How to Self-Register for Tools for Teachers

Tools for Teachers access is available to any California local educational agency (LEA) staff member. If you have a Test Operations Management System (TOMS) account, you can sign in with the same credentials.


2. Select the login button in the left expandable menu.

3. Select your location from the drop-down menu and select Go.

4. Select Register below Register for Tools for Teachers?

   The email address must be from an authorized educational institution. Staff with a non-LEA email domain (e.g., gmail.com, yahoo.com) or who have trouble registering will need to contact their LEA California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP) coordinator.

5. Enter first name, last name, email address, and organization name, then select Register.

   Within 30 minutes, a welcome email with a temporary password and a link to Tools for Teachers will be sent to the email address entered during registration. Users who have an existing account and attempt to register will be prompted to login or reset their password.

6. Select the link provided in the welcome email (https://smartertoolsforteachers.org).

7. Log in with the username and temporary password provided in the welcome email.

8. Select the Log In button.

   At this point, you must change your password.

9. Enter the temporary password into the Old Password text box.

10. Enter a new password in the New Password and Confirm Password text boxes.

11. Select the Submit button.

12. You will be sent a code to your email. Enter the code and select the Submit button.

13. Select the Tools for Teachers button.