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Dear Parents of All 3rd, 4th, and 5th Grade Students,

On Monday, January 7th and Friday, February 1st, all students in grades 3, 4, and 5 will be taking a MOCK ELA & Math Exam. These assessments will not be used for report card grades or promotional criteria in any way. These assessments will be focused on content already covered this school year and the data will be used to gear instruction within current units of study. The assessments will consist of multiple choice questions only. When analyzing this data, we will be able to determine how best to support each individual student's instructional needs.

Please make sure that your child is present in school those days, gets a good night's sleep, has a healthy breakfast, and if they wear eyeglasses, brings them to school.

It is also very important that students arrive on time as lateness impacts everyone involved in testing.

The MOCK ELA and Math exams will be **untimed** and students receiving testing accommodations will receive them through the classroom teachers.

If there are any questions or concerns, please let us know.

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