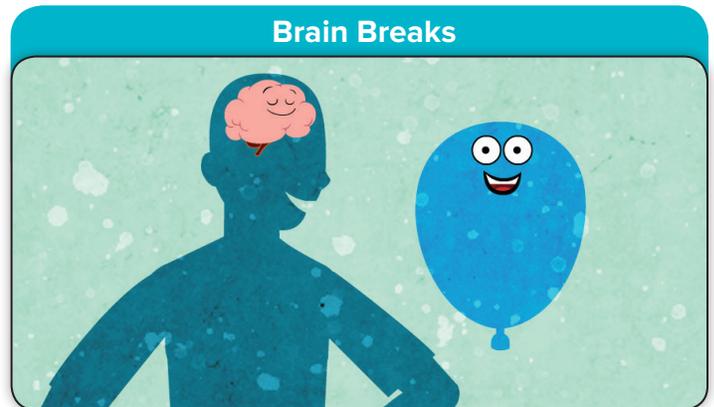


During the Diagnostic, students are provided with intermittent breaks in order to maximize their performance and promote their investment and engagement with the assessment.

Use the Breaks sub-tab to manage which type of breaks students see within the Diagnostic: either “Game Breaks” or “Brain Breaks.”



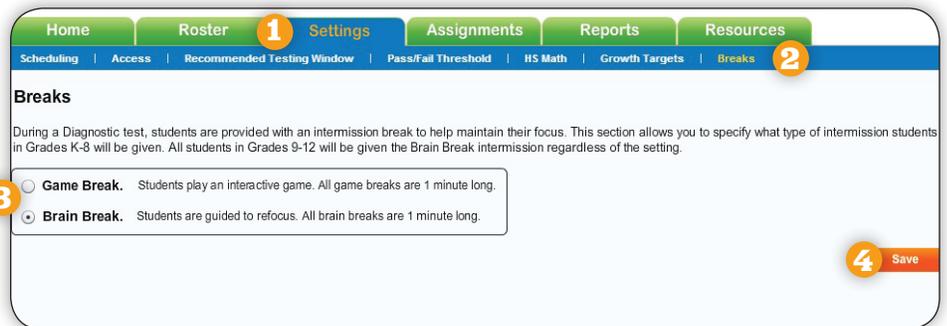
The default setting will be “Game Breaks,” during which a student will maneuver a spaceship or submarine through obstacles and collect points.

Brain Breaks, on the other hand, are one-minute relaxation exercises designed to help students improve their focus for the next portion of the assessment. If an Administrator chooses Brain Breaks, students will see Brain Breaks instead of games. These changes do not affect high school students who do not currently have games.

Adjusting Student Breaks on the Diagnostic:

If you are the highest-level administrator in your account, you can view or edit the type of breaks students see within the Diagnostic:

- 1 Select the **Settings Tab**
- 2 Select the **“Breaks”** sub-tab
- 3 Select either **“Game Break”** or **“Brain Break”**
- 4 Click **“Save”**



These settings can only be adjusted by the highest-level administrators in your *i-Ready* account. (If your account is a district account that contains multiple schools, then district administrators can adjust these settings. If your account is a school account, then school administrators can adjust these settings.)