

Southgate Independent School District

Dear Parents/Guardians,

All students in grades kindergarten through eighth grade will be completing their first round of MAP (Measures of Academic Progress) benchmark tests for the 2017-18 school year. The MAP benchmark tests serve as a basic indicator if your child is performing below, at, or above grade level in the areas of reading, math, and language usage (5th and 8th grades only). Below you will find a chart that specifies the goal score for reading and math at each respective grade level. We encourage you to talk to your child about the importance of doing his/her best on the tests. We have found that students who have a goal in mind that has been discussed with them tend to put forth more effort leading to a higher possible score. The MAP testing windows for the year will be as follows: fall - 9/5 to 9/15, winter - 11/27 to 12/8, and spring - 3/12-3/23. If you have any questions about this information, please ask your child's teacher(s) or call the main office at 441-0743. Go Lions!

2015 Normative Data Reference

Reading	Beginning of Year	Middle of Year	End of Year
K	141.0	151.3	158.1
1	160.7	171.5	177.5
2	174.7	184.2	188.7
3	188.3	195.6	198.6
4	198.2	203.6	205.9
5	205.7	209.8	211.8
6	211.0	214.2	215.8
7	214.4	216.9	218.2
8	217.2	219.1	220.1
9	220.2	221.3	221.9
10	220.4	221.0	221.2
11	222.6	222.7	222.3
Math	Beginning of Year	Middle of Year	End of Year
K	140.0	151.5	159.1
1	162.4	173.8	180.8
2	176.9	186.4	192.1
3	190.4	198.2	203.4
4	201.9	208.7	213.5
5	211.4	217.2	221.4
6	217.6	222.1	225.3
7	222.6	226.1	228.6
8	226.3	229.1	230.9
9	230.3	232.2	233.4
10	230.1	231.5	232.4
11	233.3	234.4	235.0

