



## SBAC TESTING 2016-2017






Next week all students will be taking the Smarter Balanced test in English. This test will provide important information about your readiness for high school and beyond. We are asking ALL students to make a COMMITMENT to doing the very best they possibly can do!

We believe our students are ready to do well on this test but students need to understand a couple of facts about the test:

- ◆ The test is rigorous and demands your attention and thought—like many of the assessments your teachers have given, the SBAC utilizes text—a lot of text!
- ◆ Use the reading skills and strategies your teachers have taught you and you have used effectively all year
- ◆ The test requires you to use your critical thinking, use your skills of analysis to respond to the questions
- ◆ This test does MATTER, it is important that you do your best and the results will take care of themselves

### SBAC TESTING SCHEDULE

School week of:	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu
April 17 - 21 <b>ENGLISH</b> 	17 <b>SBAC CAT</b>  BLOCK 1-3-5 ELT 1	18 <b>SBAC CAT</b>  BLOCK 2-4-6 ELT 2	19 <b>SBAC Performance Task</b>  BLOCK 1-3-5 ELT 3	20 <b>SBAC Performance Task</b>  BLOCK 2-4-6 ELT 4
April 24 - 28 <b>SCIENCE</b> 	24 <b>CAST SCIENCE</b>  BLOCK 1-3-5 ELT 5	25 <b>CAST SCIENCE</b>  BLOCK 2-4-6 ELT 6	26   BLOCK 1-3-5 ELT 1	27   BLOCK 2-4-6 ELT 2
May 1 - 5 <b>MATH</b> 	1 <b>SBAC CAT</b>  BLOCK 1-3-5 ELT 3	2 <b>SBAC CAT</b>  BLOCK 2-4-6 ELT 4	3 <b>SBAC Performance Task</b>  BLOCK 1-3-5 ELT 5	4 <b>SBAC Performance Task</b>  BLOCK 2-4-6 ELT 6

### Important Reminders

1. DO YOUR VERY BEST ON EVERY QUESTION ON EVERY TEST
2. BRING YOUR **IPAD FULLY CHARGED EVERYDAY** OF TESTING
3. NO EXCUSES! We only ask that you do what we know you can do!
4. BE PRESENT FOR EVERY DAY OF TESTING

