

Standardized Test Scores

MEAP

The **Michigan Educational Assessment Program**, commonly known as **MEAP**, is a standardized test. The test is taken by our third through eighth grade students for the purpose of determining their progress compared to standards set by the State Board of Education. Individual student scores are evaluated, but more so, the class scores are evaluated to determine areas of strength for each grade level and areas to address. The evaluation results in changes to classroom instruction in order to provide students with the experiences needed to master benchmarks as set by the state.

% Met or Exceeded	Math	Reading	
Gr. 3/ 30students	69%	83%	
Gr.4/ 28students	68%	89%	Writing 75%
Gr. 5/ 28students	89%	93%	Science 32%
Gr. 6 41students	73%	93%	Soc.St. 63%
Gr. 7 26students	73%	92%	Writing 73%
Gr. 8 27students	59%	89%	Science 56%

NWEA MAP

St. Augustine Cathedral School administers the **MAP (Measures of Academic Progress)** three times each year in grades K through 8. The MAP evaluates a student's academic performance in math, reading and language. The tests are tailored to a student's current achievement level and sets a goal for yearly growth for each student. The online administration allows for adjustments to the level of difficulty of the questions, making the test unique to each student. MAP results are used to identify students' areas of strength and areas to address. As well, the MAP allows teachers to target instruction to the whole class, or to small groups, based on the item analyses. The scale used by the MAP is the RIT scale (Rasch uNIT). It is an interval scale used to chart a student's academic growth from year to year. MAP identifies fall RIT norms as 150's in grade K, 160's in grade 1, and on up.

MAP/Grade	Grade K	Grade 1	Grade 2	Grade 3	Grade 4	Grade 5	Grade 6	Grade 7	Grade 8
Reading fall	149.6	168.1	189	200.6	209.1	214.2	220.6	226.6	227.7
Reading winter	161.7	180.1	194.4	204.4	215.2	216.7	223.4	228.1	229
Math fall	149.2	168.5	189.5	202.8	212	226.7	226.5	234.7	235.5
Math winter	160.8	178.2	195.6	206.7	217.3	228.2	230.9	236.6	238.8
Language fall				205.6	211.1	217.6	222.7	226.2	226.3
Language winter				211.3	216.6	220	225.2	229	228.6