

## CARVER SCHOOL FOR MATHEMATICS, SCIENCE, AND TECHNOLOGY

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Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s),

Carver students in third grade will take the MAP® Growth™ and MAP® Reading Fluency tests from NWEA® three times each year. Scores from these tests help teachers check student performance by measuring achievement and growth. Teachers use results to tailor classroom lessons and set goals for students.

The MAP tests are taken on the computer and adapt to your child's responses to measure your child's skill level. If your child answers a question correctly, the next question is more challenging. If they answer incorrectly, the next one is easier. These results will provide a more complete picture of what your child knows and is ready to learn—whether it is on, above, or below their grade level.

Since MAP Growth tests provide immediate and accurate information about your child's learning, it's easy for teachers to identify students with similar scores that are generally ready for instruction in similar skills and topics, and then plan instruction accordingly.

Your child will complete their MAP <sup>®</sup> Growth™ and Reading Fluency tests on:	
Tuesday, September 29th at 8:00 AM	MAP <sub>®</sub> Growth™
Wednesday, September 30th at 8:00 AM	MAP <sub>®</sub> Growth™
Thursday, October 1st at 8:00 AM	MAP <sub>®</sub> Reading Fluency

These results of this test will provide your student's teacher with important information that will help the teacher individualize instruction for the benefit of your student. We appreciate your efforts in ensuring students attend school in a timely manner on these testing days.

We are truly excited to focus on your child's individual growth and achievement. For more information about MAP Growth, visit <a href="https://www.nweathermonton.org/familytoolkit">NWEA.org/familytoolkit</a>.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact your child's teacher!

Sincerely,

Carver's MAP Testing Team