

EOC Testing will begin on April 8<sup>th</sup>. I want to provide you with information on the various testing dates for April, to help you prepare and plan for these important days.

**End Of Course Tests**

Students will be participating in End Of Course (EOC) tests. These tests are required tests and are part of students’ graduation requirement. Students enrolled in English 10, Algebra 1, Geometry, Biology, American History, or Government will take the test in those areas. Due to the length of the EOC tests, we will run a 3-hour delay bell schedule on testing days. **However, all buses will run at their normal times on these days.**

EOC tests will be given on the following dates:

Wednesday	April 8 <sup>th</sup>	ELA 2 Part 1 (mostly 10 <sup>th</sup> graders)
Thursday	April 9 <sup>th</sup>	ELA 2 Part 2 (mostly 10 graders)
Tuesday	April 21 <sup>st</sup>	Algebra and Geometry part 1 (mostly 9 <sup>th</sup> and 10 <sup>th</sup> graders)
Wednesday	April 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Algebra and Geometry part 2 (mostly 9 <sup>th</sup> and 10 <sup>th</sup> graders)
Tuesday	April 28 <sup>th</sup>	History and Government (mostly 10 <sup>th</sup> and 11 <sup>th</sup> graders)
Wednesday	April 29 <sup>th</sup>	Biology (mostly 10 <sup>th</sup> graders)

\*\*Students only arrive for testing at 7:25 am if they are taking that test. Otherwise, they have a 3 hour delayed arrival that day. For example, a freshman taking Algebra will test on two days and have a 3 hour delayed arrival on four days.

**End of Course Testing - Bell Schedule (4/8, 4/9, 4/21, 4/22, 4/28, 4/29)**

Period	Time	Minutes
Testing	7:25- 10:25	180 (3 Hours)
<b>Lunch</b>	<b>10:25-10:55</b>	<b>30</b>
1	11:00-11:22	22
2	11:27-11:49	22
3	11:54-12:16	22
4	12:21-12:43	22
5 Class or Intervention (Not a Lunch Period)	12:48-1:10	22
6 Class or Intervention (Not a Lunch Period)	1:15-1:37	22
7	1:42-2:04	22

8	2:09-2:31	22
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**On these delay days, classes will start at 11:00 am. However, lunch will be served from 10:25 am- 10:55 am for those students desiring lunch. Lunch will not otherwise be included in the school day. Please do not bring lunch to your child after 10:55 am.**

Summary:

1. Due to the importance of these tests, we will run a three-hour delay bell schedule on these days.
- 2. Tests will be administered on student Chromebooks. Please make sure Chromebooks are fully charged each night!**
3. Buses will run at their normal times.
4. The building will open in the morning as usual for testers, bus riders, and drop-offs. Students who are not testing, but arrive by 7:25 am, will have a quiet studyhall in the Commons. The PLATO Lab will also be open.
5. Breakfast will be available in the Commons starting at 7:00 am (grab and go).
6. Lunch will start at 10:25 am. Students with their own transportation can come in at 11:00 am, but if they want lunch, they need to be here by 10:25 am.
7. Parents - please do not bring in lunch (after 10:55) for your child on these testing days.
8. Students testing will remain in their classroom until the end of testing bell rings (10:25 am). They may want to bring a book with them as many may finish early.

Thank you for all you do in helping our students understand the importance of these tests.

Go Cats!

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