Thornton Fractional North High School





April 12, 2024

On Tuesday, April 23rd and Wednesday, April 24th, Thornton Fractional North High School will utilize a two-day test assessment window to conduct standardized assessments and provide asynchronous instruction to students.

Teachers will provide students with an assignment that will be required for completion upon returning to school on Thursday, April 25th. During asynchronous instruction, students will work on their assignments from home.

Grade 12 students will be given the option to come to the North campus to get help from their English teacher to complete assignments, in addition to completing asynchronous work. Senior students are also encouraged to finish the FAFSA during this time, if they have not already completed it.

Students in Grade 9 - Grade11 who are required to participate in the SAT Suite and ISA assessments will arrive at TF North no later than 8:10 a.m. and report to their room locations. Room assignments will be posted in the hallways prior to testing.

Students will be required to bring the following:

- D215 issued Chromebook (fully charged)
- Chromebook charger
- Graphing calculator (if they own one)
- Two #2 pencils

To help students carry all essential items, students will be allowed to bring their backpacks to the classrooms during testing. Cell phones must remain in the backpacks and must be powered off. In addition, smart watches must be removed from wrists and also placed in the bookbag throughout the entire duration of testing. If a student's cell phone rings, or they are on their phone at any time, the student will be removed from testing and forfeit their exam.

After the completion of the assessment, all students will be provided lunch from the cafeteria. Grade 9 and Grade 10 students will also complete a brief Naviance activity at the end of their testing time.

Students will not be dismissed early from assigned room locations. Please do not contact the Attendance Office requesting early release. Per College Board, students are not permitted to leave their assigned room location until all students have completed the assessment. We will not honor any request for dismissal during the two-day test window. All students will be dismissed at approximately 1:00 p.m.

TF North High School will not provide any Chromebooks or chargers to students during this two-day testing window. Students are solely responsible for being prepared for the assessment.

Timeline for Asynchronous Instruction & Assessment Days

Tuesday, April 23rd

8:15 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Grade 9	Freshmen take the PSAT 9
Grade 10	Sophomores participate in an asynchronous instruction day from home
Grade 11	Juniors take the SAT (graduation requirement)
Grade 12	Seniors will participate in an asynchronous instruction day from home

Wednesday, April 24th

8:15 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Grade 9	Freshmen participate in an asynchronous instruction day from home
Grade 10	Sophomores take PSAT 10
Grade 11	Juniors take the Illinois Science Assessment
Grade 12	Seniors will participate in an asynchronous instruction day from home

We appreciate your support, assistance, and understanding through our transition to the digital suite of SAT assessments.