Perspective™

Overview, Learning Locator, Resources, System Requirements

Perspective™ for Minnesota

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Get a new perspective on learning.

Perspective provides thousands of learning resources to help teachers and students. All of the learning resources are aligned to the Minnesota Academic Standards.
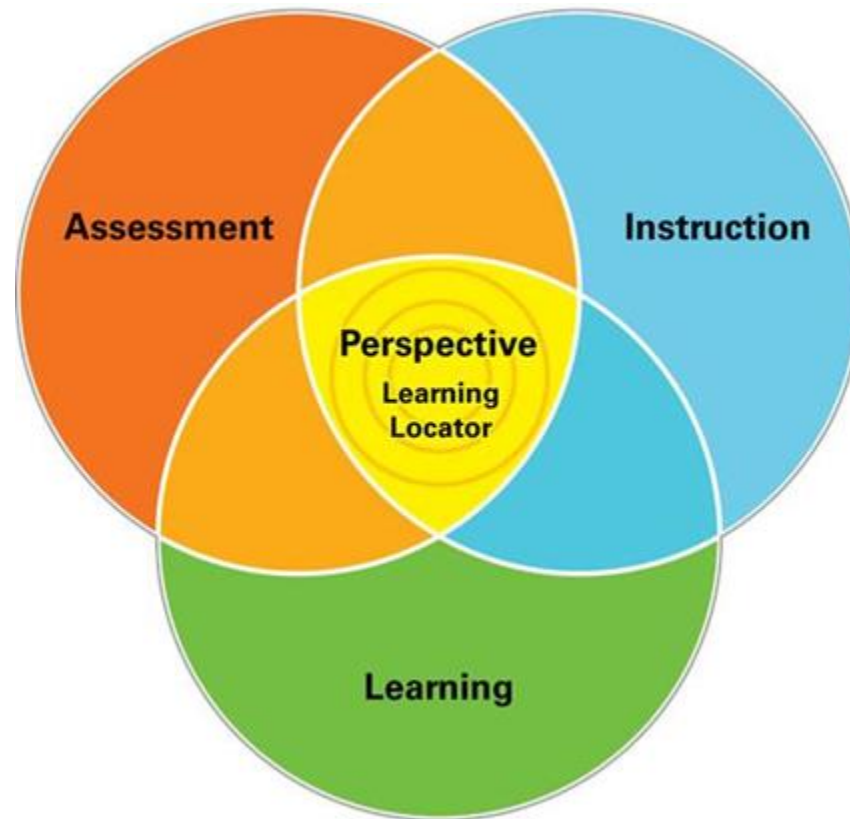
Use the convenient Assignment Sheet feature to easily gather material for students.

Use the powerful Learning Locator™ method to get targeted material based on student's assessment results.

Or use simple navigation to browse thousands of learning resources aligned to the standards.

https://mn.pearsonperspective.com

Components of Perspective™

Perspective™ Overview

- Provides resources specific to student needs through Learning Locator service

- Database of ~10,000 supplemental resources

- All resources are aligned to Minnesota Academic Standards

- Resources used for enrichment, remediation, and classroom learning

- Teacher-created assignment sheet functionality, online tools, and professional development resources

- Teacher-created tests with Test Builder

- Connects assessment to classroom instruction

What is Learning Locator?

- Learning Locator Code encapsulates student performance and is keyed to student score profile

- Code "unlocks" the Perspective learning resource content

- Provides opportunities for differentiated instruction based on assessment performance

- One code for each subject (Mathematics, Reading, Science)

Learning Locator Process

- Assessments and standards defined

  - Strand level performance levels determined

  - Learning Locators pre-calculated

- Resources aligned to standards by Pearson content specialists

- Students take assessment

  - Assessments scored

  - Learning Locators are applied

  - Learning Locator codes presented in On-Demand and Individual Student Reports (ISRs)

- Students enter code into Perspective

- Students receive materials aligned to their assessment performance

Learning Locator in PearsonAccess Next

- Available for MCA & OLPA assessments

- Learning Locators available on

  - On-Demand Reports: Student Detail Reports, Student List Reports and On-Demand Export for MCA & OLPA

  - Published Reports: Individual Student Reports (ISRs) and Rosters - MCA only

Last Name	First Name	MARSS/SSID	Local Use Data	Date of Birth	Test Date	Scale Score	Achievement Level	Learning Locator
Francisca	Control	5555000000025 ⓘ	25	08/14/2003	02/29/2016	638	Does Not Meet	R602
Francisca	Control	5555000000025 ⓘ	25	08/14/2003	02/29/2016	652	Meets	M6179
Fredericka	Control	5555000000158 ⓘ	158	09/03/2002	02/29/2016	724	Does Not Meet	R701
Fredericka	Control	5555000000158 ⓘ	158	09/03/2002	02/29/2016	759	Meets	M7173
GRIER	CONTROL	5555000000718 ⓘ	718	09/20/2001	02/29/2016	859	Meets	S8169
GRIER	CONTROL	5555000000718 ⓘ	718	09/20/2001	02/29/2016	888	Exceeds	M8258
GRIER	CONTROL	5555000000718 ⓘ	718	09/20/2001	02/29/2016	817	Does Not Meet	R801
HERNANDEZOPAL	CONTROL	5555000000745 ⓘ	745	01/10/2002	02/29/2016	861	Meets	S8237

Learning Locators on Individual Student Reports (ISRs)

- Provided for MCA assessments

- Available on printed or online reports

Perspective™ Family Home Page

Perspective™ Assignment Sheets

- Educators can create and share assignment sheets with students.

- Students use a shared assignment code to access the learning resources.

Test Builder

Name: _____ **Period:** _____ **Date:** _____

Directions: Complete all questions. You may use your formula sheet.

1. A sector of a circle is shown.

   5 cm

   6.28 cm
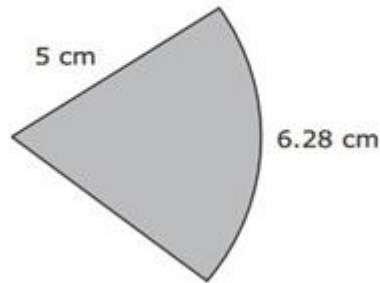
   What is the area of the sector? (Use 3.14 for π.)

   A. 12.5 cm^2
   B. 15.7 cm^2
   C. 31.4 cm^2
   D. 78.5 cm^2

2. A map uses the scale 1.5 cm = 25 mi. Two cities are 190 miles apart. How far apart are the cities on the map?

   A. 0.21 cm
   B. 11.4 cm
   C. 2,917 cm
   D. 6,563 cm

- Educator creates tests with Test Builder

- Bank of thousands of items

- Minnesota-released test items and Pearson items

- Items aligned to Minnesota Academic Standards

- Quick and easy to create tests

- Printed test and answer key

Perspective™ Resources

Available on PearsonAccess Next

- Perspective for Educators

- Perspective Quick Start Guide for Educators

- Perspective for Families

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Available on Perspective™

- Parent Toolkit

- Assessment FAQ

- Minnesota Academic Standards

- Minnesota Math & Science Frameworks

- Minnesota English Language Arts Standards Implementation Toolkit

System Requirements

The software requirements for Perspective™ are as listed below:

Devices	Browser	Operating Systems
PC	Internet Explorer 9, 10	Windows: XP, SP2, 7, 8
PC	FireFox 27,28 or higher	Windows: XP, SP2, 7, 8
PC	Chrome - latest version	Windows: XP, SP2, 7, 8
MAC	Safari 6 or higher	MAC OS X v10.7
iPad3-7, iPad Mini	Safari 7	

Other Requirements

- Adobe Flash 10.0+
- Adobe Acrobat Reader 6.0+
- Enable pop-ups
- Screen resolution:1280x1024
- For videos and audio files: sound card and headphones with in-line volume control.

For more information on *System Requirements* see the Perspective Online User Guide on:
https://support.assessment.pearson.com

Hands on with Perspective™ Minnesota

Perspective for Minnesota

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