



G. W. Northcutt Elementary School

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Our Mission is to teach all students the learning skills and knowledge necessary to become ‘College and Career’ ready and responsible citizens.

EOG Parent Letter

March 24, 2022

Dear Parent or Guardian:

The purpose of this letter is to inform you that Georgia Milestones or the Georgia Alternate Assessment (GAA) 2.0 is required for all students in grades 3 through 8. All students are expected to participate; there are no opt out options allowed. Questions about refusals can be located [here](#).

The Clayton County Public Schools EOG window for elementary students is May 2nd-May 20th. Please see the bottom of this letter for the specific dates of testing for your child’s grade level. The Georgia Milestones and GAA assessments **cannot be given remotely and must be given in a face-to-face environment.**

Clayton County Public Schools values the purpose of testing. They are:

- The Milestones Assessment is a metric used to gauge learning.
- The Milestones Assessment helps pinpoint areas for improvement.
- The Milestones Assessment can help schools evaluate progress.
- The Milestones Assessment can help the school system plan for and provide resources.

Transportation Information for Virtual Learners

Elementary grade students who are learning virtually will come to the school for testing and will follow the testing schedule for their grade level on the day(s) of testing. Students who need transportation for testing will use the regular bus route for their home address, and **will need to remain at the school for the entire school day, 7:45 am to 2:15 pm, to receive a bus ride home.** Transportation information can be found here: [WebQuery for Transportation](#).

This chart shows the required Georgia Milestones End of Grade (EOG) assessments, in accordance with Georgia law (O.C.G.A §20-2-281) and (SBOE) Rule.

2020-2021 GMAS Required Tests by Subject			
Georgia Milestones	ELA	Mathematics	Science
End of Grade	Grades 3-5	Grades 3-5	Grades 5

Important Information:

- Breakfast and Lunch will be provided for students.
- Students must bring their fully charged District issued Chromebook or laptop to test.
- Students need to provide updated contact information to the school upon arrival.
- **GMAS resources for families can be found [here](#).**
- Click on the **Study Guide link** below to assist your child.
 - [Grade 3](#)
 - [Grade 4](#)
 - [Grade 5](#)

If you have any questions and/or concerns, please contact any member of our school administration team.

Sincerely,



Arlando Dawson

Principal

Spring Testing dates are below:

Elementary Schools			
Day	Grade	Date	Subject
Day 1	3, 4, and 5	Monday, May 2nd	English/Language Arts Section 1 -Writing
Day 2	3, 4, and 5	Tuesday, May 3rd	English/Language Arts Section 2
Day 3	3, 4, and 5	Wednesday, May 4th	English/Language Arts Section 3
Day 4	3, 4, and 5	Thursday, May 5th	Math Section 1
Day 5	3, 4, and 5	Friday, May 6th	Math Section 2
Day 6	5	Monday, May 9th	Science Sections 1 and 2
	3, 4 and 5	May 10th- May 20th	Make-up exams

If you have any questions and/or concerns, please reach out to your school’s administration team, Mr. Dawson or Ms. Haines, building test coordinator crystal.haines@clayton.k12.ga.us for guidance and next steps.