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For the 2009-2010 school year, the Revised Alaska Developmental Profile (RADP) will replace the former Developmental Profile. The Revised Alaska Developmental Profile is required by state law to be completed for all students entering kindergarten or students entering first grade who did not attend a public kindergarten.

The Revised Alaska Developmental Profile Implementation Guides have been sent to schools with kindergartens. A PowerPoint is available for training purposes at the RADP web site at <http://www.eed.state.ak.us/tls/assessment/developmental.html>. All information in the PowerPoint is contained in the Implementation Guide. The RADP Implementation Guide is also posted on the web site.

Please make sure that principals and kindergarten teachers are aware that the RADP will take the place of the former Developmental Profile. Any Scantron forms left from previous years should be discarded.

Teachers are asked to rate their students on the goals in the RADP after the first four weeks of school. Teachers will report the scores on the RADP using an online system found at the RADP web site. Instructions for using the online reporting system will be posted by the end of August on the RADP web site. The reporting system will be available for teachers on September 15. Teachers will log onto the online reporting system using their first initial and last name; their password will be the last four numbers of their social security number.

The last three pages of the Implementation Guide contain classroom recording forms that teachers can use to keep track of ratings before using the online reporting system.

District Test Coordinators will be given a log in for the Web site. The district log in will allow district personnel to track which teachers have submitted ratings for their students. District Test Coordinators will need to send an email to the department stating that all teachers in their districts have submitted their RADP ratings for their students. These ratings must be submitted to the Department by November 1, 2009.

Please contact me if you have any questions regarding the RADP. Thank you.