

Claiborne County School District

Guidelines for Statewide Assessments (SY 2020-2021)



Testing Requirements:

- Per the Mississippi Department of Education (MDE), ALL students are required to complete statewide assessments in person.
- On the assigned date(s) of testing, students must report to their school site no later than 7:30 a.m.
- Parents, a representative from your child's school will contact you regarding the specific date(s) that your child must report to school to complete his/her assessment(s). **Attached is the district's full assessment schedule.**

Health and Safety:

- All staff and students' temperatures will be taken daily upon entering the school building.
- All staff and students will be provided with facial mask, if needed. Clear protective face shields will also be available. **Facial coverings are required to be worn by staff and students at all times.**
- All classrooms will be supplied with disinfecting wipes, disinfectant spray, hand-sanitizer, and gloves.
- Non-touch hand sanitizing stations will be positioned throughout each school building.
- To ensure social distancing, whenever students leave the classrooms, there will be a one-way path in the hallway. There will be **NO** gatherings in buildings to ensure social distancing.
- Classroom desks with desk shields for students will be positioned at least three to six feet apart.
- Students will be tested in small groups during each session.
- Instructional/testing supplies will not be shared among students.

Transportation:

- Buses will be sanitized between bus routes and at the end of each day. The seats of all school buses will be sprayed with disinfectant solution and allowed to air dry.
- Students must wear masks or facial coverings while on the bus.
- Parents will have the option to drop-off and pick-up their child.

Child Nutrition:

- Breakfast and lunch will be provided for students.
- Students will be provided bottled water as water fountains will not be accessible.

Facilities:

- School buildings will be thoroughly cleaned and disinfected daily in preparation for students' return to school.
- Restrooms will be cleaned and sanitized several times each day.