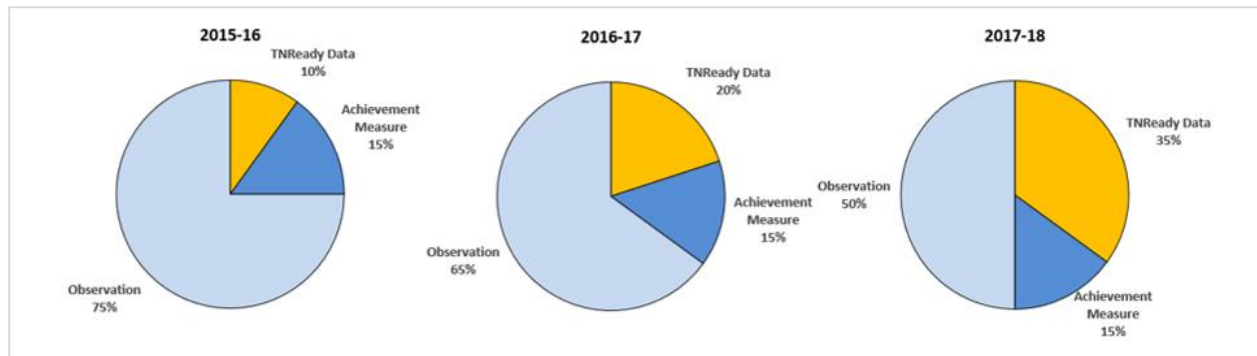


Tennessee Teaching Evaluation Enhancement Act: *Tested Teachers without Prior Data*

The [Tennessee Teaching Evaluation Enhancement Act](#) adjusts the current weighting of student growth data in a teacher's evaluation to lessen the evaluation score impact of TNReady, the state's new and improved TCAP in ELA and math. These adjustments also apply to the social studies and science TCAP. The new law provides a phase-in approach for how assessments administered in school years 2015-16 through 2017-18 will factor into a teacher's evaluation, due to the testing transition. The graphic below represents the weight adjustments.



During the school years 2015-16 through 2017-18, a teacher's most recent student growth data will account for the entire individual growth score if such use results in a higher evaluation rating for the teacher. For more detailed information on this legislation, please refer to our [FAQ document](#).