

basic education

Department: Basic Education REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

Director: Education, Information and Management Systems

EMIS Memo: 12/2021

- To: Provincial Education Departments: EMIS Heads / Directors
- CC: Provincial SA-SAMS coordinators and Data managers

Date: 27 September 2021

Re: Notification of SA-SAMS release 21.2.0

Dear EMIS Heads

This memo serves to inform you that SA-SAMS version 21.2.0 is released on 27 September 2021 after receiving test responses from all the Provinces. This release is a response to urgent issues reported and the content is tabled below:

Function description	Impact on system administration and reporting
Curriculum:	Life Orientation Gr 12: task 6 (CAT) showing on 12.3.12 Term 4
	• Technical Maths Gr 10 & 11 PAT 20% and End-of-year exam/test 20%.
	• 12.3.12 – SBA calculation for all grades.
Learner Profile - Emergency number	Add person linked to the emergency number and the relationship
Learner search	Learners search improved
New learner disability	Auditory processing disorder.

The latest version with notification on the changes is made available on the Thutong website. It will be appreciated if you can make the necessary arrangements to distribute the latest version of SA-SAMS to all schools. The next release will follow the release plan, included in the EMIS calendar but with amended dates.

Kind regards

Ms A Suleman Director: DBE EMIS Date: 27 September 2021