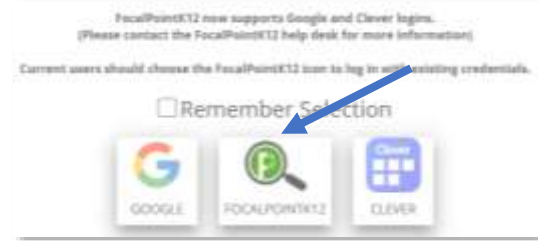


MAARS & FocalPoint Education Resource Guide

Access

URL: lms.backpack.education

Login Information: Your username and password will be emailed to you when a profile is created for you. If you did not receive an email, contact your District Assessment Coordinator



Resources

Upcoming Live Webinar

Scheduled for Wednesday, November 10th from 2 pm – 3 pm EST

You can register and access the Zoom session with the information below:

[Please be sure to pre-register here](#)

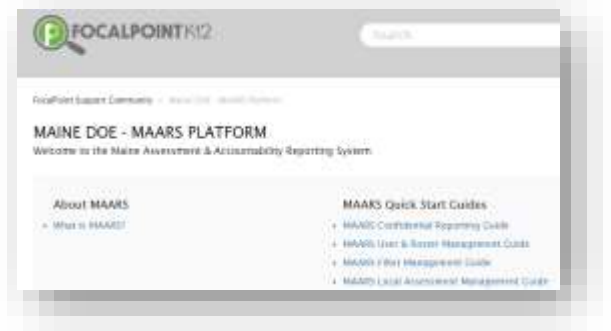


On-Demand Resources

- **MAARS Introduction:** *Intended for all accessing the FocalPoint platform*
 - [Click Here to Access Recording](#) 5 minutes, 2 seconds
 - Topics: What is MAARS? Logging In, Navigating the Platform, Accessing the Help Center
- **Performance Reports: Student Quick Reports and Interactive Reports:** *Intended for all accessing FocalPoint platform*
 - [Click Here to Access Recording](#) 7 minutes, 31 seconds
 - Topics: Logging In, Student Quick Reports, Interactive Reports, Accessing the Help Center
- **Performance Reports: District & School Quick Reports for School and District Admins:** *Intended for District and School Admin level accounts*
 - [Click Here to Access Recording](#) 4 minutes, 9 seconds
 - Topics: District and School Quick Reports, Student Quick Reports, Interactive Reports
- **MAARS: Adhoc Reporting Overview:** *Intended for District and School Admin level accounts*
 - [Click Here to Access Recording](#) 7 minutes, 46 seconds
 - Topics: Navigating Adhoc, Landing Page, Data, Manipulating and Exporting data, 'Your Wall'
- **MAARS Local Assessment Overview:** *Intended for Users Utilizing Local Assessments*
 - [Click Here to Access Recording](#) 12 minutes, 39 seconds
 - Topics: User roles, local assessment data, TSG report, exporting and viewing reports, filters
- **MAARS Local Assessments for District Admins:** *Intended for Users Utilizing Local Assessments*
 - [Click Here to Access Recording](#) 9 minutes, 34 seconds
 - Topics: User roles, uploading and viewing local assessments
- **How to Upload Local Assessment Data:** *Intended for District Admin level accounts*
 - [Click Here to Access Recording](#) 3 minutes, 11 seconds
 - Topics: Assessment Management, Uploading Local Assessment Data

Resource Libraries

FocalPoint's MAARS Help Desk can be found [here](#)



Additional

Types of Reports

- **District Report:** organizes data from a district view with options to drill down into more granular school/site filters
- **Local Assessments:** these optional reports are created by adding local district data to give additional insight to student assessment data
- **Quick Reports:** allows for quick access and overview to student data via student ID or name
- **Interactive Reports:** these reports are intended to allow for a deep dive into reports by providing drillable options into more detailed data

Terms

- **MAARS:** stands for "Maine Assessment & Accountability Reporting System"
- **Adhoc:** a term used to quickly create reports on an as-needed basis, to find the answer to a specific question
- **Account Types:**
 - **District User:** district level account that has access to all district and school data and reporting as well as elevated views and functionality within the platform
 - **School User:** also referred to as a School Admin, with access to all school-based reporting
 - **Roster User:** also referred to as a teacher level account, access to show student usage and data based on teacher's roster