

VPAT® 2.4 Report – Banzai.org

Product Name: Banzai.org Financial Literacy Platform

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1. Executive Summary

This VPAT evaluates Banzai.org's conformance with WCAG 2.1 AA guidelines across web experiences used by teachers, students, sponsors, and administrators. It reflects accessibility improvements completed as part of ongoing efforts, including WebAIM audit remediation, semantic updates, color contrast enhancements, keyboard navigation fixes, ARIA improvements, and screen-reader optimizations.

Accessibility evaluation was conducted on representative, high-usage user flows and core functionality. Some less-frequently used or recently updated areas of the platform were not included in the original third-party audit and are reviewed on an ongoing basis as part of continuous accessibility improvements.

2. Standards and Guidelines

This report covers conformance to the following:

- WCAG 2.1 Level A & AA
- Revised Section 508 Standards
- EN 301 549 (where applicable)

3. Evaluation Methods Used

Accessibility evaluation included manual code inspection, automated tool scanning (Axe, WAVE, Lighthouse), keyboard-only navigation testing, screen reader testing (NVDA + Firefox, VoiceOver + Safari), third-party audit review and remediation from WebAIM, and regression testing during feature deployments. Evaluation focused on primary user journeys for teachers and students, covering the most commonly used features and interfaces at the time of review.

4. WCAG 2.1 AA Conformance Summary

Fully Supports

- 1.4 Distinguishable
- 2.2 Enough Time
- 2.3 Seizures
- 2.4 Navigable
- 2.5 Input Modalities
- 3.1 Readable
- 3.2 Predictable

- 4.1 Compatible

A small number of links rely on surrounding contextual content to convey purpose. This approach meets WCAG 2.1 Level A requirements for Link Purpose (2.4.4). Opportunities to further improve standalone clarity are tracked as usability enhancements rather than accessibility defects.

5. Detailed WCAG 2.1 AA Table

Guideline	Conformance	Notes
1.4 Distinguishable (AA)	Supports	All text meets 4.5:1 contrast minimum; content reflows without horizontal scrolling at 400% zoom (1280px viewport).
2.2 Enough Time (A/AA)	Supports	Auto-playing animations include user controls to pause, stop, or skip content.
2.3 Seizures (A)	Supports	Content is not designed in a way known to cause seizures or physical reactions.
2.4 Navigable (A/AA)	Supports	Visible focus indicators implemented; hidden submenu items removed from focus order.
2.5 Input Modalities (AA)	Supports	Functionality is operable through multiple input methods beyond keyboard alone.
3.1 Readable (A)	Supports	Text content is readable and understandable.
3.2 Predictable (AA)	Supports	Pages appear and operate in predictable ways.
4.1 Compatible (A)	Supports	Compatibility with current and future user agents, including assistive technologies, is maximized.
2.4.4 Link Purpose (A)	Supports	Link purpose is determinable from link text or surrounding context, meeting WCAG 2.1 Level A requirements.

6. Known Issues & Planned Remediation

Based on review of the 2024 WebAIM audit and subsequent remediation and validation work, no outstanding WCAG 2.1 Level A or AA accessibility issues are currently known within the evaluated scope. Additional areas of the platform continue to be reviewed and improved as part of ongoing accessibility efforts.

7. Additional Notes

Banzai.org is committed to providing inclusive, accessible financial education. Accessibility improvements are integrated into all development sprints and reviewed during design, development, and code review.