Lester C. Noecker School

Roseland School District

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Dear Noecker Families:

Upon return from our Spring Break (April 10-14), the Roseland School District will be administering the Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers (PARCC) for students in grades 3-6 in the areas of English Language Arts and Mathematics. Below are specific dates of testing for each grade level; testing will occur in both morning and afternoon sessions.

April 18th - April 20th - Grades 3 and 5 - Language Arts
April 24 - April 26th - Grades 4 and 6 - Language Arts
May 1st and 2nd - Grade 3 - Math
May 1st - 3rd - Grade 6 - Math
May 4th and 5th - Grades 4 and 6 - Math

The Roseland School District utilizes a variety of assessments, including PARCC, to guide our curriculum, instructional improvements, and develop the achievement of our students. Earlier this school year we presented information on student performance on the PARCC assessment, and our plans towards continued growth and proficiency. You can find the 2016 PARCC Presentation and other resources on our <u>website</u>.

We are extremely proud of all the hard work the teachers and students are doing every day in our classrooms and know that their efforts have prepared them well. We encourage our students to do their best, get a good night's sleep, and eating a healthy breakfast in preparation for assessment days while we plan to reflect upon and evaluate the results when they are received.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding the PARCC assessment, please contact Ms. Greenwald, Noecker School Principal.

Khank you!

Deanne Somers, Superintendent

Robyn Greenwald, Principal



PARCC Schedule

(Testing will begin on Tuesday, April 18, 2017)

Week of 4/17:

Grades 3 and 5 ELA (Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday) Make-ups Friday, as needed

Week of 4/24:

Grades 4 and 6 ELA (Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday) Make-ups Thursday and Friday, as needed

Week of 5/1:

Grade 3 Math (Monday and Tuesday)
Grade 6 Math (Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday)
Grades 4 and 5 Math (Thursday and Friday)

Week of 5/8:

Make-ups, as needed



Reminders:

Be sure to get a good night's sleep, eat a balanced breakfast, and arrive to school on time! Students are not permitted to wear smart watches during testing.