



Inter-Lakes Elementary School

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Dear Inter-Lakes Elementary School Families,

During the month of May, your child will be administered the New Hampshire Statewide Assessments (NHSAS), depending on their grade level:

- NHSAS for English Language Arts/Writing/Mathematics in Grades 3 through 6
- NHSAS for Science in Grade 5

State assessments are an important part of a student's core educational program. They provide an evaluation of student mastery of content and skills in various academic areas, serve as one tool for measuring the degree to which students are on track to graduate high school and be college- and career-ready, and help inform future instruction in the classroom. Along with student work on classroom assignments, projects, essays, and local assessments, state assessment results give teachers and you, the parents, important information about where students are on their path toward academic success. You may access training tests for the NH SAS by going to the portal at <https://nh.portal.airast.org/training-tests.stml>.

Student results for the NH SAS (reading/writing, mathematics and science) are generally available within 10 days upon the student completing the test. We will send your child's Individual Score Report home as soon as possible after receiving results, which may not be until the end of the school year.

If you have any questions related to this assessment or its administration, you may contact Kate Clark, Ashley Shuffleton or myself at 279-7968 or kate.clark@interlakes.org, ashley.shuffleton@interlakes.org, or michael.bryant@interlakes.org.

Thank you for supporting your child and encouraging him/her to do their best during this assessment administration.

Sincerely,

Michael A. Bryant

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