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Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s):

The U.S. Department of Education has informed States that standardized assessments will not be waived for this school year. Therefore, D48 will be administering the Illinois Assessment of Readiness (IAR) to all students in grades 3-8. Testing will begin on Monday, May 4, and conclude on Friday, May 14. If a child is ill on a day of testing, we have makeup options and will test them when they return to school. Please do not, under any circumstances, send your child to school if they are not feeling well. Students will be testing daily for anywhere between 60-90 minutes, depending on the test being administered. All students will complete three mathematics assessments and three ELA assessments.

While IAR testing is important, please remember it is one measure of what your child currently knows in mathematics and ELA. There are a variety of skills, attributes, and dispositions we look to instill in our students in D48 that are not measured by the IAR.

Below you will find the testing sessions as well as your child's testing schedule. If you have any questions prior to testing, please contact your building administrator.

Mathematics

Grade(s)	Unit(s)	Testing Time (Minutes)
Grades 3-8	One, Two, & Three	60

English Language Arts (ELA)

Grade(s)	Unit(s)	Testing Time (Minutes)
Grade 3	One & Two	75
Grades 4-8	One & Two	90
Grade 3-8	Three	10-20

The schedule below outlines the dates and times for the 3rd grade students who are attending school in person.

In Person:

Date:	May 3	May 4	May 5	May 6	May 7
Test:	Math 1 8:00-9:15	Math 2 8:00-9:15 ELA 3 1:40-2:10	Math 3 8:00-9:15	ELA 1 8:00-9:30	ELA 2 8:00-9:30

Students that are participating in remote learning are also asked to take the test. Remote students can come in during the school day at their home school, in a separate setting from other students, to take the test. All social distancing and safety requirements will be adhered to.

The schedule below outlines the dates and times for the 3rd students who are in the remote setting. Please send your child to school on the dates below, with a mask and their charged Chromebook. **Please drop him/her off at school at 7:50 Monday-Friday.** Testing will begin at 8:00. You may pick your child up at the end time indicated in the schedule below.

Remote:

Date:	May 10	May 11	May 12	May 13	May 14
Test:	Math 1 8:00-9:15	Math 2 8:00-9:15	Math 3 8:00-9:15 ELA 3 9:30-10:00	ELA 1 8:00-9:30	ELA 2 8:00-9:30

Please don't hesitate to contact your school's office with any questions regarding the schedule.

Sincerely,

Dr. Chris Martelli
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