

Teach BIG vs Leading K-12 Platforms: Feature Chart

Part 1 of 3 - Core literacy and AI writing

✔ yes
🟡 partial
✗ not found in public materials
❓ not stated publicly

Capability	Teach BIG The Writing Academy	HMH Writable	HMH Into Reading TX	Savvas myView / Realize	Eduphoria Aware	IXL
AI essay scoring	✔ TBASE scores Grades 2 to 10 on five thinking levels	✔ AI draft scores + suggested comments	🟡 Through Writable add on only	✔ Essay Scorer, SavvyWriter; six traits	✗ No essay AI found	✗ No essay scoring
Evidence quoted for every score	✔ The student's own sentence backs each score	✗ Not found in scan	✗ Not found in scan	✗ Not found in scan	✗ No essay AI found	✗ No essay scoring
Real-time answer check	✔ Check my answer before scoring reads the first five sentences	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly
Revise and rescore	✔ Fix flagged sentences and see the level move	🟡 Revision loop, peer review	❓ Not stated publicly	🟡 Revision guides	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly
STAAR/SST rubric score points	✔ STAAR/SST score points beside TBASE levels	🟡 Texas STAAR practice collection	❓ Not stated publicly	✗ Traits are not STAAR rubric traits	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly
TEKS tracking per student	✔ Student TEKS Tracker	🟡 Rubric and skill reports	✔ TEKS and DOK per item	❓ Not stated for scorer	✔ Student, class, campus, district	✔ Per TEKS skill
Reading + writing TEKS in one picture	✔ OnSTAGE results and TBASE scores joined by TEKS	✗ Not found in scan	✗ Not found in scan	✗ Not found in scan	✗ Not found in scan	✗ Not found in scan
Small groups	✔ Class report with automatic groups	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly
Prompt generation	✔ Prompt Builder turns a Teach BIG passage into class prompts	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly	🟡 Teacher made prompts allowed	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly
Parent reports	✔ Parent report with teacher note	❓ Not stated publicly	🟡 Family letters each unit	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly	✔ Parent memberships, Trouble Spots
Spanish parent report	✔ English and Spanish parent reports	❓ Not stated publicly	🟡 Family letters in Spanish	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly
Bilingual student supports	✔ Spanish side by side directions	🟡 AI comments in English or Spanish	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly
Read aloud	✔ Read-aloud controls in student essays	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly
Growth over time	✔ Per student growth chart, August to May	❓ Not stated publicly	✔ Standards and Growth reports	❓ Not stated publicly	🟡 Quintile reports	❓ Not stated publicly
District / principal dashboard	✔ Campus and district dashboards	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly	✔ Campus and district reports	❓ Not stated publicly
Export to Aware / lead4ward / DMAC	✔ Exports for Aware, lead4ward, and DMAC	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly	✔ Is the Aware system; lead4ward module	❓ Not stated publicly
Privacy: no student names	✔ Student identifiers, no student names collected	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly
Gamification	✔ Badges and practice games	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly	❓ Not stated publicly
TEKS / STAAR/SST Texas focus	✔ TEKS-built games, slide decks, Word Wisdom, Published Texts	🟡 STAAR practice collection	✔ TEKS per item; TEA reviewed	✔ Texas myView program	✔ TEKS Scaffold Report from STAAR	✔ TEKS, STAAR, TELPAS skill plans

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Part 2 of 3 · Assessment and diagnostics

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? not stated publicly

Capability	Teach BIG The Writing Academy	Amplify (ELAR, mCLASS TX)	McGraw Hill TX Wonders	i-Ready	Renaissance Star	Istation
AI essay scoring	✓ TBASE scores Grades 2 to 10 on five thinking levels	? Not stated for writing	? Not stated publicly	✗ No essay AI found	✗ No essay AI	✗ No essay AI
Evidence quoted for every score	✓ The student's own sentence backs each score	✗ Not found in scan	✗ Not found in scan	✗ No essay AI found	✗ No essay AI	✗ No essay AI
Real-time answer check	✓ Check my answer before scoring reads the first five sentences	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly
Revise and rescore	✓ Fix flagged sentences and see the level move	? Not stated publicly	🟡 Anonymous peer review for writing	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly
STAAR/SST rubric score points	✓ STAAR/SST score points beside TBASE levels	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly
TEKS tracking per student	✓ Student TEKS Tracker	🟡 mCLASS reporting	? Not stated publicly	🟡 Domain level	✓ Star Student Report	🟡 Domain level
Reading + writing TEKS in one picture	✓ OnSTAGE results and TBASE scores joined by TEKS	✗ Not found in scan	✗ Not found in scan	✗ Not found in scan	✗ Not found in scan	✗ Not found in scan
Small groups	✓ Class report with automatic groups	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly
Prompt generation	✓ Prompt Builder turns a Teach BIG passage into class prompts	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly
Parent reports	✓ Parent report with teacher note	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly
Spanish parent report	✓ English and Spanish parent reports	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly
Bilingual student supports	✓ Spanish side by side directions	✓ Screening in English and Spanish	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	✓ Star Spanish	? Not stated publicly
Read aloud	✓ Read-aloud controls in student essays	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly
Growth over time	✓ Per student growth chart, August to May	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	✓ Screening, progress monitoring	✓ Monthly ISIP checks
District / principal dashboard	✓ Campus and district dashboards	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly
Export to Aware / lead4ward / DMAC	✓ Exports for Aware, lead4ward, and DMAC	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly
Privacy: no student names	✓ Student identifiers, no student names collected	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly
Gamification	✓ Badges and practice games	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly	? Not stated publicly
TEKS / STAAR/SST Texas focus	✓ TEKS-built games, slide decks, Word Wisdom, Published Texts	✓ Texas editions, IMRA reviewed	🟡 Texas edition	🟡 Texas alignment claimed, not verified	✓ Linked to STAAR and STAAR Spanish	✓ On TEA lists

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Part 3 of 3 · Texas data and writing tools

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Capability	Teach BIG The Writing Academy	lead4ward	NoRedInk	Quill.org	Turnitin Draft Coach	CoGrader
AI essay scoring	✔ TBASE scores Grades 2 to 10 on five thinking levels	✗ No	✔ Grading Assistant suggests scores	⚠ AI feedback on evidence sentences	✗ Feedback, not scoring	✔ AI essay grader
Evidence quoted for every score	✔ The student's own sentence backs each score	✗ No	✗ Not found in scan	✗ Not found in scan	✗ Not found in scan	✗ Not found in scan
Real-time answer check	✔ Check my answer before scoring reads the first five sentences	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	✔ Instant feedback	⚠ Grammar, citation checks in Docs	⚠ Not stated publicly
Revise and rescore	✔ Fix flagged sentences and see the level move	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Feedback to revise	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly
STAAR/SST rubric score points	✔ STAAR/SST score points beside TBASE levels	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	✗ No	✔ Markets STAAR SCR/ECR rubrics
TEKS tracking per student	✔ Student TEKS Tracker	✔ TEKS clusters, quintiles	⚠ Skill mastery	⚠ Activity level	✗ No	⚠ Not stated publicly
Reading + writing TEKS in one picture	✔ OnSTAGE results and TBASE scores joined by TEKS	✗ Not found in scan	✗ Not found in scan	✗ Not found in scan	✗ Not found in scan	✗ Not found in scan
Small groups	✔ Class report with automatic groups	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly
Prompt generation	✔ Prompt Builder turns a Teach BIG passage into class prompts	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly
Parent reports	✔ Parent report with teacher note	✗ No	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	✗ No	⚠ Not stated publicly
Spanish parent report	✔ English and Spanish parent reports	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly
Bilingual student supports	✔ Spanish side by side directions	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly
Read aloud	✔ Read-aloud controls in student essays	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly
Growth over time	✔ Per student growth chart, August to May	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly
District / principal dashboard	✔ Campus and district dashboards	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly
Export to Aware / lead4ward / DMAC	✔ Exports for Aware, lead4ward, and DMAC	✔ Module inside Eduphoria Aware	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly
Privacy: no student names	✔ Student identifiers, no student names collected	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly
Gamification	✔ Badges and practice games	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly	⚠ Not stated publicly
TEKS / STAAR/SST Texas focus	✔ TEKS-built games, slide decks, Word Wisdom, Published Texts	✔ Very strong, Texas only	✗ Not Texas specific	✗ Not Texas specific	✗ No	✔ Marketed for STAAR and TEKS

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Summary · Where Teach BIG leads

1. **Quoted evidence for every score.** In this scan no competitor showed the exact student sentence behind each score. Teach BIG shows that sentence with every TBASE score.
2. **One TEKS picture for reading and writing.** The Student TEKS Tracker combines OnSTAGE results and TBASE essay scores by student and TEKS. No competitor in this scan showed that join.
3. **Spanish parent report on the child's own essay.** Competitors in this chart offer family letters or parent memberships. Teach BIG's English and Spanish parent reports include a teacher note.
4. **Privacy by design.** Teach BIG uses student identifiers, not student names.
5. **Works with district data tools.** Exports shaped for Aware, lead4ward, and DMAC keep districts in the tools they already use.
6. **Teaching built in, not only scoring.** Small groups, a Prompt Builder, read-aloud essays, slide decks, games, Word Wisdom, and Published Texts sit beside the scores.
7. **Texas first.** TEKS-built materials and STAAR/SST score points beside TBASE levels. Several competitors also list Texas alignment. None in this scan pairs it with quoted evidence for each score.

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