

A FAMILY'S GUIDE TO UNDERSTANDING



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Today we will discuss:

- *What is CAASPP?*
- *How is the CAASPP administered?*
- *Who takes the CAASPP?*
- *How can families help students prepare for CAASPP?*
- *When and how are test results reported?*
- *What resources are available for parents/families?*



Hoy aprenderemos:

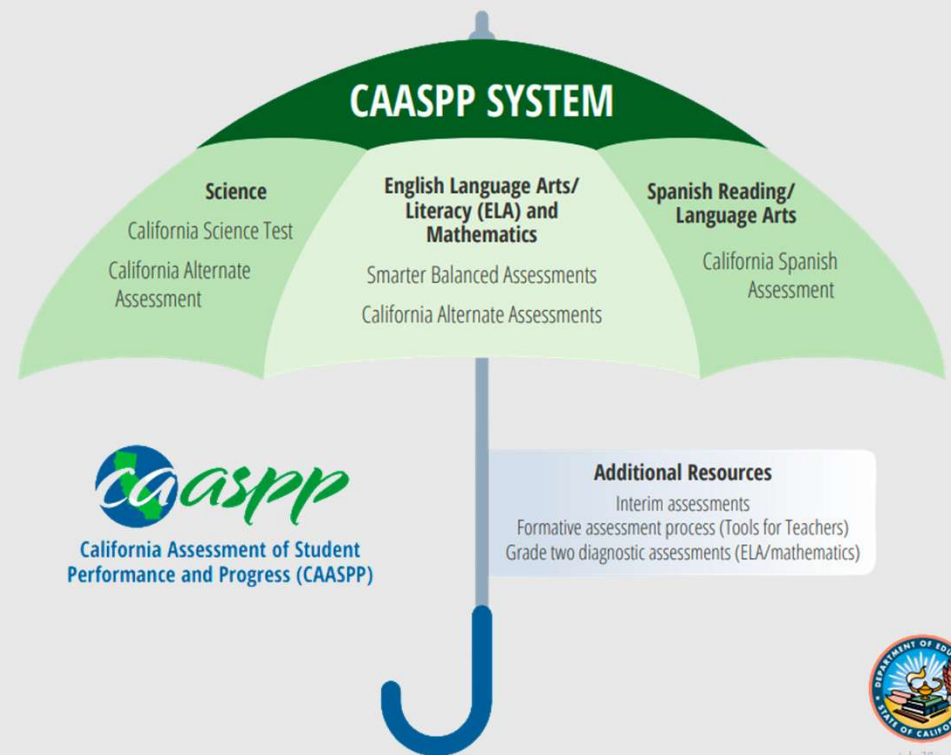
- *¿Qué es CAASPP?*
- *¿Cómo se administra el CAASPP?*
- *¿Quién toma el CAASPP?*
- *¿Cómo pueden las familias ayudar a los estudiantes a prepararse para CAASPP?*
- *¿Cuándo y cómo se informan los resultados de las pruebas?*
- *¿Qué recursos están disponibles para padres/familias?*



What is CAASPP?

California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress

- CAASPP is our statewide assessment system, also known as summative assessments.
- The umbrella term we use to talk about the summative assessments students take is CAASPP which stands for the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress.

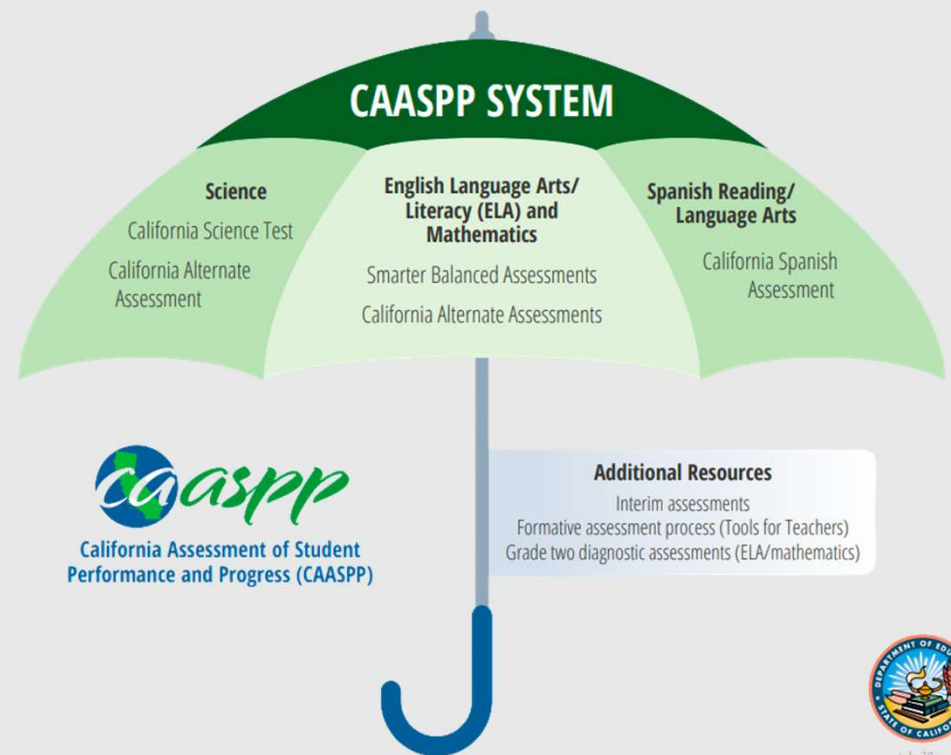


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¿Que es CAASPP?

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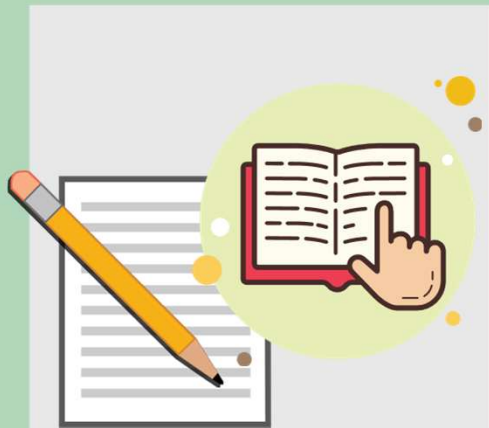
- CAASPP es nuestro sistema de evaluación a nivel estatal, también conocido como evaluaciones sumativas.
- El término general que utilizamos para hablar sobre las evaluaciones sumativas que toman los estudiantes es CAASPP, que significa Evaluación de California del desempeño y progreso de los estudiantes..



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What is tested on CAASPP?

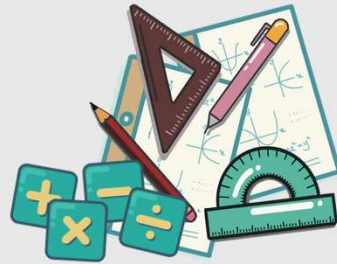
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Grades 3-8 and 11

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MATH

Grades 3-8 and 11

CAST

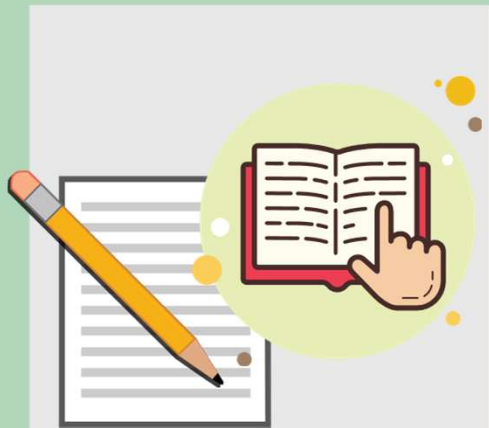


SCIENCE

Grades 5, 8 and 11

¿Qué se prueba en CAASPP?

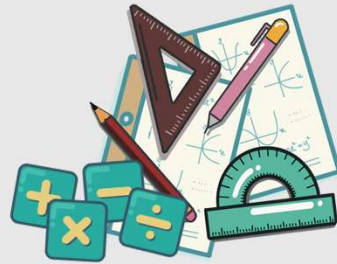
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Lectura

Grados 3-8 and 11

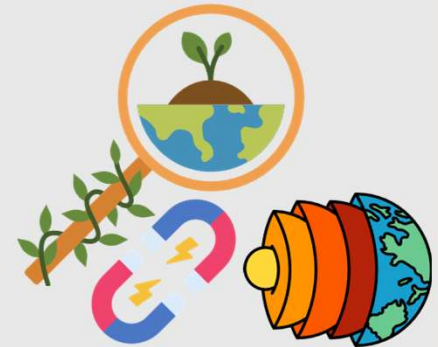
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Matemáticas

Grados 3-8 and 11

CAST



Ciencias

Grado 5, 8 and 11

Who takes the CAASPP?

- Students in Grades 3-8 and high school take the CAASPP assessments for English Language Arts and Mathematics
- Students in Grades 5, 8, and high school take the CAST - California Science Test
- The only exception is for those students who take the California Alternate Assessments based on their Individualized Education Plan (IEP).



¿Quién toma CAASPP?

- Los estudiantes de 3.º a 8.º grado y de la escuela secundaria toman las evaluaciones CAASPP de artes del lenguaje inglés y matemáticas.
- Los estudiantes de 5.º, 8.º grado y de la escuela secundaria toman el CAST - Examen de Ciencias de California
- La única excepción es para aquellos estudiantes que toman las Evaluaciones Alternativas de California según su Plan de Educación Individualizado (IEP).



How is the CAASPP administered?



- The CAASPP assessments are all taken on a computer. The Smarter Balanced Summative Assessments in ELA and mathematics are computer adaptive where the difficulty increases/decreases depending on how students respond.
- The CAST and ELA/Math Performance Tasks are not computer adaptive but are still taken on a computer.
- Students take the assessments in a standardized manner where specific rules and protocol are followed by teachers and school staff.

¿Cómo se administra el CAASPP?



- Todas las evaluaciones CAASPP se toman en una computadora. Las evaluaciones sumativas Smarter Balanced en ELA y matemáticas se adaptan a la computadora y la dificultad aumenta o disminuye dependiendo de cómo responden los estudiantes.
- Las tareas de rendimiento CAST y ELA/Matemáticas no se adaptan a la computadora, pero aun así se toman en una computadora.
- Los estudiantes toman las evaluaciones de manera estandarizada donde los maestros y el personal de la escuela siguen reglas y protocolos específicos.

How can families help students prepare for CAASPP?

ASK YOUR CHILD'S TEACHER:

- *In what areas is my child doing well?*
- *In what areas might my child need some extra support?*
- *How can I help support my child at home?*
- *How can I support my child prepare for testing?*
- *What supports can we put in place for my child during testing?*



¿Cómo pueden las familias ayudar a los estudiantes a prepararse para CAASPP?

PREGÚNTELE A LA MAESTRA DE SU HIJO:

- ¿En qué áreas le está yendo bien a mi hijo?
- ¿En qué áreas podría mi hijo necesitar apoyo adicional?
- ¿Cómo puedo ayudar a apoyar a mi hijo en casa?
- ¿Cómo puedo ayudar a mi hijo a prepararse para los exámenes?
- ¿Qué apoyos podemos implementar para mi hijo durante las



How can families help students prepare for CAASPP?

HELP YOUR CHILD SUCCEED:

- *Discuss the test with your child.*
- *Set expectations.*
- *Take a practice or training test with your child.*
- *Make sure your child gets a good night's sleep and a nutritious breakfast before testing.*
- *Write your child an encouraging note.*
- *Encourage your child to try their best.*



¿Cómo pueden las familias ayudar a los estudiantes a prepararse para CAASPP?

AYUDE A SU HIJO A TENER ÉXITO:

- *Discuta la prueba con su hijo.*
- *Establece expectativas.*
- *Realice una prueba de práctica o entrenamiento con su hijo.*
- *Asegúrese de que su hijo duerma bien por la noche y tome un desayuno nutritivo antes de realizar la prueba.*
- *Escríbale a su hijo una nota alentadora.*
- *Anime a su hijo a hacer lo mejor que pueda.*



When and how are test results reported?



- Students who take the CAASPP tests will receive scores in late summer or early fall.
- When you receive your child's student score report, take a moment to review it with your child and understand what it shows.
- The score report will show your child's score for each assessment as well as one of four achievement levels:
 - Standard Not Met or Level 1
 - Standard Nearly Met or Level 2
 - Standard Met or Level 3 or
 - Standard Exceeded or Level 4

¿Cuándo y cómo se informan los resultados de las pruebas?



- *Estándar no cumplido o nivel 1*
- *Estándar casi cumplido o nivel 2*
- *Estándar cumplido o Nivel 3 o*
- *Estándar excedido o nivel 4*

- *Los estudiantes que tomen los exámenes CAASPP recibirán calificaciones a fines del verano o principios del otoño.*
- *Cuando reciba el informe de calificaciones estudiantiles de su hijo, tómese un momento para revisarlo con su hijo y comprender lo que muestra.*
- *El informe de calificaciones mostrará la puntuación de su hijo para cada evaluación, así como uno de los cuatro niveles de logro:*



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Las colaboraciones entre las familias y las escuelas son la clave para el éxito de su hijo/a. Dadas las interrupciones en el aprendizaje durante el año pasado, es más importante que nunca que usted tenga una imagen completa del progreso académico de su hijo/a y cómo la pandemia impactó su aprendizaje. Además de las calificaciones en el boletín, los exámenes en las clases y sus propias observaciones sobre el aprendizaje de su hijo/a durante el año pasado, usted puede **usar los informes de puntuación para entender mejor las fortalezas y las áreas para mejorar de su hijo/a**. Entonces, usted puede colaborar con los maestros en el otoño para juntos crear metas de aprendizaje para el año escolar.





Check out the **Test Questions**

Enter your child's grade and select a subject and area to see descriptions of the skills and sample test questions in each performance area.

 *Select Subject*



 *Select Grade*



 *Select Area*



SUBMIT



Consulte **las preguntas** de la **prueba**

Ingrese el grado de su hijo/a y seleccione un tema y área para ver descripciones de las habilidades y ejemplos de preguntas de prueba en cada área de desempeño.

 *Seleccionar Materia*



 *Seleccionar Grado*



 *Seleccionar Area*



ENVIAR

CAASPP California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress

Sophia E Mitchell
CAASPP SCORE REPORT
2022-23 | GRADE 5

Sophia's 2022-23 Smarter Balanced

FOR THE FAMILY OF:
SOPHIA E MITCHELL
1234 MAIN STREET
APT. 123
YOUR CITY, CA 12345

Student #: 9988776701
Date of Birth: 09/15/2012
Grade: 5
Test Date: Spring 2023
School: California Elementary School
LEA: California School District
CDS: 7654321000000

Statewide Assessments: Just One Measure of Sophia's Progress
California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP) results in English language arts/mathematics (ELA) and mathematics give one measure of how well students are mastering California's challenging academic standards. The skills called for by these standards—the ability to write clearly, think critically, and solve problems—are essential for preparing students for college and a 21st-century career.

Sophia's Overall ELA Level for 2022-23
LEVEL 3 Standard Met

Sophia's Overall Mathematics Level for 2022-23
LEVEL 3 Standard Met

What do my child's scores mean?
There are four levels of scores for ELA and mathematics. "Standard Met" and "Standard Exceeded" are the state targets for all students.
Standard Exceeded (Level 4)
Standard Met (Level 3)
Standard Nearly Met (Level 2)
Standard Not Met (Level 1)
Score ranges for each level are different for each grade, and the standards for the next grade are higher than for the previous grade. As a result, students may need a higher score to stay in the same level as the previous year.

CAASPP California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress

Matthew N Martin
CAA SCORE REPORT
2022-23 | GRADE 5

Matthew's 2022-23 California Alternate Assessments (CAAs)

FOR THE FAMILY OF:
MATTHEW N MARTIN
1234 MAIN STREET
YOUR CITY, CA 12345

Student #: 9988776704
Date of Birth: 09/15/2012
Grade: 5
Test Date: Spring 2023
School: California Elementary School
LEA: California School District
CDS: 7654321000000

Statewide Assessments: Just One Measure of Matthew's Progress
California Alternate Assessments (CAAs) are online tests for eligible students with individualized education programs (IEPs) that designate the use of an alternate assessment to measure student progress using alternate achievement standards.

Matthew's Overall CAA for English Language Arts/Literacy (ELA) Level for 2022-23
LEVEL 3 Understanding

Matthew's Overall CAA for Mathematics Level for 2022-23
LEVEL 3 Understanding

What are the California Alternate Assessments?
The CAAs give students the opportunity to demonstrate their learning by taking a test aligned with alternate achievement standards for their grade level. Working with a teacher, Matthew was encouraged to complete questions as independently as possible. Matthew had an opportunity to answer questions representing different levels of complexity, which helps to demonstrate what Matthew knows and can do. Like other California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP) tests, the CAAs offer accessibility resources according to the needs of each student as described in the student's IEP.

What does my child's score mean?
There are three levels of scores for the CAA for ELA and CAA for Mathematics:
Understanding (Level 3—Alternate)
Foundational Understanding (Level 2—Alternate)
Limited Understanding (Level 1—Alternate)

CAASPP California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress

Sophia's 2022-23 California Science Test (CAST)

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APT. 123
YOUR CITY, CA 12345

Student #: 9988776701
Date of Birth: 09/15/2012
Grade: 5
Test Date: Spring 2023
School: California Elementary School
LEA: California School District
CDS: 7654321000000

Statewide Assessments: Just One Measure of Sophia's Progress
This year, students in grade five took the California Science Test (CAST). This test measures students' understanding of the California Next Generation Science Standards (CA NGSS), which cover the core ideas, concepts, and practices in science and engineering. The CAST is one measure of your child's academic performance. Your child's results should be viewed with other available information—such as classroom tests, assignments, and grades.

Sophia's Overall Science Level for 2022-23
LEVEL 3 Standard Met

What do my child's scores mean?
There are four levels of scores for science. "Standard Met" and "Standard Exceeded" are the state targets for all students.
Standard Exceeded (Level 4)
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About the CAST for Grade Five
The CAST is a science test that measures how well your child understands the scientific core ideas, concepts, and practices in the CA NGSS. The CAST assesses skills such as critical thinking and problem solving. The CAST contains stand-alone questions and performance tasks. The stand-alone questions include multiple choice, matching, fill-in, graphing, and short written responses. The performance tasks ask students to make sense of scientific phenomena in simulated experiments or real-world situations. The knowledge and skills assessed on the CAST are critical for students to be prepared for success in college or a career.

Select the Sample Score Report You're Looking For:

ELA & MATH

LEXILE & QUANTILE

ALTERNATE ELA & MATH

SCIENCE

ALTERNATE SCIENCE

SPANISH

Seleccione **el Informe de puntuación** de muestra que está buscando:

LENGUA Y LITERATURA INGLESA (ELA) Y MATEMÁTICAS

LEXILE Y QUANTILE

EXAMEN ALTERNATIVO PARA ELA Y MATEMÁTICAS

CIENCIAS

CIENCIAS ALTERNATIVAS

ESPAÑOL



BE A LEARNING HERO!

Visit the Learning Heroes website to find resources and tools to help your child thrive in school.

GO TO THE SITE



¡CONVIÉRTETE EN UN HÉROE DEL APRENDIZAJE!

Visita el sitio web de Héroe del aprendizaje (Learning Heroes) para acceder a recursos y herramientas que ayuden a tu hijo a prosperar en la escuela.

VE AL SITIO



PLAN FOR YOUR PARENT-TEACHER CONVERSATIONS

Use this tool to have a meaningful conversation about your child's test results and to co-create a learning plan with the teacher.

GO TO THE PLANNING TOOL



PLANIFIQUE SUS CONVERSACIONES ENTRE PADRES Y MAESTROS

Esta útil «Guía para una reunión productiva entre padres y maestros» incluye una lista de preguntas para analizar, junto con el maestro, el desempeño de su hijo en el salón de clases, su progreso académico y mucho más.

OBTÉN LA GUÍA



CHECK OUT THE TEST IN ACTION

Visit the CAASPP practice test to try out live, interactive questions and the testing features students can use.

TAKE PRACTICE TEST



MIRA LA PRUEBA EN ACCIÓN

Ingresa a la prueba de práctica de la Evaluación del Rendimiento y Progreso Académico en California (California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress, CAASPP), responde preguntas interactivas en vivo y prueba las funciones que los estudiantes pueden usar.

TOMA LA PRUEBA DE PRÁCTICA

The screenshot shows the login interface for the ELPAC Practice and Training Test site. At the top, there are logos for 'caspp' and 'ELPAC' (English Language Proficiency Assessments for California). The main heading is 'Please Sign In'. Below this, there are two toggle switches, both set to 'ON'. The first toggle is labeled 'Guest User' with the subtext 'Toggle to sign in as yourself'. The second toggle is labeled 'Guest Session' with the subtext 'Toggle to join an active session'. Below the toggles, there is a link 'Run Diagnostics' and a browser version indicator 'Browser: Chrome v123'. A welcome message states: 'Welcome to the Practice and Training Test site. You can use this site to take practice and training tests. Some questions require you to select one answer; others'. At the bottom, there is a green 'Sign In' button. A copyright notice at the very bottom reads: 'Copyright © 2024 Cambium Assessment, Inc. All rights reserve'.

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LET'S LOOK AT SOME PRACTICE TESTS

- Leave Guest User “ON”
- Leave Guest Session “ON”
- Click “SIGN IN”



Smarter Balanced Practice Tests

 Start Grade 5 ELA Practice Test This is opportunity 1 of 99	 Start Grade 5 Math Practice Test This is opportunity 1 of 99
 Start Grade 5 Math Performance Task This is opportunity 1 of 99	 Start Grade 5 ELA Performance Task This is opportunity 1 of 99

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TAKE SOME TIME TO EXPLORE



Student Directions

Service Animals Opinion Performance Task

Task:

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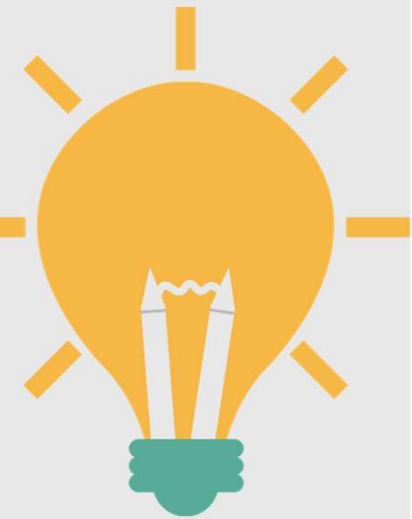
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People who own businesses have to consider the well-being of all of their guests.	☐	☐	☐
Being smart and able to handle small objects makes certain animals more appropriate than other animals to assist people who have a disability.	☐	☐	☐

Tomar un tiempo para explorar



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LET'S SHARE OUT!



¡COMPARTEMOS!



THANK YOU!

We welcome any questions you may have.



¡GRACIAS!

**Agradecemos cualquier pregunta que
pueda tener.**

