



The Wildcat Weekly



Winside Elementary School

TUESDAY, APRIL 18, 2017

NeSA TESTING..... Students in grades 3 through 6 will continue completing the NeSA (Nebraska State Accountability) assessments this week. Please note the days your child is testing if you are needing to schedule appointments. Testing will take place in the morning.

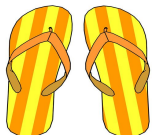


- Thurs., Apr. 20th & Fri., Apr. 21st 3rd-6th Grades Math
- Week of Apr. 24th-28th ... Makeup Testing

MAP TESTING..... Students in grades 3-6 will be taking tests called Measures of Academic Progress (MAP) during the **first two weeks of May**. Students complete MAP tests to determine instructional levels and to measure academic growth throughout the school year and from year-to-year in the areas of reading, math, language usage, and science. These tests are taken on the computer. MAP tests are unique in that they adapt to be appropriate for each child's level of learning. As a result, each student has the same opportunity to succeed. With MAP tests, we can administer shorter tests and use less class time while still receiving detailed, accurate information about the students' growth. A report of your child's progress will be included with the 4th quarter report cards.



ACCELERATED MATH (AM)		ACCELERATED READER (AR)	
Objectives Achieved the Week of April 10-13	184	Points Earned the Week of April 10-13	186.2
Total for the Quarter	841	Total for the Quarter	1,481.5
4th Quarter Goal	2,000	4th Quarter Goal	2,700



SHOE ATTIRE..... The most appropriate type of shoes for elementary students are tennis shoes or another sturdy, form-fitting shoe. Flip-flops are not school-friendly, as we see many injuries to toes, and they tend to break more easily. In addition, tennis shoes are required on P.E. days.

LAST DAY OF SCHOOL We will be adding a student day to the end of the school year due to the number of snow days we had. The extra day will be **Friday, May 19th**. It will be a **full day** of school. We were scheduled to end the school year on Thursday, May 18th. Please make this change to your calendars.

Winside Public School provides all students high levels of learning to be college and career ready in the 21st Century.

