



Seesaw Accessibility Conformance Report

WCAG Edition

(Based on VPAT® Version 2.4Rev)

Name of Product/Version: Seesaw

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Product Description: Trusted and loved by 25 million educators, students, and families worldwide, Seesaw is the only elementary learning experience platform, offering a suite of award-winning tools, resources, and curriculum for teachers to deliver joyful, inclusive instruction. Through interactive lessons, digital portfolios, and two-way communication features, Seesaw keeps everyone in the learning loop by providing continuous visibility into the student's learning experience to support and celebrate their learning.

Contact Information: To report an accessibility issue or request more information, please submit a request here:
<https://help.seesaw.me/hc/en-us/requests/new>

Notes: This Voluntary Product Accessibility Template (VPAT) is a tool that helps decision-makers to evaluate Seesaw's conformance with the accessibility standards under Act World Wide Web Consortium's Web Content Accessibility Guidelines (WCAG 2.1) Level A and AA standards. The scope of this VPAT includes features of the customer-facing software application (web, iOS, Android), digital curriculum and support documentation. More information can be found here: <https://help.seesaw.me/hc/en-us/articles/360047206692-Accessibility-and-Seesaw>

Evaluation Methods Used:

- Full-service 3rd party evaluation and remediation plan by TPG Interactive:
<https://www.tpgi.com/accessibility-solutions/accessibility-conformance/>
- Ongoing manual testing with assistive technologies on web and mobile devices by Seesaw product/engineering/QA teams.
- Weekly automated testing for WCAG 2.1 compliance of components as part of our product release process

Applicable Standards/Guidelines

This report covers the degree of conformance for the following accessibility standard/guidelines:

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Standard/Guideline	Included In Report
Web Content Accessibility Guidelines 2.0	Level A (Yes) Level AA (Yes) Level AAA (No)
Web Content Accessibility Guidelines 2.1	Level A (Yes) Level AA (Yes) Level AAA (No)

Terms

The terms used in the Conformance Level information are defined as follows:

- **Supports:** The functionality of the product has at least one method that meets the criterion without known defects or meets with equivalent facilitation.
- **Partially Supports:** Some functionality of the product does not meet the criterion.
- **Does Not Support:** The majority of product functionality does not meet the criterion.
- **Not Applicable:** The criterion is not relevant to the product.
- **Not Evaluated:** The product has not been evaluated against the criterion. This can be used only in WCAG 2.0 Level AAA.

WCAG 2.x Report

Note: When reporting on conformance with the WCAG 2.x Success Criteria, they are scoped for full pages, complete processes, and accessibility-supported ways of using technology as documented in the [WCAG 2.0 Conformance Requirements](#).

Table 1: Success Criteria, Level A

Notes:

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
<p>1.1.1 Non-text Content (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 501 (Web)(Software) ● 504.2 (Authoring Tool) ● 602.3 (Support Docs) <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 9.1.1.1.1 (Web) ● 10.1.1.1 (Non-web document) ● 11.1.1.1.1 (Open Functionality Software) ● 11.1.1.1.2 (Closed Functionality Software) ● 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool) ● 12.1.2 (Product Docs) ● 12.2.4 (Support Docs) 	<p>Web: Supports</p> <p>Electronic Docs: Supports</p> <p>Software: Supports</p> <p>Authoring Tool: Supports</p>	<p>Web: Alt text is provided for UI elements. Generic alt text is provided for all user-generated content. For example “Javier’s post, in response to Writers Workshop, 2 pages”. Users can also provide custom alt text for non-text content.</p> <p>Authoring Tool: Users can provide custom alt text for non-text content.</p>
<p>1.2.1 Audio-only and Video-only (Prerecorded) (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 501 (Web)(Software) ● 504.2 (Authoring Tool) ● 602.3 (Support Docs) <p>Also applies to:</p> <p>EN 301 549 Criteria</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 9.1.1.1.1 (Web) ● 10.1.1.1 (Non-web document) ● 11.1.1.1.1 (Open Functionality Software) ● 11.1.1.1.2 (Closed Functionality Software) ● 11.8.2 (Authoring Tool) ● 12.1.2 (Product Docs) ● 12.2.4 (Support Docs) 	<p>Web: Partially Supports</p> <p>Electronic Docs: Supports</p> <p>Software: Supports</p> <p>Authoring Tool: Supports</p>	<p>Web: Most multimedia content in Seesaw is user-generated content (ex: presentations created by students or teachers). Users can provide closed captioning for videos they upload. Users can also provide text alternatives via text captions and comment tools for all multimedia content, but these supports are not synchronized with the video/audio presentation.</p> <p>Authoring Tool: Most multimedia content in Seesaw is user-generated content (ex: presentations created by students or teachers). Users can provide closed captioning for videos they upload. Users can also provide text alternatives via text captions and comment tools for all multimedia content, but these supports are</p>

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
<p>1.2.2 Captions (Prerecorded) (Level A)</p> <p>Also applies to: Revised Section 508</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 501 (Web)(Software) ● 504.2 (Authoring Tool) ● 602.3 (Support Docs) 	<p>Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports</p>	<p>not synchronized with the video/audio presentation.</p> <p>Web: Most multimedia content in Seesaw is user-generated content (ex: presentations created by students or teachers). Users can provide closed captioning for videos they upload. Users can also provide text alternatives via text captions and comment tools for all multimedia content, but these supports are not synchronized with the video/audio presentation.</p> <p>Authoring Tool: Most multimedia content in Seesaw is user-generated content (ex: presentations created by students or teachers). Users can provide closed captioning for videos they upload. They can also provide text alternatives via text captions and comment tools for all multimedia content, but these supports are not synchronized with the video/audio presentation.</p>
<p>1.2.3 Audio Description or Media Alternative (Prerecorded) (Level A)</p>	<p>Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports</p>	<p>Web: Most multimedia content in Seesaw is user-generated content (ex: presentations created by students or teachers). Users can provide closed captioning for videos they upload. They can also provide text alternatives via text captions and comment tools for all multimedia content, but these supports are not synchronized with the video/audio presentation.</p> <p>Authoring Tool: Most multimedia content in Seesaw is user-generated content (ex: presentations created by students or teachers). Users can provide closed captioning for videos they upload. They can also provide text alternatives via text captions and comment tools for all multimedia content, but these supports are</p>

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		not synchronized with the video/audio presentation.
1.3.1 Info and Relationships (Level A)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
1.3.2 Meaningful Sequence (Level A)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
1.3.3 Sensory Characteristics (Level A)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
1.4.1 Use of Color (Level A)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Closed: Not Applicable Authoring Tool: Supports	
1.4.2 Audio Control (Level A)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
2.1.1 Keyboard (Level A)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
2.1.2 No Keyboard Trap (Level A)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
2.1.4 Character Key Shortcuts (Level A 2.1 only)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	Not used anywhere in the program.

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	Authoring Tool: Not Applicable	
2.2.1 Timing Adjustable (Level A)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
2.2.2 Pause, Stop, Hide (Level A)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	Not used anywhere in the program.
2.3.1 Three Flashes or Below Threshold (Level A)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
2.4.1 Bypass Blocks (Level A)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
2.4.2 Page Titled (Level A)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
2.4.3 Focus Order (Level A)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
2.4.4 Link Purpose (In Context) (Level A)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
2.5.1 Pointer Gestures (Level A 2.1 only)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
2.5.2 Pointer Cancellation (Level A 2.1 only)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports	

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	Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
2.5.3 Label in Name (Level A 2.1 only)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
2.5.4 Motion Actuation (Level A 2.1 only)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	Not used anywhere in the program.
3.1.1 Language of Page (Level A)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
3.2.1 On Focus (Level A)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
3.2.2 On Input (Level A)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
3.3.1 Error Identification (Level A)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
3.3.2 Labels or Instructions (Level A)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
4.1.1 Parsing (Level A)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports Authoring Tool: Not Applicable	Not used anywhere in the program.

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
4.1.2 Name, Role, Value (Level A)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	Not used anywhere in the program.

Table 2: Success Criteria, Level AA

Notes:

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
1.2.4 Captions (Live) (Level AA)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	Not used anywhere in the program.
1.2.5 Audio Description (Prerecorded) (Level AA)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	Web: Most multimedia content in Seesaw is user-generated content (ex: presentations created by students or teachers). Users can provide text alternatives via text captions and comment tools for all multimedia content. These supports are not synchronized with the audio presentation. Authoring Tool: Most multimedia content in Seesaw is user-generated content (ex: presentations created by students or teachers). Users can provide text alternatives via text captions and comment tools for all multimedia content. These supports are not synchronized with the audio presentation.
1.3.4 Orientation (Level AA 2.1 only)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
1.3.5 Identify Input Purpose (Level AA 2.1 only)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports	

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
1.4.3 Contrast (Minimum) (Level AA)	Authoring Tool: Supports Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
1.4.4 Resize text (Level AA)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
1.4.5 Images of Text (Level AA)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
1.4.10 Reflow (Level AA 2.1 only)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
1.4.11 Non-text Contrast (Level AA 2.1 only)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
1.4.12 Text Spacing (Level AA 2.1 only)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
1.4.13 Content on Hover or Focus (Level AA 2.1 only)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
2.4.5 Multiple Ways (Level AA)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
2.4.6 Headings and Labels (Level AA)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports	

Criteria	Conformance Level	Remarks and Explanations
2.4.7 Focus Visible (Level AA)	Authoring Tool: Supports Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
3.1.2 Language of Parts (Level AA)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
3.2.3 Consistent Navigation (Level AA) Also applies to: Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 501 (Web)(Software) ● 504.2 (Authoring Tool) ● 602.3 (Support Docs) 	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
3.2.4 Consistent Identification (Level AA) Also applies to: Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 501 (Web)(Software) ● 504.2 (Authoring Tool) ● 602.3 (Support Docs) 	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
3.3.3 Error Suggestion (Level AA) Also applies to: Revised Section 508 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 501 (Web)(Software) ● 504.2 (Authoring Tool) ● 602.3 (Support Docs) 	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
3.3.4 Error Prevention (Legal, Financial, Data) (Level AA)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	
4.1.3 Status Messages (Level AA 2.1 only)	Web: Supports Electronic Docs: Supports Software: Supports Authoring Tool: Supports	

Table 3: Success Criteria, Level AAA

Notes: Table 3 has been removed because this product has not been tested for conformance to WCAG Level AAA criteria.

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