



[What Families Should Know About STAAR](#)

Parents can access STAAR scores using the [state platform](#), or the Keller ISD [Aeries Parent Portal](#).

STAAR Testing Dates

3rd and 4th Grade students will be taking the State of Texas Assessment of Academic Readiness (**STAAR**) RLA test on **April 16th**, and (**STAAR**) Math test on **April 30th**.

TELPAS Testing Dates

2nd, 3rd, and 4th Grade students who have been identified as English Learners (ELs) will take the Texas English Language Proficiency Assessment System (**TELPAS**) Listening/Speaking test on **March 4th**, and (**TELPAS**) Reading/Writing test on **March 5th**.

Due to testing, we will NOT have visitors on campus the following days:

March 4th, March 5th, April 16th, and April 17th

This is for all grade levels - No visitors (including lunch) are allowed on campus.

Below are important things for third and fourth grade parents to know:

DO:

- Send your student well rested. Students need a good night of sleep.

- Students need to eat a healthy breakfast or arrive early enough to eat breakfast at school.
- Students need to be at school on time.
- Send a jacket/sweater and dress comfortably.
- Send healthy/non-messy snacks.

DON'T:

- Send backpacks.
- If possible, please have your student leave their cell phone, fit bits, Apple watches, tablets, etc. at home. All of these types of items will be taken up before testing and will not be returned until all students are done testing for the day.

Let's work together and make your child's testing experience a positive and successful one! We will help to prepare them at school by focusing on perseverance, doing their personal best, and never giving up! It's important for students (and parents) to know that while testing is important and we do take it seriously, it is only one means of showing what students know. This test alone won't be able to show all the ways your child has grown and all that they have accomplished. We understand that there is often some anxiety surrounding these tests. Partner with us in letting your child know how proud we already are of them.