



MERRY OAKS INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY

EOG & RTA 2022

3rd-5th EOY Testing Information
April 22, 2022



AGENDA

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- End of Grade Testing Schedule
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Why the EOG?

(End of Grade)

- The EOG is a standardized test that shows what the students have learned during the school year.
- Summative Test of the State Standards at Grade Levels 3, 4, and 5

5 Achievement Levels of Knowledge and Skills

- Level 5: Superior Command*+
 - Level 4: Solid Command*+
 - Level 3: Sufficient Command*
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- Level 2: Partial Command
 - Level 1: Limited Command

*Meets On-Grade Level Proficiency Standard

+Meets College-and-Career Readiness Standard

Aligned with NCSCOS

- Language Arts/Reading: Read authentic selections and answer questions. Vocabulary is assessed too.
- Math: Calculator Inactive and Calculator Active
- 3rd-5th End of Grade Tests are all online

3rd-5th Grade Test Schedule



Testing Schedule- EOG English Language Arts (Reading)

	Required End of Year Testing	Date(s)
☐	Grade 3 Reading	May 24, 2022
☐	Grade 3 Reading Make- Up	May 25, 2022
☐	Grade 4 and 5 Reading	May 26, 2022
☐	Grade 3 Retest/Grade 4 and 5 Reading Make Ups	May 27, 2022

3rd-5th Math EOG/5th Science EOG

	Required End of Year Testing	Date(s)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Grade 4 and 5 Math	May 31, 2022
<input type="checkbox"/>	Grade 3 Math and Grade 5 Science	June 1, 2022
<input type="checkbox"/>	Grade 3-5 Math Make Ups	June 2, 2022

Read To Achieve and Science Make Up

	Required End of Year Testing	Date(s)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Grade 3 Read to Achieve	June 3, 2022
<input type="checkbox"/>	Grade 5 Science EOG Make Up	June 3, 2022

PARENT LETTERS

- + Parent letter will go home May 5th in Thursday Folders with the testing schedule.
- + Parent reminder letters will go home May 19th in Thursday folders.
- + The schedule will also be posted on school website by May 6th.

What is Read to Achieve?



North Carolina Read to Achieve

How to pass Third Grade:

(One of three ways to show proficiency in reading):

- Pass the BOG or EOG at a level 3, 4, or 5
- Achieve a reading score of 207 or higher on the MAP assessment (BOY, MOY, EOY)
- DIBELS Composite Score of 445 and/or 725 Lexile Level
- Read to Achieve (≥ 539 Scale Score)

Exceptions:

- Students who receive Exceptional Child services and are 2 or more years below grade level
- Students who have received less than 2 years of English instruction
- Retention Exemption

What happens if my child doesn't pass the EOG and doesn't score high in other areas?

- They will be able to re-take the EOG on May 27th.
- If they still don't pass, they will be able to take the Read to Achieve test on June 3th.
- If they still don't pass, they will be recommended for the CMS Read to Achieve summer school program, and have an opportunity to take the RTA test again.
- If they don't pass the RTA test in summer school, they will have an opportunity to take it again in 4th grade.

EOG Strategies/Prep



Test Taking Strategies

1. Use your strategies when reading and solving word problems.
2. Think and show your work for all problems. Use your white paper and grid paper to work out the problems.
3. Reference the text when answering reading questions.
4. Read everything on the page, including charts, graphs, captions, and illustrations.
5. Pay attention to the wording of the questions. **Words like no, not, never, always, and sometimes can change the meaning of the question.**
6. Read all of the answer choices. Eliminate the ones that you know are not correct.

Test Taking Strategies: Part 2

1. Check often to make sure that you are aligned with your questions and answers.
2. Answer all online test questions.
3. Take your time to work with quality effort.
4. Don't spend too much time on one question. Put a small mark by the question and come back to that question.
5. When you are finished testing, review your work for careless errors.
6. Answer all the questions.

SAMPLE

3rd Grade Reading EOG

Freddie

by Phil Bolsta

I don't like doing homework,
I know that it will bore me.
But now I am much happier
'Cause Freddie does it for me!

5 He greets me at the door each day
When I come home from school.
He just can't wait to read my books—
I think that's pretty cool!

I give him all my homework,
10 Like history and math.
And when he's done I give him
A nice warm bubble bath!

My grades are so much better now,
Which makes my parents glad.
15 Freddie is the smartest dog
That I have ever had!

According to the poem, what makes the speaker happy?

- A playing outside
- B taking a bubble bath
- C not going to school
- D not doing homework

SAMPLE

3rd Grade Math EOG

Max had 45 marbles. He gave all of his marbles to 5 friends. He gave each friend the same number of marbles. Which equation can Max use to show how many marbles each friend got?

- A. $45 - 5 = 40$
- B. $45 \div 5 = 9$
- C. $45 + 9 = 54$
- D. $45 \times 5 = 225$



Flag



Which device is used to determine the volume of a liquid?

(A)

anemometer

(B)

graduated cylinder

(C)

test tube

(D)

thermometer

First

Back

Pause

Next

Review

EOG Test Prep

Grades 3-5 -May 9 - May 23

How can I support my child during the next weeks before and after the EOG?

- Shower them with Hugs and Kisses.
- Ask about the school day.
- Discuss school expectations.
- Provide a consistent/ early bedtime to ensure students have enough sleep

Tips For Parents:

- **Remind your child that their feelings are valid and okay. Give them time and space to share how they feel without judgment.**
- **Set a time each day/week to talk about their worries.**
- **Help your child focus on what they can control.**
- **Mindfulness Exercises**
- **Manage your own anxieties.**

What to say when children are feeling anxious:

What To Say:

- “Let’s work through this together. How can I help you?”
- “I know this is hard.”
- “You are safe. I am here.”
- “What is your worry telling you?”

What Not To Say:

- “Stop worrying.”
- “Get over it.”
- “This isn’t a big deal.”
- “I don’t understand what you’re so worried about.”
- “It’s fine.”

Coping Strategies for Anxiety

Help your child develop ways to cope with and manage their anxiety, such as:

- **Deep breathing**
- **Talking to you or another adult**
- **Journaling or drawing**
- **Practicing gratitude**
- **Focusing on what they can control**
- **Using positive self-talk**
- **Exercising**



A Note of Encouragement

Please write a note of *encouragement*
to your child.

They will be allowed to read this
note each morning before the start
of the test. Thank you in advance
for your cooperation!

Websites For Additional Prep



WEBSITES



- ❑ **STUDENTS use THEM DAILY IN THE CLASSROOM**
- ❑ **CAN SHOW PARENTS HOW TO DO THE MATH & LANGUAGE ARTS THAT THEIR CHILDREN ARE LEARNING**
- ❑ **PRACTICE AT HOME WILL INCREASE STUDENT UNDERSTANDING & CAN HELP WITH HOMEWORK**



- ★ **STUDENTS can
PRACTICE &
Learn math
and Language
arts WITHOUT
THE teacher.**
- ★ **SHOWS
common
mistakes THAT
STUDENTS
OFTEN make**



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- ❑ Learning on your level.
- ❑ Learning through interactive problems.
- ❑ Can ask for a hint to help solve the problems.
- ❑ Pass levels and earn more games.



- ❑ STEP BY STEP VIDEO
- ❑ MATH & SCIENCE
- ❑ QUESTIONS TO TEST YOURSELF
- ❑ FUN THINGS LIKE KARAOKE



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- ❑ **MATH & SCIENCE**
- ❑ **QUESTIONS TO TEST YOURSELF**
- ❑ **STUDENTS, PARENTS, & TEACHERS CAN MONITOR PROGRESS**
- ❑ **ANYONE CAN LEARN, EVEN ADULTS FREE**

Reminders



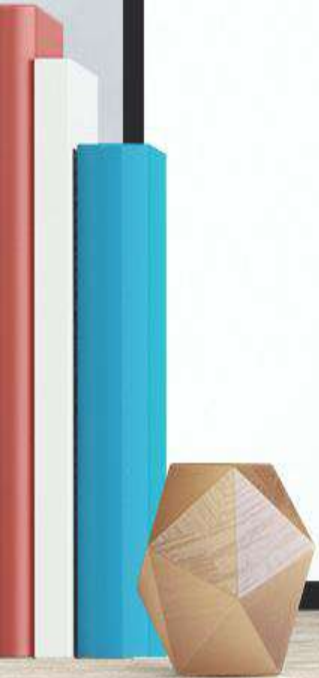
REMINDERS/ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- ❖ Please have your child at school on time (8:00 am)
- ❖ To improve testing performance for your child please make sure they get plenty of rest and eat a good breakfast before testing.
- ❖ Breakfast will also be available at school.



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- + Please contact your child's classroom teacher or Dean Dixon if you have any questions.
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Questions?



