



Dear Parents and Guardians

All students take the STAR Reading and Math assessments during English class, and the Math STAR assessment is given during math class. Each assessment takes approximately 25 minutes and is completed during the regular class period.

Computer-Adaptive Format

STAR assessments are computer-adaptive, meaning the difficulty of questions adjusts based on student responses. This allows the assessment to more accurately measure each student's skill level.

Assessment Content

- STAR Math measures achievement in numbers and operations, algebra, geometry and measurement, and data analysis and probability.
- STAR Reading measures skills such as word knowledge, reading comprehension, literary analysis, and text analysis.

Make-Up Testing

Students who miss a STAR assessment must complete it in the **Assessment Center** before or after school five days a week or during lunch on Mondays, Wednesdays, or Fridays. If make-up testing is required, families will be contacted directly with additional information.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding the STAR assessments, please contact me at sgorman@d120.org at any time.

Sincerely,

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