

Region 25 to Pilot the New Proposed Sight-reading Procedure in Band and Orchestra in 2021!

UIL Sight-Reading Evaluation Instruction Period Pilot Procedures

In lieu of C&CR Sections 1111(b) and (c) the following procedures shall be followed by all bands and orchestras in the regions selected to participate in the pilot. The vocal division is not participating in year one of the pilot, thus, there are no updates to the vocal division procedures for 2021.

Effective Date: 2021 Sight-Reading Evaluations

Region 6 (West), Region 13 (Southeast), Region 15 (South), Region 25 (North), Region 26 (Central) have been selected to participate in the Sight-Reading Pilot in year one - 2021. These regions were selected based on the following criteria: representation from different parts of the state, different size schools, and participation in each division. Note that – at their request via statewide input – **the vocal division will not be participating in year one of the pilot**, as they currently do not have consensus for any updates.

Please read the linked document in detail, as this is what the pilot regions will follow at every 2021 band and orchestra sight-reading evaluation – middle school and high school. The document includes all the rules – new and old - and is intended to replace C&CR Sections 1111(b) and (c). These amended rules were recommended by the TMAA ad-hoc sight-reading committee after receiving extensive stakeholder input via survey in the spring of 2019 and approved by the UIL.

https://www.uil texas.org/files/music/UIL_Sight-Reading_Instruction_Pilot.pdf