

AIR Self-Determination

AIR Self-Determination (American Institutes for Research) is an assessment that helps educators gain information on students' abilities and opportunities so they can move towards making personal transformations to participate in adult life.

- The AIR prepares for students in key verbiage of: 'capacity' and 'opportunity'.
- There are three forms of the AIR Self-determination:
 - [Educator](#) (also called the Research Form)
 - [Parent](#)
 - [Student](#)
 - *Forms may be used independently of one another*
- The AIR will help to draw comparisons between home and school when appropriate forms are used.
- These assessments are easy to give and to score. They are online and free, but are not completed online.
- This assessment helps develop strategies.
- It is not a formal assessment.
- Some forms are available in Spanish and/or French.
- It is not designed for usage for those with more significant disabilities.
- Included in the guide, are suggestions to improve students' capacity and opportunity for self-determination. (Suggestion: print the guide to obtain these examples; it is 47 pages.)

<http://www.ou.edu/content/dam/Education/documents/miscellaneous/air-self-determination-user-guide.pdf>

It will help to develop goals and benchmarks as well as in the Coordinated Set of Activities portion of the IEP.

Please use the hyperlink below for full access to the AIR Self-Determination assessment.

<http://www.ou.edu/content/education/centers-and-partnerships/zarrow/self-determination-assessment-tools/air-self-determination-assessment.html>

Please print and complete the assessment/scale if you choose to do this one for the self-determination section. Please remember to bring the assessment/scale to the Nevada Transition Conference.