



MAP Assessment Results

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Enclosed you will find your child's Measures of Academic Progress (MAP) Growth results. These assessments determine your child's instructional level and measures his/her academic growth throughout the school year and from year to year in the areas of Reading and Math. Your child will participate in MAP assessments in the fall, winter, and spring to measure his/her academic growth.

MAP Growth assessments from NWEA are unique in that they are adaptive assessments taken on a computer or tablet. This means that the assessment becomes more difficult the more questions a child answers correctly. When your child answers a question incorrectly, it becomes easier. Ultimately, your child's assessment is specifically targeting his/her learning level. The information on the assessment is aligned with the Miamisburg City Schools curriculum and Ohio's Learning Standards.

Your child's MAP Growth results are reported in RIT Scores. The RIT scale measures in equal intervals, regardless of a student's grade and remains stable over time. As a result, we can accurately measure students' growth in between assessments and understand if they are performing at, above or below grade level. RIT scores allow teachers to identify areas to focus attention on to optimize your child's learning and to monitor his/her progress.

MAP assessments are powerful tools for monitoring student growth over time. We hope you find the enclosed report informative. If you have questions, please contact your child's teacher. Additional information about how status and growth norms are determined can be found at the NWEA web site, www.NWEA.org.

Thank you for taking an active interest in your child's education and partnering with us to ensure your child's success in their learning.