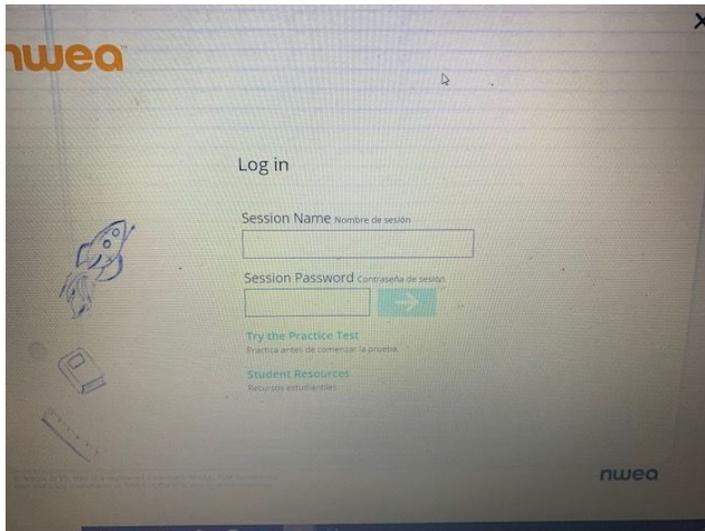


## NWEA for SCW Students

- The day before your child's scheduled test, try going to the NWEA website, which is [test.mapnwea.org](https://test.mapnwea.org) to confirm that you can get to the correct login page. It should look like the screen below:



- If you see the screen above, you are good to go for the test the next day. You will use the same web address when your student is ready to take the test at the scheduled time. Please note:
  - Prior to logging in, any pop up blockers will need to be disabled.
    - If you do have to disable your pop up blocker, you will have to close the browser and reopen it
  - Make sure your sound is on prior to logging in
  - Make sure your screen is no larger than 100%. If it is larger than 100%, you might not be able to see all the tools and directional pieces
- If you are having any problems with logging on, before reaching out to your child's teacher, review the Device Setup guide (Appendix A, attached).
- On the day of the test, you will log in to Google Meet to connect with your child's teacher. Your child's teacher will be giving his or her class directions through Google Meet, like normal. The teacher will be able to see students and answer questions during the test. If your child has a question during the test, we ask that he or she sends a message in the chat (K, 1 & 2 parents, you might need to help with this) as students' microphones should be muted during the testing time.

- You will once again go to the [test.mapnwea.org](https://test.mapnwea.org) and from there, will follow directions provided by your teacher through Google Meet. He or she will give you the Session Name and Password to access the test.

Things to remember for NWEA testing:

- Students in grades K, 1 and 2 will have items read to them. If other students are in the home, you might want to give them earphones so as not to disturb others
- Most students are familiar with NWEA and how to log in, but you might need to assist them with typing in the test session name, password, choosing their name from the list, and selecting the correct test. **It is extremely important that you follow the directions from your teacher as you login and do not rush ahead.**
- This is an assessment tool to gather data on where your student is currently at in areas of Reading, Language Arts, and Math. Please do not help them complete or answer problems during the test. If they have a question about the functions or tools of the test, have them message their teacher.
- Note that this is an adaptive test, and each student will start with different questions, depending on how they ended their last test session when they took NWEA. The questions will adapt to how the student is answering and it's possible some students might take longer than others to complete the test, possibly even needing to come back to the test at a later session. Your child's teacher will let you know if that is needed.
- While most students in Grades K, 1, and 2 will have questions read to them, depending on how they're answering, at some point if they get far enough along, the questions will stop being read to them. This is most likely to happen for students in second grade taking the test.
- **Most importantly, allow your child to demonstrate what they know and are able to do independently by not providing assistance in answering questions.** This test is NOT for a grade and is used solely for the purpose of giving us some data on where your student is instructionally and what he or she already knows and what areas need additional support.
- Encourage your child to try his or her best and monitor them to make sure they are not just clicking answers, but taking the time to read the questions and answer them to the best of their ability.