

SHIPPING CARRIER RETURN INSTRUCTIONS

Pearson will be utilizing UPS, or freight shipment carriers (for larger districts), for the IAR ELA/MATH assessments. This document provides the process for returning all IAR ELA/MATH scorable and nonscorable paper-based test materials to Pearson. Follow the instructions in the Test Coordinator Manual on shipping paper-based materials to Pearson. A pickup of paper-based test materials must be scheduled and completed no later than 5 business days after testing is complete.

Note:

- Only one school may be packed into a box to ensure all materials are accounted for correctly. Multiple grades and subjects for that school are allowed in a box.
- Districts that receive overage test materials will have additional Pearson colored return labels in the District Test Coordinator Kit to use if additional school labels are needed.
- Generic return labels include blank fields where pertinent state, district, and school information must be recorded prior to return to Pearson.

RETURNING SCORABLE SECURE MATERIALS VIA UPS

Once materials are ready to ship, the Test Coordinator will apply one <u>scorable</u> UPS Ground return label and one <u>scorable</u> Pearson colored label to each <u>scorable</u> box being returned. Remember, only one school may be packed into a box. <u>Scorable</u> label color is <u>RED</u>. These labels will list the following address:

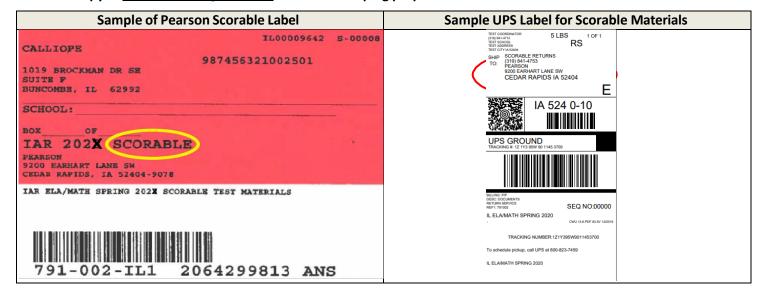
PEARSON 9200 EARHART LANE SW CEDAR RAPIDS, IA 52404

Count the total number of <u>scorable</u> boxes being returned for the school and fill in the sequence (e.g., box 1 of 3, box 2 of 3, box 3 of 3) on the label in the designated space (BOX _ OF _). Districts must also fill in the school name.

Pickups must be scheduled at least 24 hours in advance. **Call UPS at 800-823-7459** (you must use this UPS number for Pearson pickup).

- 1. Tell the UPS representative you are calling in a pickup request for Pearson and will be using their "Return Service."
- 2. Provide the number of boxes.
- 3. Verify pickup address information.
- 4. Provide a tracking number from any one of your UPS label(s).

Retain a copy of all UPS tracking numbers for record-keeping purposes.





RETURNING NONSCORABLE SECURE MATERIALS VIA UPS

Once materials are ready to ship, the Test Coordinator will apply one <u>nonscorable</u> UPS Ground return label and one <u>nonscorable</u> Pearson colored label to each <u>nonscorable</u> box being returned. Remember, only one school may be packed into a box. <u>Nonscorable</u> label color is <u>PURPLE</u>. These labels will list the following address:

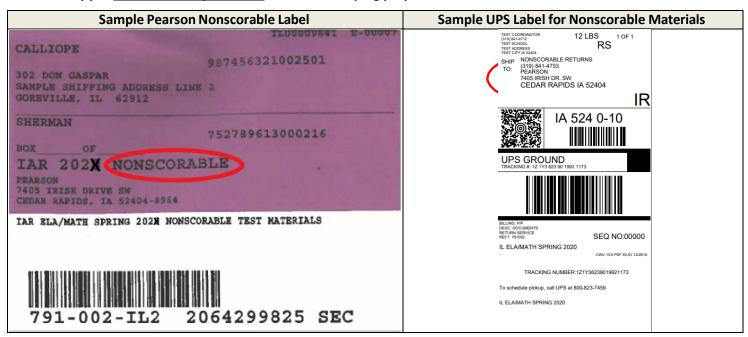
PEARSON 7405 IRISH DR SW CEDAR RAPIDS IA 52404

Count the total number of <u>nonscorable</u> boxes being returned for the school and fill in the sequence (e.g., box 1 of 3, box 2 of 3, box 3 of 3) on the label in the designated space (BOX _ OF _). Districts must also fill in the school name.

Pickups must be scheduled at least 24 hours in advance. **Call UPS at 800-823-7459** (you must use this UPS number for Pearson pickup).

- 1. Tell the UPS representative you are calling in a pickup request for Pearson and will be using their "Return Service."
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RETURNING MATERIALS VIA FREIGHT CARRIER

Larger districts may receive a freight Bill of Lading instead of UPS labels in the District Test Coordinator Kit. There will be separate freight Bills of Lading for scorable and nonscorable test materials.

RETURNING SCORABLE SECURE MATERIALS VIA FREIGHT CARRIER

Once materials are ready to ship, the Test Coordinator will apply one Pearson colored label to each <u>scorable</u> box being returned. Remember, only one school may be packed into a box. <u>Scorable</u> label color is <u>RED</u>. These labels will list the following address:

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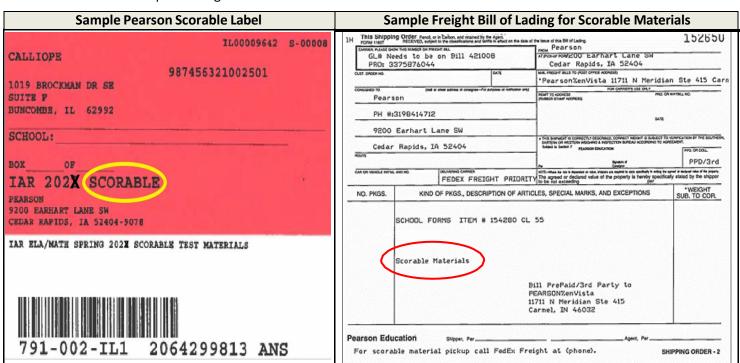
Count the total number of <u>scorable</u> boxes being returned for the school and fill in the sequence (e.g., box 1 of 3, box 2 of 3, box 3 of 3) on the label in the designated space (BOX _ OF _). Districts must also fill in the school name.

All test materials being returned need to be placed on pallets and shrink wrapped before scheduling a pickup with the freight carrier. **Call the freight vendor phone number located on the bottom of the Bill of Lading** to schedule a pickup of <u>scorable</u> test materials. No account number is needed.

Provide the following to the freight vendor representative:

- 1. The number of pallets.
- 2. The estimated weight (provided on the Bill of Lading).
- 3. The destination zip code: 52404.
- 4. Service type: Priority.
- 5. Your business hours.

If no dock is available request a liftgate at this time.





RETURNING NONSCORABLE SECURE MATERIALS VIA FREIGHT CARRIER

Once materials are ready to ship, the Test Coordinator will apply one Pearson colored label to each <u>nonscorable</u> box being returned. Remember, only one school may be packed into a box. <u>Nonscorable</u> label color is <u>PURPLE</u>. These labels will list the following address:

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Count the total number of <u>nonscorable</u> boxes being returned for the school and fill in the sequence (e.g., box 1 of 3, box 2 of 3, box 3 of 3) on the labels in the designated space (BOX _ OF _). Districts must also fill in the school name.

All test materials being returned need to be placed on pallets and shrink wrapped before scheduling a pickup with the freight carrier. **Call the freight vendor phone number located on the bottom of the Bill of Lading** to schedule a pickup of nonscorable test materials. No account number is needed.

Provide the following to the freight vendor representative:

- 1. The number of pallets.
- 2. The estimated weight (provided on the Bill of Lading).
- 3. The destination zip code: 52404.
- 4. Service type: Priority.
- Your business hours.

If no dock is available request a liftgate at this time.

