

Dear Parents and Students,

The U.S. History STAAR Test will be given on Tuesday, May 2, the Algebra 1 STAAR Test will be given on Wednesday, May 3, and the Biology STAAR Test will be given on Thursday, May 4. Students taking any of these tests should bring their fully charged laptop with them, as the test is entirely online.

On the day of testing, students should report to their testing rooms by 7:50 a.m. Students are strongly encouraged to bring their calculator for the Algebra 1 and Biology STAAR tests, though the secure test browser has a built-in calculator. There will be a limited number of calculators available as loaners that day. Also, students may bring a snack to eat during breaks as well as a book to read in case they finish early.

Also, College Board AP Testing will be taking place from Monday, May 1 through Friday, May 12 as well as Wednesday, May 17 and Friday, May 19.

In addition to any practice happening in students' classes, a good resource for practice for any STAAR test is at https://login6.cambiumtds.com/student_core/V94/Pages/LoginShell.aspx?c=Texas. Students should choose **Practice Test** in the lower left corner, then on the following screen, choose **Sign In** at the bottom of the screen. After that, students can choose any grade level and choose various STAAR test items. Five STAAR tests are required for high school graduation in Texas (Algebra 1, Biology, English 1, English 2, and U.S. History).

A roster of room assignments will be posted in the Commons on Monday, May 1 for the U.S. History STAAR, Tuesday, May 2 for the Algebra 1 STAAR and on Wednesday, May 3 for the Biology STAAR. For students, please be on time and get plenty of rest the night before.

We look forward to successful testing days in May. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Dan McCommis
Registrar/Testing Coordinator



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In addition, College Board AP Testing will be taking place from Monday, May 2 through Friday, May 13.

A roster of room assignments for each test will be posted in the Commons on the morning of the test as well as the afternoon before the day of the test. For students, please be on time, get plenty of rest the night before, and do your best!

Let me know if you have any questions.

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