

Dear Parent or Guardian,

Each year, students in English learner programs take the ACCESS for ELLs assessment to measure their English knowledge and skills. The test measures academic English language proficiency for students learning English in our school and throughout our state.

Teachers in our school use this information to help them make decisions about instruction for your child. Teachers also use these test scores to monitor the progress your child makes toward English proficiency.

Your child will take the ACCESS for ELLs test on:_____

Your child does not need to study for this test. The test is an opportunity for students to demonstrate what they understand and can communicate in English.

Prepare for test day by making sure your child gets plenty of sleep and eats breakfast before testing.

Please contact me if you have questions about the ACCESS for ELLs test.

Sincerely,