Istation ISIP Testing at Home
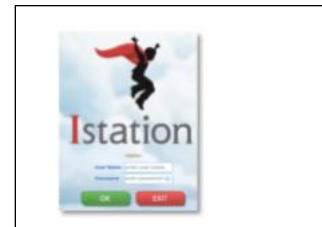
Before Testing

1. Find a quiet space for your child to take the test.
2. Talk with your child about why they are taking the test (to show what they know), explain that families cannot help them answer any questions (it is okay to answer incorrectly or not know the answer). Encourage your child to do their best!
3. Teachers will help determine a time for students to take the test. We recommend testing earlier in the day, if possible. The test takes about 30 minutes to complete.
4. Your child's teacher will provide login information.
5. Your child's teacher will inform you regarding the name of the test your child is taking: Istation Reading ISIP, Istation Math ISIP, or both.
6. Make sure the audio on the computer is working or use headphones.
7. No outside electronic devices permitted (cell phones, tablets, etc.)

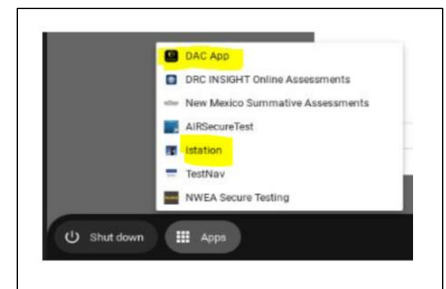**Logging In To Istation**

From an iPad:

1. The free Istation application needs to be downloaded from the App store- Apple. APS devices should already have this downloaded.
2. Open the Istation app.
3. Enter student's username and password provided by the teacher to begin.
4. If you need help, please contact your student's teacher.

From APS Chromebooks:

Please follow these steps to access Istation on your student's APS Chromebook

1. Turn on the Chromebook. <u>Do not</u> sign in to the Chromebook using the student's APS username and password.
2. At the sign on screen, bottom left, locate the grid or waffle icon labeled apps
3. Click or hover over the grid or waffle icon
4. A menu will appear listing several applications
5. Find Istation in that menu and click on Istation
6. Enter the student's unique username and password provided by the teacher

Downloading Istation to Personally Owned Computer Devices

For parents who wish to download the Istation app to personal computing devices, such as home laptops, desktops, iPads, or tablets, the Istation app is available through the following resources:

1. https://www.istation.com/Support#download
2. apps.apple.com
3. chrome.google.com/webstore

Once the Istation app is downloaded to personal computing devices, it functions with the student's unique user name and password obtained from your student' teacher. Both APS Assessment and Istation Support do not recommend using Istation on any smart phone device.