



Bethel Hill Charter School

Laying the foundation for individual excellence

***TESTING CALENDAR 2020-2021**

(*This calendar is subject to changes due to challenges associated with COVID-19. Notice will be given in writing for any changes.)

Dear Parents/Guardians,

This letter is to inform you of your right to request and be provided with information regarding any state or charter school policy regarding student participation in any assessments mandated by the State or Bethel Hill Charter School.

All tests are given in online testing format. Bethel Hill Charter School follows the requirements for testing set forth by the Department of Public Instruction. Links to review released forms of End of Grade tests are opened to the public and can be found at [NC DPI: State Tests](#) Links to practice tests and informational videos for Measures of Academic Progress (MAP) can be found at [MAP Student Resources](#)

Parents are notified, in writing, of upcoming testing dates, purpose for assessment and skills assessed at least 10 instructional days prior to testing. Parents are also notified of student scores for tests given within 30 days after score reports are received from the respective organizations responsible for testing.

Test Window/Date	Test Given/Grade Level	Purpose	Source
August 24-28 First 10 Days	4 th Grade Reading Assessment MAP	To provide a baseline measure of reading skills and direct reading instruction, to fulfill RtA requirements	NWEA
Sept. 1 (M/T track) Sept. 4 (Th/F track) First 20 Days of face-to-face instruction	BOG - 3rd (no remote option – remote students will test after returning face-to-face)	To provide a baseline measure of reading skills	NCDPI
Sept. 14 - 25	MAP – Fall (BOY) K-2 nd - Reading Growth & Fluency, Math Growth 3 rd - Reading Growth & Fluency	To provide a baseline in reading, fluency and math skills. To guide direct instruction for each student	NWEA
*Week of Oct. 12 First 45 Days	W-APT/WIDA Screener Students with home language other than English	To determine English proficiency	WIDA US Dept of Education

*October 19-30	NC Check-In 1 3rd - Math 4th - ELA/Math 5th - ELA/Math/Science	To provide an assessment of reading, math, and science skill level and guide instruction	NCDPI
*January 5-20	MAP – Winter (MOY) K-2 nd - Reading Growth & Fluency, Math Growth 3 rd - Reading Growth & Fluency	To assess reading, fluency and math skills. To guide direct instruction for each student	NWEA
*January 11-20	NC Check-In 2 3rd - Math 4th - ELA/Math 5th - ELA/Math/Science	To provide an assessment of reading, math, and science skill level and guide instruction	NCDPI
*Week of February 8	ACCESS for ELL	To determine English language proficiency in listening, reading, speaking, and writing	US Dept of Education
*March 15-19	NC Check-In 3 3rd - Math 4th - ELA/Math 5th - ELA/Math/Science	To provide an assessment of reading, math, and science skill level and guide instruction	NC DPI
*May 3-14	MAP – Spring (EOY) K-2 nd - Reading Growth & Fluency, Math Growth 3 rd - Reading Growth & Fluency	To determine grade level proficiency in reading, fluency and math skills	NWEA
*Week of May 3	Science EOG - 5th Grade	To determine grade level proficiency in science	NCDPI
*Week of May 10	ELA EOG - 3rd, 4th, 5th Grade	To determine grade level proficiency in ELA and reading skills	NCDPI
*Week of May 10	Math EOG - 3rd, 4th, 5th Grade	To determine grade level proficiency in math skills	NCDPI
*Week of May 24	Read to Achieve Spring 2019/2020 3 rd graders not obtaining reading proficiency	To demonstrate reading proficiency for Read to Achieve legislation	K-3 Literacy NC DPI