



## International Community School

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### **Principal Update 5/6/2022**

Posted by ICS Office on Friday, May 6 at 3:28 PM in International Community School

#### **Fall SBA Family Reports from OSPI**

In fall of 2021, students in 4th-9th and 11th grades took the Smarter Balanced Assessment (SBA) in English language arts and math.

Students in 6th, 9th and 12th grade took the Washington State Comprehensive Assessment of Science (WCAS). The primary purpose of these tests was a brief check-in on how students are doing compared to some of the state standards.

Scores from these tests were posted to Family Access in December under "Test Scores". OSPI has now provided electronic score reports in PDF format to the district for the students that took the fall test. These score reports do not provide any new student score data; however, they provide graphical and textual explanations of the data. These score reports are now in Family Access.

To Access the PDF score report:

1. Login to Family Access.
2. Select "Portfolio" on left menu.
3. Select "Show Scores" for the assessment.

[Skyward Family Access support](#) is available on the LWSD website.

Scores from the spring 2022 state tests for ELA and math are typically available by end of June. A communication will be sent when these scores are posted to Family Access.

#### **On-site testing for COVID**

Lake Washington School District (LWSD) is committed to providing a safe environment to our students and staff. Part of that commitment is to adapt to the constant changes related to the COVID-19 pandemic. Last month, LWSD received guidance from the Department of Health to help lead us through this next phase of the pandemic. Part of the guidance included language regarding testing and how the school district can maintain this valuable resource for the students and staff of LWSD.

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The process LWSD is following related to COVID-19 on-site testing has changed with this newest guidance. Families can still expect to see a COVID-19 exposure notification when we are notified of a positive case on campus. The notification will provide instructions for how to sign up for testing. If a family wants their student to be tested, then they need to have [the opt-in form](#) signed. It is only after the opt-in form is signed can families [sign up their student to be tested](#) and entered into the testing schedule. The opt-in form only needs to be completed once per school year. If you wish to learn more about LWSD on-site testing, please click [here](#).

### **Attendance**

To report your student absent, arriving late, or leaving early, please send an email to the attendance office at [ICSAttendance@lwsd.org](mailto:ICSAttendance@lwsd.org). Please include your student's full name, grade, and the reason for being excused. To speak with the attendance secretary, please call the hotline number: 425 936 2381.

### **Parents bringing items**

There is a shelf inside the school entry for dropping off any items, such as lunches, books, or homework for your student. Please make sure that the item is labeled with your student's name and that you have informed them. Laptops must be brought into the office.

### **School Traffic Map**

Please review the [Traffic Map](#) for student drop off and pick up.

### **Contact Information**

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