



## OER & PCR Test Days

Dear MPTCHS Community,

As we enter testing season, it is essential that students in grades 9-11 develop proficiency in Open-Ended Responses (OERs) and Prose Constructed Responses (PCRs). To support student success, we are implementing OER & PCR Test Days to provide structured practice, build confidence, and strengthen writing skills.

These assessments will help students familiarize themselves with response formats, improve their ability to analyze texts, and enhance their written expression—skills that are critical for both standardized testing and academic success.

### Test Dates & Details

Friday, March 21st

- ELA PCR (60 minutes)
  - 9th Grade: Narrative Task
  - 10th Grade: Literary Analysis Task
- Math OER (20 minutes)
  - 9th Grade: Algebra I
  - 10th Grade: Geometry
- 11th Grade: LinkIt! Form C Assessment

Friday, April 4th

- Math OER (20 minutes – in Math Class)
  - 9th Grade: Algebra I
  - 10th Grade: Geometry

### Important Reminders

- ★ Students must bring their Chromebooks fully charged for testing.
- ★ Come prepared and on time to ensure a smooth testing process.

We appreciate the support of our teachers, students, and families as we work together to strengthen student performance and readiness for these important assessments. Please reach out with any questions.

Thank you for your partnership!

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**Assessment Friday Bell Schedule**  
**1/24, 2/21, 3/21**

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| <b>8:15 - 8:25 a.m.</b>   | <b>Homeroom</b>   |
| <b>8:25 - 8:53 a.m.</b>   | <b>1st Period</b>   |
| <b>8:56 - 9:24 a.m.</b>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Testing for Grades 9-10 (<i>ELA - 60 minutes, Math - 20 minutes</i>)</li> <li>• <i>Testing Linkit Form C ELA (11th Grade 100 minutes)</i></li> <li>• Seniors in Cafeteria (<i>Convocation + Portfolios + Lunch</i>)</li> </ul> |
| <b>9:27 - 9:55 a.m.</b>   |   |
| <b>9:58 - 10:26 a.m.</b>  |   |
| <b>10:29 - 10:57 a.m.</b> |   |
| <b>11:00 - 11:28 a.m.</b> | <b>3rd Period</b> ( <i>9th Grade Lunch</i> )  |
| <b>11:31 - 11:59 a.m.</b> | <b>4th Period</b> ( <i>10th Grade Lunch</i> )   |
| <b>12:02 - 12:30 p.m.</b> | <b>5th Period</b> ( <i>11th Grade Lunch</i> )   |