



# Parent Guide to Being TNReady

Northaven Elementary School  
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Students will be socially distanced during all test. Virtual Students will test in separate parts of the school. They will not test with the In-Person Students.

We are prioritizing student health and safety as we prepare to administer the required in-person tests including:

**Social distancing**

**Designating specific days for each grade level to test.**

**Using large spaces (gym) to test**

**Temperature checks**

**Required masks and PPE usage**

**Hand sanitizer stations**

# What is TNReady?

- TNReady is given to students in 3-8 grades.
- It is designed to assess true understanding, not just basic memorization and test-taking skills
- TNReady measures students' understanding of our state's standards in:
  - English language arts
  - Math
  - Social Studies
  - Science





Although the State does not require TCAP testing for second grade, the **District** **requires** this test each year to help measure students' growth and mastery of skills prior to grade 3.

Like all other TCAP/EOC tests, the second grade TCAP is a paper and pencil test that must be taken in school. Grade 2 test dates are May 17-19.

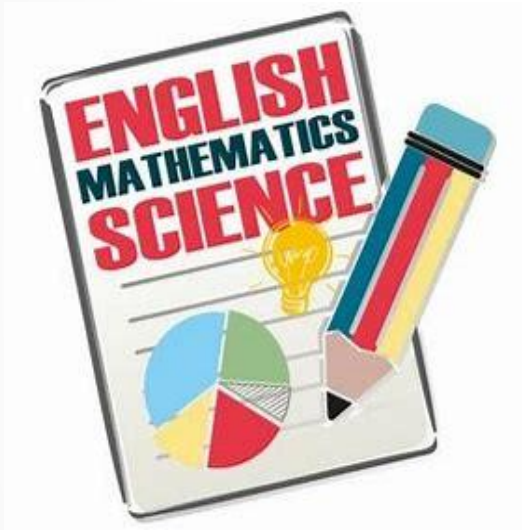
# TNReady Facts

- The state **requires** all students in **3-8** to take the paper test in person.
- It is very important for all students to be in school on testing days, including those currently learning virtually.
- Per SCS: **Attendance will be taken on testing days, and students will get a 100 as a participation grade in all tested subjects.**







# Tested Subjects for the 2020-21 School Year






- 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade
  - ELA and Math
- 3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup>
  - ELA
  - Math
  - Science



# 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Testing Times

	English Language Arts	Math	Science	Social Studies
<b>Grade 2</b>	Subpart 1 Session 1: 25 min. Session 2: 15 min. <b>Total: 40 min.</b> Subpart 2 Session 1: 15 min. Session 2: 25 min. <b>Total: 40 min.</b> Subpart 3 Session 1: 25 min. Session 2: 15 min. <b>Total: 40 min.</b> Subpart 4 Session 1: 2 min. Session 2: 15 min. Session 3: 25 min. <b>Total: 42 min.</b>  <b>Grand Total: 162 min.</b>	Subpart 1 Session 1: 30 min. Session 2: 10 min. <b>Total: 40 min.</b> Subpart 2 Session 1: 35 min. Session 2: 7 min. <b>Total: 42 min.</b>  <b>Grand Total: 82 min.</b>		

# 3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> Testing Times

	English Language Arts	Math	Science	Social Studies
<b>Grade 3</b>	Subpart 1: 80 min. (writing) Subpart 2: 30 min. Subpart 3: 40 min. Subpart 4: 30 min. <b>Total: 180 min.</b>	Subpart 1: 45 min. (no calculator) Subpart 2: 30 min. (calculator) Subpart 3: 40 min. (calculator) <b>Total: 115 min.</b>	Subpart 1: 50 min. <b>Total: 50 min.</b>	Paused 
<b>Grade 4</b>	Subpart 1: 80 min. (writing) Subpart 2: 30 min. Subpart 3: 40 min. Subpart 4: 30 min. <b>Total: 180 min.</b>	Subpart 1: 45 min. (no calculator) Subpart 2: 30 min. (calculator) Subpart 3: 40 min. (calculator) <b>Total: 115 min.</b>	Subpart 1: 50 min. <b>Total: 50 min.</b>	Paused 
<b>Grade 5</b>	Subpart 1: 80 min. (writing) Subpart 2: 40 min. Subpart 3: 40 min. Subpart 4: 40 min. <b>Total: 200 min.</b>	Subpart 1: 45 min. (no calculator) Subpart 2: 30 min. (calculator) Subpart 3: 40 min. (calculator) <b>Total: 115 min.</b>	Subpart 1: 75 min. <b>Total: 75 min.</b>	Paused 



**Virtual Students  
will not be  
served lunch.**

TNReady Testing Schedule

**May 2021**

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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<b>2</b>	<b>3</b> <b>3<sup>rd</sup> Grade</b> ELA Part I 80 Minutes <b>9:15 – 10:45</b> <b>10:45 – 11:15 BREAK</b> ELA Part II 30 Minutes <b>11:15 – 11:45</b> 12 noon Dismissal for Virtual Students (Gym)	<b>4</b> <b>3<sup>rd</sup> Grade</b> ELA Part 3 -40 Minutes <b>9:15 – 9:55</b> <b>9:55 – 10:15 BREAK</b> ELA Part 4 -30 Minutes <b>10:15 – 10:45</b> <b>10:45 – 11:00 BREAK</b> Science 50 minutes <b>11:00 – 11:50</b> 12 noon Dismissal for Virtual Students (Gym)	<b>5</b> <b>3<sup>rd</sup> Grade</b> Math Part 1-45 Minutes <b>9:15 – 10:00</b> <b>10:00-10:15 BREAK</b> Math Part 2 -30 Minutes <b>10:15 – 10:45</b> <b>10:45 – 11:00 BREAK</b> Math Part 3- 40 Minutes <b>11:00 – 11:40</b> 12 noon Dismissal for Virtual Students (Gym)	<b>6</b> <b>4<sup>th</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> Grades</b> ELA Part I -80 Minutes <b>9:15 – 10:45</b> <b>10:45 – 11:15 BREAK</b> 4 <sup>th</sup> ELA Part 2- 30 Minutes <b>11:15 – 11:45</b> 5 <sup>th</sup> ELA Part 2- 40 Minutes <b>11:15 – 11:55</b> 12 noon Dismissal for Virtual Students (Gym)	<b>7</b> <b>3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Make-up</b> ELA Parts 1-4 Math Parts 1-3  <b>4<sup>th</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> Grades Make-up</b> ELA Parts 1 and 2 12 noon Dismissal for Virtual Students (Gym)	<b>8</b> 3 <sup>rd</sup> (GYM) 4 <sup>th</sup> (GYM) 5 <sup>th</sup> (Science Lab)
<b>9</b>	<b>10</b> <b>4<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> ELA Part 3 -40 Minutes <b>9:15 – 9:55</b> <b>9:55 – 10:15 BREAK</b> ELA Part 4 -30 Minutes <b>10:15 – 10:45</b> <b>10:45 – 11:00 BREAK</b> Science 50 minutes <b>11:00 – 11:50</b> 12 noon Dismissal for Virtual Students (Gym)	<b>11</b> <b>4<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> Math Part 1-45 Minutes <b>9:15 – 10:00</b> <b>10:00-10:15 BREAK</b> Math Part 2 -30 Minutes <b>10:15 – 10:45</b> <b>10:45 – 11:00 BREAK</b> Math Part 3- 40 Minutes <b>11:00 – 11:40</b> 12 noon Dismissal for Virtual Students (Gym)	<b>12</b> <b>5<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> ELA Part 3 -40 Minutes <b>9:00 – 9:40</b> <b>9:40 – 9:50 BREAK</b> ELA Part 4 – 40 Minutes <b>9:50 – 10:30</b> <b>10:30 – 10:45 BREAK</b> Science – 75 Minutes <b>10:45 – 12:00</b> 12 noon Dismissal for Virtual Students (Gym)	<b>13</b> <b>5<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> Math Part 1 45 Minutes <b>9:15 – 10:00</b> <b>10:00-10:15 BREAK</b> Math Part 2 – 30 Minutes <b>10:15 – 10:45</b> <b>10:45 – 11:00 BREAK</b> Math Part 3 -40 Minutes <b>11:00 – 11:40</b> 12 noon Dismissal for Virtual Students (Gym)	<b>14</b> <b>3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> Make-Up</b> ELA Math Science	<b>15</b> 4 <sup>th</sup> (GYM) 5 <sup>th</sup> (GYM)
<b>16</b>	<b>17</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Grade</b> ELA Part 1 40 Minutes 9:15 – 9:55 9:55 – 10:15 BREAK ELA Part 2 -40 Minutes 10:15 – 10:55 11:00 a.m. Dismissal for Virtual Students (Gym)	<b>18</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Grade</b> ELA Part 3 – 40 Minutes 9:15 – 9:55 9:55 – 10:15 BREAK ELA Part 4 – 42 Minutes 10:15 – 10:57 11:00 a.m. Dismissal for Virtual Students (Gym)	<b>19</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Grade</b> Math Part 1 – 40 Minutes 9:15 – 9:55 9:55 – 10:15 BREAK Math Part 2 – 42 Minutes 10:15 – 10:57 11:00 a.m. Dismissal for Virtual Students (Gym)	<b>20</b> 2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade Make-up Day	<b>21</b> 2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade Make-up Day	<b>22</b> 2 <sup>nd</sup> (Gym) Mon. – Wed Virtual Test Admin. – Driver Proctors: Shepard and Hodge

# Attendance Matters

- Students will test in the morning from 9:00a.m. – 11:45 a.m.
  - Goal is for 100% of our students to arrive to school on time every day!
- Students will be rewarded for arriving to school on time and completing all parts of TNReady.
- **We need 100% of our 2<sup>nd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> Graders to complete the TNReady Assessments.**



**ATTENDANCE  
MATTERS.**  
ALL DAY, EVERY DAY

# Attendance Matters

Being in the classroom is an important family responsibility.

Ensure that your child is engaged in school by:

- Proactively scheduling doctor appointments and family events around school hours
- Practicing a regular bedtime and morning schedule
- Communicating with your child about the importance of being in school every day.



# Morning In-Take

- **In-Person Students**
  - Main Entrance between 7:55 a.m. – 8:10 a.m.
- **Virtual Students**
  - Enter at the GYM between 8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

Temperature will be taken at the door.

Students will receive hand sanitizer.

All students must wear a face mask.



# Testing Environment

- **In-Person Students**

- Students will test in the classroom
- Every student will have a desk shield
- All desks will be 6 feet apart



- **Virtual Students**

- Students will test in the GYM or Science Lab (5<sup>th</sup> Grade Only)
- Students will be socially distanced, in all test areas.
- All desks will be 6 feet apart.
- Students will use the restrooms in/near the gym ONLY.
- Students will not interact with the general student population.
  - Drop off, Testing, Pick up will take place in/near the gym.

# Breakfast and Lunch

- Breakfast
  - In-Person and Virtual Students will receive breakfast
  - Virtual Students will eat breakfast in the gym
- Lunch—Virtual students will not have lunch at school.
- All virtual students must be picked up at 12 noon.





# Dismissal

- **In-Person Students**
  - Students will be dismissed each day at 3:00 p.m. (No Change)
- **Virtual Students**
  - Students must be picked up each day at 12 noon.



# Virtual Students

- Virtual students will:
  - Enter at the GYM
  - Eat breakfast in the GYM
  - Use the restroom in the GYM
  - Complete the TNReady Assessment in the GYM
    - 5th Grade will test in the Science Lab on Thursday ONLY.
    - The Science Lab is near the GYM area.
  - Be dismissed from the GYM
  - Email Mr. Padgett at [padgett@scsk12.org](mailto:padgett@scsk12.org) if your virtual student will walk to/from school.



# Attendance Matter

- Is your child present and engaged in the classroom?
  - Poor attendance can influence whether children are reading proficiently by the end of third grade or being held back. Nationally, students who miss 10 percent or more days in early grades score 60 points below their peers in third grade reading tests. By ninth grade, absenteeism is a better predictor of dropping out of high school than eighth grade test scores.



# We need your help!

- Send your child to school on the specified testing day on time.
- Encourage your child to do his/her best.
- Make sure your child gets plenty of rest.

**WE NEED YOU!**  
**TO MAKE IT HAPPEN**

# WHAT NEXT?

- If your child cannot attend on the day(s) of their test you must email Mrs. C. Williams to schedule make-ups at [williamsc2@scsk12.org](mailto:williamsc2@scsk12.org).





# Upcoming Events

- Next week is Teacher Appreciation Week.





# Contact Us

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