

Alternative Learning Program for Students (ALPS) Timeline



Early February: After Winter i-Ready testing

All 2nd grade students are screened using i-Ready scores. Students who meet the posted criteria for i-Ready/NWEA test percentile scores of 97% (± 2) in Reading and Math.

(Spring of 1st grade, Fall of 2nd, and Winter of 2nd)

Families will be notified through email if their student has met the posted criteria. These students are invited to attend the on-site assessments. Families must complete the RSVP to be included in the assessments.

April: Results will be emailed

Families will be emailed the results from the onsite assessments and their potential invitation to ALPS, after Spring Break. They will have until the deadline in the letter to accept enrollment into the program.

If your student does not meet the required scores on the on-site assessments, you will not receive an invitation and you will have the opportunity to complete an APPEALS form.

May/Early June: Orientation

Students and their families who confirm their acceptance will attend an **ALPS Orientation at Silver Springs**. Principals, ALPS teachers, and current students will share information about the program, and new ALPS students will participate in a student led tour of the building.

Families who complete the **New to Northville** form after the posted deadline must meet the same criteria for consideration and will be accepted only if space is available.

February: Further Consideration

Students who narrowly miss the posted criteria are able to complete the **FURTHER CONSIDERATION** form. The Advanced Programming Committee will review these applications to determine if a potential screening opportunity should be offered. Applications must be received by

Deadline: February 27, 2026

March: On-Site Assessments

ALL qualifying students from Steps 1&2 will be pulled from class to take the assessments during the school day.

There will be a make up day if your student is absent on the original assessment day.

April / May: Appeals Process

Students who received a "NO" from the FURTHER CONSIDERATION form or did not pass on-site assessments, may choose to submit an appeals form. The Appeals Process opens on April 7, 2026 and **the decision of the Appeals Committee is final**. Families may apply again the following year if they wish to pursue the program.

Deadline: May 15, 2026

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