

It's Test Time!



2021 TCAP AND END OF COURSE TESTING BEGINS MAY 3 FOR ALL SCS DISTRICT-MANAGED AND CHARTER SCHOOLS.



ALL TESTS ARE IN PERSON.

The State requires all students in grades 3 - 8 and high school students in tested subjects to take the **paper tests** in person, so **it is important for all students to be in school on testing days, including those currently learning virtually.** Transportation is available for all eligible students. Parents also have the option to bring their students only for scheduled testing or allow them to stay at school all day. **Please complete the transportation survey in PowerSchool by April 23.**



WHY ARE TESTS IMPORTANT?

Tests provide families with valuable information about how well students are mastering state learning standards and meeting grade level expectations. Test scores are used to determine placement in honors/advanced courses, as well as entry into the Optional or C.L.U.E program. They also help teachers determine additional personalized learning supports. **Attendance will be taken on testing days, and students will get a 100 participation grade in all tested subjects.**



WE'RE PRIORITIZING SAFETY.

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

- **Social distancing during testing**, including use of large spaces like the gym, cafeteria, library and multi-purpose room
- **Enhanced cleaning** and ventilation systems
- Temperature checks, PPE usage and hand sanitizer stations

PLEASE CONFIRM HOW YOUR CHILD WILL BE COMING TO SCHOOL ON TESTING DAYS BY COMPLETING THE TCAP/EOC SURVEY IN POWERSCHOOL BY APRIL 23. CONTACT YOUR SCHOOL FOR ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS ABOUT THE TESTS & TESTING SCHEDULE.