

**Tennessee Teaching Evaluation Enhancement Act:
Tested Teachers without Prior Data**

The [Tennessee Teaching Evaluation Enhancement Act](#) adjusts the current weighting of student growth data in a teacher’s evaluation to lessen the evaluation score impact of TNReady, the state’s new and improved TCAP in ELA and math. These adjustments also apply to the social studies and science TCAP. The new law provides a phase-in approach for how assessments administered in school years 2015-16 through 2017-18 will factor into a teacher’s evaluation, due to the testing transition. The graphic below represents the weight adjustments.

