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State Growth Assessment Transparency Statement

Legislation was passed in the 2021 General Assembly (HB2027 and SB1357) requiring the implementation of a state growth assessment. In 2025-2026, the legislation calls for the administration of a fall, winter growth assessment, and the typically occurring spring SOL tests. During the fall and winter administration students in grades 3-8 will be required to take a reading and mathematics test. If a grade 6-8 student is enrolled in an Algebra I, Geometry, or Algebra II course, they will not take the state growth math assessment.

The state growth test serves two purposes for our students. First, it will provide information about students' strengths and identify instructional needs. Second, the assessment will provide a baseline for the identification of growth when compared to the spring SOL test.

The division testing window for the state growth assessment is listed below. Each school selects their testing dates within the division window. Be advised, all dates are subject to change due to circumstances.

- Winter state growth assessment – January 12-23

The state growth assessment will be shorter than the SOL test typically administered in the spring of the school year with 17-25 items per test. Results will not be reported as pass/fail, they will include a vertical scaled score and a student detail by question (SDBQ) report. The results will be provided to parents through the Parent Portal and will be available in ParentVUE. Claim codes and SDBQ reports will be available in ParentVUE under documents. Use the claim code to view the SDBQ reports online in the Parent Portal.

Below is Madison's testing schedule for the Winter State Growth Assessment test window:

- January 13- In-Person Middle School Math
- January 14- In-Person Middle School Reading
- January 15- In-Person Middle School Make-Ups
- January 20- Virtual Middle School Math and In-Person Make-Ups
- January 21- Virtual Middle School Reading and In-Person Make-Ups
- January 22-23- Make-Ups

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If your student continues to be learning in a virtual environment, you will be contacted by school staff to discuss individual test dates.

If you have any questions about your student's participation in any state testing, please contact Rob Bailey (Site Coordinator) at 757-628-3417 at your child's school.

Thank you for your time and support,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Rob Bailey'.

Rob Bailey
Site Coordinator

ParentVue Documents Tab – Student Testing Reports

Steps to Access:

1. Sign in to ParentVue
2. Click on Documents
3. Select the document to view (description below)

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06/27/2023 SDBQ_ALGEBRA201601.pdf
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Types of Documents

Document Category	Description	Anticipated Upload Timeframe
Claim Codes	A document with the code and information needed to access the Parent Portal to see Growth, SOL, &/or VAAP test reports/scores throughout the testing window.	Within first week of division testing window.
SDBQ	A student detail by question (SDBQ) report with a student's Growth, SOL &/or VAAP test scores and the accuracy they answered questions asked on their test.	2 weeks after division testing window closes
Access for ELLs	A score report for any English Learner who participated in the Access for ELLS assessment. This assessment is an English Language Proficiency assessment.	Last week of school
PBA (Performance Based Assessment)	A rubric report reflecting PBA results throughout the year.	Last week of school
VVAAS (Virginia's Visualization and Analytics Solution)	A report reflecting student performance over time as of the spring test administration on the previous school year.	December

*The division assessment calendar can be found on the Norfolk Public Schools website.