Nextera® Test Delivery System Quick Tips for Students (Accommodations)

When Reverse Contrast is enabled, the test automatically displays white text on a black background

Animals need to play just like humans. Through play, both humans and animals can learn about the dangers in our world.

Why Do Animals Play?

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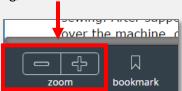
Puppies love to run and tumble. They chase each other around the yard. They wrestle and nip each other gently. A kitten will pounce on a toy mouse or leap high for a piece of yarn.

Why do animals play? For the same reason YOU play—because it's FUN!
But there is more to animal play than just fun. For animals in the wild, play is important to their very survival. Young animals have to learn about their world. They have to exercise their muscles and practice all the skills they

When **Initial Page Zoom** is enabled, the Test Delivery System automatically enlarges the text and images on the screen up to 300% (depending on your needs)

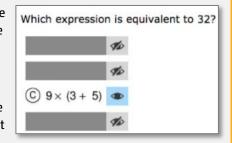
To adjust the view during testing, use **zoom** on the toolbar

- Click/tap to zoom out
- Click/tap + to zoom in

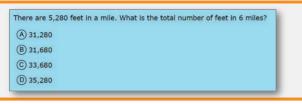


When enabled, **Answer Masking** automatically covers all response options

- To reveal a response option, click/tap the crossed out eye icon next to that option
- To hide a response option, click/tap the eye icon next to that option



When **Background Color** is enabled, the test automatically displays black text on a colored background



When **Text to Speech** is enabled, the test automatically reads and highlights the question and, for certain types of questions, the available answers using a device's speaker (headset recommended).

Text to Speech includes a **Play From Here** tool, which allows you to select a starting point to hear the text.

To use Text to Speech

- a) Click/tap the pause icon to pause the reading and highlighting
- b) Click/tap the play icon to resume the reading and highlighting



- c) Drag the volume indicator to the left to decrease or to the right to increase the volume
- d) To use Play From Here, right-click the desired starting point in the text (long press for iPads)
 - Double click/tap **Play From Here** to begin playing from the starting point that was selected and play through the end of the question text or answer text
 - Double click/tap **Play Question** or **Play Answer** to play from the beginning of the question text or answer text through the end of the question text or answer text

