

Dear Parents,

Over the next few weeks, your child will be assessed using the Performance Series by Scantron. The Performance Series assessment is a web-based, computer-adaptive test. The data collected is used to accurately measure our students' learning as well as help our teachers identify areas in need of improvement in order to plan relevant lessons. The specific dates for baseline testing are:

Grade	Math Assessment	Reading Assessment	Make-ups/Additional Time
2	9/18	9/19	9/25, 9/29
3	9/19	9/20	9/26, 9/29
4	9/20	9/26	9/27, 9/29
5E	9/18	9/22	9/25, 9/29
5M	9/18	9/21	9/25, 9/29
6S1	9/21	9/26	9/28, 9/29
6S2	9/21	9/27	9/28, 9/29
7G	9/21	9/22	9/28, 9/29
7N	9/19	9/22	9/28, 9/29
8C	9/21	9/22	9/28, 9/29
8M	9/19	9/22	9/28, 9/29

To give our students the best advantage, we schedule all testing for the morning. Let's work together to make your child's testing experience a positive and successful one!

We've been preparing at school, by going over test-taking skills.

Here are some suggestions for how you can help your child to do their best:

- ✓ Avoid scheduling any medical appointments for your child's testing dates.
- ✓ Ensure that your child gets a good night's sleep before the testing date.
- ✓ Provide a healthy breakfast on the morning of testing.
- ✓ If your child wears glasses, please be sure they have them on testing dates.
- ✓ Plan your morning so that your child arrives to school on time, without a rushed feeling.
- ✓ Gently encourage them to relax, take their time, and read carefully, including directions and all answer choices.

Please join us in praying for our students' success!