

Using Manual Create (for Poetry)

1. Login to your account and go into a class (or if you are in an admin account, go directly to step 2).
2. Drop down the Assessment tab at the top of the page to Manual Create.
3. On the next page, choose the drop downs that suit your purpose and click on Next. Please note that the information to the right of Bank is where the assessment will reside, not where it comes from.

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Create Assessment

Assessment Type *	<input type="text" value="Teacher Created"/>
Subject *	<input type="text" value="Reading"/>
Standard Set *	<input type="text" value="English 6"/>
Bank *	<input type="text" value="Private Bank of Sioux City"/>
Standards *	<input type="text" value="Common Core Standards for English Language Arts (1)"/>

NEXT

4. On the next page click on the green button that says Add Existing Items.
5. On the next page click on Advanced Search in the middle of the page
6. On the next page drop down on these choices.
 - a. In *Search Item Content*, put the word "poem"
 - b. Push the Search button at the bottom of the page.
7. On the next page items aligned to passages will come up. Drop down the sort by menu to Passage ID.
8. The Passage ID numbers are in the middle of the row (as seen circled in black below).

Sort by: High to Low

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<input type="checkbox"/> Item Id	Item Name	Passage Id	Item Type	Subject	Standard Set	Status	Date Updated
<input type="checkbox"/> 90720	Item90720 - Conclusions, Infer...		Constructive Response	Reading English 5	Approved	02-12-14	
Measurable Standard: [5.RL.2] Determine a theme of a story, drama, or poem from details in the text, including how characters in a story or drama respond to challenges or how the speaker in a poem reflects upon a topic; summarize the text.							
Bloom's Taxonomy:				Webb's DOK:			
<input type="checkbox"/> 147894	Item147894 - Main idea	11450	Selected Response	Reading English 5	Approved	07-27-14	
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- To the right of the passage ID is a diagonal arrow. If you click on that, the passage will pop-up so you can see if you want to use it.

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My Manhattan, 1895

Morning's breeze, awakening my skin; salty stickiness
Burrowing through the window beneath the pane, tickling hair,
Whispering, "it's time!" Make ready haste to travel north
for picnic, fun, cousins; a consummate summer's day in the park.
Bustling from our tenement flat, we seven tumble, giggle
Down onto South Street, where bowsprits of ships point their
Canvas fingers at us as if wishing to leave their watery beds,
To shake themselves like soaked terriers and tag along.
Boys splash on rain-drowned paving blocks between trolley tracks;
I care to join, but sharp parental nods bring me back to the

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- Select the passage you and take note of the passage ID number (in this case 11450).
- Now, return to the previous page by selecting "Modify Search" at the top left (without selecting any of the questions).

12. Put the passage ID number in the search box and select search.

Home > Items > Item Advance Search

Search Items

Search in:

ID:

Search Item Content:

Passage Id:

Measurable Standard: [Lookup](#)

Descriptor:

Item Type:

13. Now, all questions aligned to that passage will appear. You can see the question by selecting the black diagonal arrow that appears next to the Item ID number.

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<input type="checkbox"/>	Item Id	Item Name	Passage Id	Item Type	Subject	Standard Set	Status	Date Updated
<input type="checkbox"/>	65510	Item65510 - Mood	11450	Selected Response	Reading English 5	Approved 07-		
		Measurable Standard:		[5.RL.3] Compare and contrast two or more characters, settings, or events in a story or drama; analyze how and why individuals or groups of characters behave or react, assessing how and why they change and grow; identify themes, motifs, and archetypes and explain how they contribute to the development and structure of the text.				
		Bloom's Taxonomy:						
				Webb's DOK:				
<input type="checkbox"/>	144088	Item144088 - Supporting detail...	11450	Selected Response	Reading English 5	Approved 07-		
		Measurable Standard:		[5.RL.1] Quote accurately from a text when explaining what the text says explicitly and what it implies or infers (e.g., comparing details in the text to make a point or support an idea or theme, drawing on what others have said); make a point or support an idea or theme, drawing on what others have said).				
		Bloom's Taxonomy:						
				Webb's DOK:				
<input type="checkbox"/>	147894	Item147894 - Main idea	11450	Selected Response	Reading English 5	Approved 07-		
		Measurable Standard:		[5.RL.2] Determine a theme of a story, drama, or poem from details in the text, including how characters in a story or drama respond to challenges or how the speaker in a poem expresses his attitudes toward an issue or idea; summarize the text.				
		Bloom's Taxonomy:						
				Webb's DOK:				

14. Select the box next to Item ID at the top to select all items. Go to “Add to assessment” at the bottom of the page.
 - a. A screen will pop up saying “Validating Items.” Once this is completed and the pop up closes, click on “Return to Assessment.”
 - b. You will now be taken back to the Assessment page, with the poem and questions added. You can now check the questions one more time.
15. If this is the last passage you want to add to the assessment, go to “Save.”
 - a. Copy down the Assessment ID (in this case 11780)

Assessment Details

Assessment Id	11780	Assessment Name	TEST-11780
Subject	Reading	Standard Set	English 5
Assessment Type	Administrator Created	Adopted Standards	Common Core Standards for English Langua...
Author	Sioux City	Total Points Value	8.00



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Narrative poetry is poetry that tells the story of a person or event. Read this poem. Then answer the questions that follow.

Man of the Century

My Gramps was born in Norway
His father's only son

Passage Metadata

Passage Id

Source Id

Passage Status

16. To rename the test, select the “Assessments” tab at the top of the page, and drop down to “Search Assessments”
17. Search for the Assessment ID, and then re-open the assessment by selecting the blue ID number- this will pull the test back up.

ID	Subject	Standard Set	Assessment Type	Standards	Author	Date Updated
11780	Reading	English 5	Administrator Created	Common Core Standards for	Sioux City	11-04-14

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Passage Metadata

18. Now, you will have the option of selecting the “Edit” function next to the name of the assessment.

19. You can rename the test as you see fit and then select “Save.” Once you are sure you are done editing the assessment, on the right, go to the “Status” drop down and select

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“Approved.”

20. Then, go to the green arrow labeled “Publish.”

- When the pop up appears, select the box next to “Regenerate .pdf” and confirm. Regenerating the PDF tells the server to re-create your assessment with its changes so that when you print it, the correct questions come up.

21. Once it is published, it will appear on your assessment page as an assessment that can assigned.