

# SSIS SEL assessment featured in CASEL SEL Assessment Guide

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On November 5, 2018, the Collaborative for Academic Social Emotional Learning (CASEL) released its first **SEL Assessment Guide**, an online “interactive tool to help practitioners select and effectively use currently available assessments of students’ SEL competencies.” It provides a catalog of 23 SEL assessments, including the 4 **SSIS SEL Edition** assessments developed by Pearson co-authors Stephen Elliott and Frank Gresham.

The SSIS SEL assessments listed in the guide are:

- The SSIS SEL Edition Screening/Progress Monitoring Scales (PreK–12th grade)
- The SSIS SEL Rating Form – Teacher (Ages 3 to 18)
- The SSIS SEL Rating Form – Parent (Ages 3 to 18)
- The SSIS SEL Rating Form – Student (two versions: Ages 8 to 12 and 13 to 18)

The SSIS SEL Edition is the only set of assessments fully aligned with the CASEL SEL competency framework, and the only comprehensive multi-informant (i.e., Teacher, Parent, and Student) rating forms listed in the Guide.

## See for yourself how they compare!

Samples of these four assessments, their reports for users, and summaries of their key psychometrics are provided on the [site](#) for easy inspection and comparison to all other SEL solutions.

Surprisingly, 15 of the 23 assessments represented in the Guide are student-only self-report forms. Although it’s always important to consider students’ perspectives, these assessments do not cover children under the ages of 7 and are subject to concerns of social desirability faking (unless monitored via validity indices). The SSIS SEL Edition Student Rating Form has *three carefully designed validity indices to screen for this type of bias* when using its student self report.

Visit the [CASEL SEL Assessment Guide](#) to learn more about the SSIS SEL Edition Assessments, and to compare them to other assessments.

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