

UNDERSTANDING NWEA'S MAP GROWTH ASSESSMENT

WHAT IS IT?

NWEA's MAP Growth test is a computer-adaptive test that measures skills in Reading and Math. As students answer questions correctly or incorrectly, the test adjusts the level of difficulty based on individual performance. FCS uses MAP Growth as a nationally normed assessment and as a universal screener in grades 9-12. Students' results will be available in Infinite Campus once scores are received back from the vendor.



HOW IS IT USED?

MAP Growth is a nationally normed assessment, which provides schools with performance norms by utilizing data from more than 10 million U.S. students. Teachers can use the results to help inform instruction, personalize learning, and monitor the growth of individual students. Administrators can use the results to help see the performance and progress of a grade level, school, or the entire district. MAP Growth is not used as a part of a student's grade. MAP Growth can be used as a criterion for TAG eligibility.

WHO TAKES IT? WHEN?

ELEMENTARY

Grades 2 & 4

October 4-15

MIDDLE

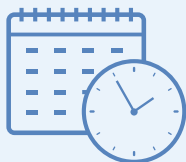
Grade 7

October 4-15

HIGH

Grades 9-12

August 9-27



HIGH SCHOOL students may take the MAP Growth up to three times per year.

HS Winter Window: November 29-December 17

HS Spring Window: May 16-26

OTHER QUESTIONS?

Please visit NWEA's MAP Growth Family Toolkit at www.nwea.org/familytoolkit.