

STUDENT & FAMILY
CHECKLIST

Before testing

Let's get started! A smooth testing experience starts much sooner than the first question.

If you're a parent or caregiver, prior to testing, be sure to...

- ✓ Make certain your student's device is ready. (Use the Device Readiness Tool your teacher provides and any other tips and tricks from our school website to help.)
- ✓ Talk to your student about the importance of doing their best on the test and remind them that this test is not for a grade, but only helps their teacher to know what they are ready to learn.

During testing

You're ready! Consider the guidance below while your student takes the MAP assessments.

It's go time. To best support your student during the assessment, you can:

- ✓ Help them log in using the test session name and password provided by the teacher.
- ✓ Ensure they're following all of the rules set by the school, and that they're not using unapproved devices to help them.
- ✓ Monitor their progress—and make sure they aren't running into any technical issues.
- ✓ If technical issues arise, contact the teacher.
- ✓ **Probably the most important: Empower your test-taker to demonstrate what they know by not providing any hints or help in answering questions.**

After testing

You did it! Here's what students and families should do once the test is complete.

- ✓ When your test-taker is done, help them by shutting down the test window. Make sure they click the final blue arrow to submit their score to the system.
- ✓ Help your student transition to any reading or work their teacher may have assigned for after the test.
- ✓ Celebrate with your student! Discuss how the test went, including sections that may have been challenging or fun.

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