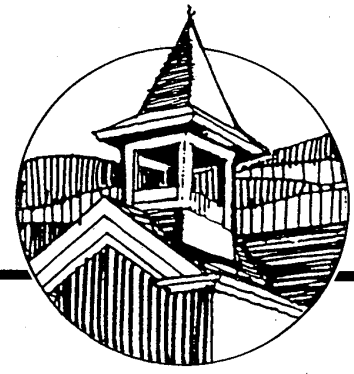


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Dear Parents and Guardians:

North Lake Students in Grades 3-8 will be participating in the Wisconsin Forward Exam assessment during the statewide testing window, March 20th to May 5th. The testing is scheduled as follows:

8th grade	March 28-31
7th grade	March 28-31
6th grade	April 24-28
5th grade	April 24-28
4th grade	April 19-20 and April 24-27
3rd grade	April 24-27

The assessment tests students in the areas of English/Language Arts and Mathematics. Students in grades 4 and 8 will also be assessed in the areas of Science and Social Studies. One or more subtests may be administered daily during the identified time frame and it is very important that your son or daughter be in school during this time. Students not in school on the scheduled testing days will be scheduled for a makeup test prior to the close of the testing window on May 20th.

An *Informational Brochure for Families* is posted on our school website. It gives more information about the assessment including its purpose, what scores will be provided, and how the scores will be used. Once again, it is very important that your son or daughter be in school during this time.

The assessments measure the knowledge and skills your student(s) should have acquired by the time they reach each grade level. Their performance on the assessment will not affect any of their current grades. Please encourage your son or daughter to take the test seriously and do the best they can. The results of these tests will be used to help school staff make determinations for placement in classes to best support your child(ren).

Student Leadership in cooperation with the PBC will help kick off testing for grades 3-8 by providing each student with a healthy brain food snack on their first day of testing. They would like students to remember how important it is to eat breakfast every day, and especially on testing days!

If you have any questions, please contact your child's classroom teacher or Nancy Meister.

Thank you,

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