# Assessing Arts Education in Michigan

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## What is the MAC...

Michigan Assessment Consortium is a professional association of educators who believe quality education depends on accurate, balanced, meaningful assessment. MAC members work to advance assessment literacy and advocate for assessment education and excellence

### Mission of the MAC

- The mission of the Michigan Assessment Consortium is to improve student learning and achievement through a system of coherent curriculum, balanced assessment and effective instruction. We do this by collaboratively...
  - Promoting assessment knowledge and practice.
  - Providing professional development.
  - Producing and sharing assessment tools and products.

### MAC members ...

- are individuals and organizations interested in quality assessment practices
- work in public and private schools, local and regional districts, government agencies, professional associations, and institutes of higher learning
- embrace high standards of excellence
- understand that quality assessment is key to quality learning and student achievement
- value professional learning and continuous improvement

### **MAC Resources**

• To access the resources of the MAC, visit the following webpage:

www.michiganassessmentconsortium.org

Resources include Common Assessment
 Development modules, white papers on assessment
 and other topics, access to a variety of archived
 videoconferences, and other material

# Benefits of MAC membership...

#### Access to...

- A rich library of assessment resources
- Invitations to assessment professional learning opportunities
- Video conferences and digitized content designed to enhance assessment literacy
- An emerging catalogue of model, curriculum-embedded performance assessments

### To learn more

http://www.michiganassessmentconsortium.org/members hip

### **Thank You!**

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