

SALT CREEK SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 48

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Dr. Chris Martelli
Director of Curriculum and Instruction

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Dear Parents and Guardians:

Each school year, students in grades K-8 take the Measures of Academic Progress® (MAP®) assessments (Fall, Winter, Spring). Your child will take one assessment in reading and math during the testing window. This year the Fall assessment window is between September 5 - September 15.

MAP tests are computerized assessments that adapt to your child's level of understanding and mastery of skills. The difficulty level of each question is adjusted based on the student's answers. Each of the two assessments takes approximately 45 minutes. Administering these assessments will provide teachers with data to meet your child's needs better and help determine your child's academic growth throughout the year. We will also use these results to measure the effectiveness of our programs here in District 48.

For more information on resources for parents, download the *Family Toolkit* at https://www.nwea.org/the-map-suite/family-toolkit/. If you have any other questions, please do not hesitate to contact your building principal or my office.

Sincerely,

Dr. Christopher Martelli

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Director of Curriculum and Instruction