Comparing Students to the Nation using National Percentile Ranks

The *Iowa Assessments* provide a continuous standard score scale based on the performance of nationally representative groups of students.

By administering the *Iowa Assessments*, districts can continue to provide National Percentile Ranks to parents and students, allowing a direct comparison to the nation.

Schools can use the *Iowa Assessments* at all grade levels to identify student strengths and weaknesses and screen students for enrichment and intervention programs.

You can use the *Iowa Assessments* to identify students in need of intensive intervention.

Assessments are available in two ways:

**Online**
Focus on student achievement across all content areas by administering the *Iowa Assessments* online. The price is $10.50 per student.

**Paper and Pencil**
Administer the *Iowa Assessments* by ordering the grade levels and quantities you need through Online Tools. The price is $5.50 per student.

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