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Grade 6 Provincial Achievement Tests

Dear Grade 6 Families,

Due to the implementation of the new Science curriculum in grade 6 this year, Alberta Education has determined **grade 6 students will not** write a Provincial Achievement Test in Science. Grade 6 students at Sister Annata Brockman **will** participate in English Language Arts and Literature (ELAL), Math, and Social Studies PATs in May and June. The Social Studies PAT will reflect content students are learning in the current program.

These tests determine if students have learned what they are expected to, report on provincial standards, and assist schools in improving student learning.

Below is the Grade 6 PAT Schedule and important information for you.

****It is very important that your child be at school for these tests.**

To ensure the best possible achievement, please make sure that your child:

- comes to school **on time (8:05 am)**;
- gets a **full night's sleep** before each exam; and
- they have a **hearty, healthy breakfast** that morning.

This will assist them in performing to the best of their ability during their tests.

If your child is sick the day of the exam, please contact your child's teacher as soon as possible to confirm that your child will be away and indicate when he/she may return so that an alternative writing date can be arranged. All students are expected to write the PATs unless otherwise discussed.

As per Alberta Education guidelines, students are not permitted to write a PAT prior to the scheduled exam date.

Students are expected to remain at school for the afternoon as activities are planned to help them prepare for the next test.

Note: Wednesday, June 25 is a FULL DAY of school and the last day of classes for students

All students are provided with up to double the official time noted below if they require it.



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Date and Exam	Time Allotted
Wednesday May 28 – LA Part A	9:00 – 11:00 am (120 minutes) 240 minutes maximum writing time
Thursday, June 12 – LA Part B 50 multiple choice questions	9:00 – 10:00 am (60 minutes) 120 minutes maximum writing time
Friday, June 13 – Math Part A 15 numerical-response math facts questions	9:00 – 9:30 am (30 minutes) 60 minutes maximum writing time
Tuesday, June 17 – Math Part B 40 multiple choice questions	9:00 – 10:15 am (75 minutes) 150 minutes maximum writing time
Wednesday, June 18 – Social Studies 50 multiple choice questions	9:00 – 10:00 am (60 minutes) 120 minutes maximum writing time

Please reach out to your child’s teacher if you have any questions or concerns. Thank you for your support.

Sincerely,

Mrs. MacDonald, Mrs. Langlois, and Mrs. Huculak
Grade 6 Six Teachers