

Spring Testing

Dear Parents,

The arrival of spring also means that it's the time of year for testing. Your child will be taking a variety of tests to assess their skills and/or progress made during the school year. Please be aware of the test dates (see side bar).

Here is what you can do to best prepare your child. Your child needs:

- A least 8 hours of sleep every night, especially before and during testing;
- A nutritious breakfast every morning before school;
- Comfortable clothes;
- To avoid stressful situations before and during testing;
- Your support and encouragement;
- You to be positive on testing days.

Contact any of the following staff members if you have questions or concerns (first initial, last name @csdf-cde.ca.gov):

- Your child's teacher or principal
- Michele Tompkins, Teacher Specialist, ECE
- Nancy Brill, Elementary Literacy Coach
- Janice Orton, Middle School Literacy Coach
- Kate Kovacs, High School Literacy Coach
- Joann Coakley, K-12 Learning Strategies Specialist
- Michele Berke, Student Outcomes Specialist

ECE (pre-school/pre-K)

*ASL: May 16-June 3

*DRDP: March 1-April 30

ECE (Kindergarten)

*ASL: May 16-June 3

*Observation Survey: April 18-June 3

*Instructional Reading Level:

April 8-June 3

*6 Traits Writing: April 8-June 3

Special Needs

*ASL: April 13-June 3

*MAP Reading, Language, Math

(Transition, Grades 6-12):

April 13-May 18

*CAPA (Grades 2-11): April 13-May 18

*Observation Survey (Grades 1-5):

April 13-June 3

*Instructional Reading Level

(Grades 1-5): April 13-June 3

*DRA (Grades 6-8): April 13-June 3

*6 Traits Writing: April 13-June 3

Elementary

*ASL: March 18-June 3

*Observation Survey: April 18-June 3

*Instructional Reading Level:

April 18-June 3

*6 Traits Writing: April 18-June 3

*MAP Reading, Language, Math

(Grades 3-5): April 18-May 20

*CA Standards (Grades 2-5): May 2-16

Middle School

*ASL: April 4-22

*DRA: April 4-May 6

*6 Traits Writing: April 4-May 6

*MAP Reading, Language, Math:

May 2-13

*CA Standards: April 13-14 & 18-19

High School

*MAP Reading, Language, Math:

April 1-15

*CA Standards (Grades 9-11):

May 9-12

Physical Education

*Physical Fitness Test (Grades 5-10):

late May