

## **Update #13 – New Reporting Options**

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### **1. Teachers and School Administrators can now generate reports!**

Beginning September 2nd, 2008, teachers and school administrators will be able to generate reports for their schools and divisions - from any computer with access to the Internet, and at any time. This feature now brings the power of Testonline's Diagnostic Math Assessment Tests Online directly to the classroom and to the school administration.

**Teachers**, using a username and password of their own choosing, can log in to the Administration Zone of Testonline.ca. After selecting the report parameters from drop-down listboxes, they can generate any combination of up to four reports on each of their divisions. Both student and aggregate reports in PDF are available, as well as databases in XLS file format.

**School administrators** (principals and vice principals) can similarly generate reports on all the divisions in their school, plus three reports on all divisions combined in the school for a particular test.

**District Coordinators** will still be able to generate reports for all divisions in all schools and district-wide reports.

#### **Benefits for Teachers and School Administrators:**

- Generate reports instantaneously and on demand, with no need to request reports from the district coordinator.
- All reports are in real time and can be generated from any computer with access to the internet.

#### **Benefits for District Coordinators:**

- District Coordinators are relieved of the task of generating and distributing reports for all divisions in all schools.
- Coordinators can concentrate on using the information contained in the reports to improve classroom learning.

Teachers and administrators will improve the effectiveness of classroom instruction by having access to high-quality diagnostic data that enables them to efficiently allocate resources to areas of need. Vital information about grade, class and individual student achievement will be available upon completion.

### **2. District Coordinators can now upload both User and Student data in .XLS spreadsheet**

In the past, district coordinators sometimes had problems uploading student data in the .CSV file format because of the odd way that Excel handled saving that file type. Our system now supports .XLS (Excel's native file type) for uploading user and student data.