARNERS			
Screen Reader Mode	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Screen reader mode is for students with visual impairments who use screen readers. 	Screen Reader	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Allows for one to hover on the contents of the screen and screen reader will read aloud.
Word-to-Word Dictionary (English/ Native Language)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The student uses an allowable bilingual, word-to-word dictionary. Dictionaries that include definitions, phrases, sentences or pictures are not allowed. 	Translator 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Allow single words to be translated into 50+ languages. Some of the translations can be speech-enabled.

*All Ohio State Tests information presented comes from the [Ohio Accessibility Manual, sixth edition](#), released September 2019. All information is subject to change.