

Greetings from Bunker Elementary School,

This document will help you prepare your child to take the MAP Growth test from home. Please be available at the scheduled times to support your child's testing:



**Teachers will contact you with the date and times of testing sessions.**

## What is MAP Growth?



MAP Growth helps teachers understand what students know today, so goals can be set to improve growth throughout the year. **Students cannot pass or fail this test.**

### **This test will not affect grades.**

In fact, it's normal for students to only answer about half the questions correctly. Some questions are easy and some are really hard. MAP is looking for the just right instructional point for your child.

**Please don't help them!**

Given the challenges of learning from home, MAP Growth test results are especially helpful for us this year. **These results will help teachers know what students are ready to learn right now.**

## Test Preparation for Parents/Guardians

### Prior to Test Day

1. Make sure your device has an internet connection
2. Disable pop-up blocking on your internet browser
3. Make sure your device meets testing requirements using the [Device Readiness Check](#)
4. Make sure your child has headphones
5. Watch the MAP Growth [introduction video](#) with your child
6. Practice the test at [practice.mapnwea.org](https://practice.mapnwea.org) (Username: grow, Password: grow)

### On Test Day

1. Minimize distractions for your child as much as possible
2. Provide a quiet testing environment
3. Connect to the teacher's Testing Google Meet link
4. Allow the teacher/proctor to open the session first
5. In a new tab, log in at [test.mapnwea.org](https://test.mapnwea.org) or select the NWEA icon from the CLEVER screen
6. Make sure you have a way to communicate with the teacher/proctor during the test (Class Dojo, etc)
7. Follow any additional instructions from the teacher/proctor

THANK YOU FOR YOUR PATIENCE AND ASSISTANCE