

Country Springs Elementary School

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Distribution of California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP) New Electronic Reporting System

Dear Parent or Guardian:

Students in grades three through eight and high school participated in the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP). Students took the following test(s), depending on their grade level:

- Smarter Balanced Summative Assessments for English Language Arts /Literacy (ELA) and Mathematics in grades three through eight and grade eleven.
- California Science Test (CAST) in grades five and eight and once in high school.

Beginning this summer, Student Score Reports will be disseminated electronically through our secured parent portal on our student information system at the following website:

<https://aeriesweb.chino.k12.ca.us/parent/LoginParent.aspx?page=default.aspx>. Paper copies will be available by request only in the school office. For new users, an instructional guide for setting up a new Aeries Parent Portal account can be found on the Chino Valley Unified School District webpage under the Parents tab. For returning users to Parent Portal, test scores will be available under the tab labeled "Test Scores".

Electronic Reporting scores will show scores for ELA and Mathematics. It includes an overall score for each subject and information about how well your child did in different areas. Students in grades four through eight who took the test in previous years will also see past scores so you can see your child's progress over time.

To learn more about your child's scores, go to the new parent web page called Starting Smarter, available at <https://www.ca.startingsmarter.org/>.

This site includes:

- Resources to help understand results on the student score reports
- Access to sample test questions
- No-cost resources to support learning
- A guide for parent-teacher conferences

In our district, the test results are just one way to look at how well our students are doing. We use the results to find areas where students are doing well and areas in which they need help.

Note: If your child took the CAST, the results will be provided to you in the late fall.

If you have questions or concerns, please call the school office at (909) 590-8212.

Sincerely,

Tom Mackessy
Principal