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Dear GRACE Parents,

Happy Spring! This communication serves to provide you important information to assist you in understanding your child/ren's MAP Student Progress Report.

As part of the Measures of Academic Progress (MAP) assessments, all GRACE students in K-8 usually take a fall and spring test. This year's MAP testing for your child(ren) may have looked slightly different due to a number of factors including quarantine restrictions, virtual learning, etc. However, the goal of this testing remains the same. The goal is to more accurately view student's progress throughout the academic year in the areas of mathematics, reading, language usage and science.

**A sample MAP Student Progress Report is provided on the second page of this letter for your reference.**

You will receive an actual progress report per child. This report will contain a graph on each subject area assessed as captured on sample report provided on the next page. On each graph you will see three lines:

- one is your child's RIT score for that subject area (blue line);
- one is the district's average RIT score (orange line); and
- one is the nationwide average RIT score (norm grade level mean RIT) (yellow line).

Please see the key underneath each graph that describes these color-coded lines.

The black dots that appear throughout each line specify when MAP assessments were given. To see your child's progress during this academic year, you will look for the dots above the FA20 and SP21 markers (the **red** arrow on the graph points you to those markers). Your child's report may have another black dot in between these two markers titled WI21. This means your child also took the winter MAP assessment. Please note, if your child did not take a test in the fall, there will not be any data recorded for the FA20.

Lastly, please refer to the chart on the right side of the subject area graph and look at the line marked SP21 in the Term/Year column.

- The first number (RIT Growth) is how many points your child progressed this school year (**blue** circle).
- The second number (Growth Projection) is how many points your child was expected to grow (**green** circle).

Ideally these numbers should be the same or the first number should be higher than the second. Again, some of this information may be missing if your child did not partake in the fall testing period.

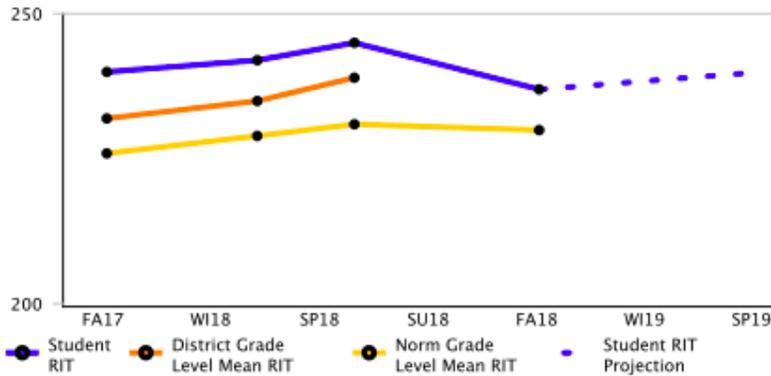
We hope you found this informational letter helpful in reading and understanding your child(ren)'s MAP Student Progress Report. If you have any questions, please contact Laura Blicharz, GRACE Curriculum Coordinator, via email at [lblicharz@gracesystem.org](mailto:lblicharz@gracesystem.org).

Sincerely,

GRACE Principals  
GRACE Curriculum Team

Sample MAP Student Progress Report

**Mathematics**



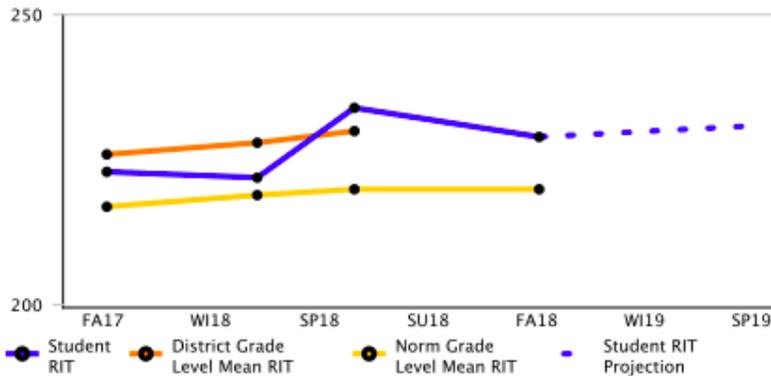
Term/Year	Grade	RIT (+/- Std Err)	RIT Growth	Growth Projection	Percentile Range
FA18	9	234-237-240			58-64-70
SP18	8	242-245-248	5	4	72-77-82
WI18	8	239-242-245			71-77-81
FA17	8	237-240-243			73-78-83
WI17	7	228-231-234			54-61-67
FA16	7	228-231-234			64-70-76
SP16	6	230-233-236	6	9	58-65-72
WI16	6	220-223-226			44-51-58
FA15	6	224-227-230			68-74-80
SP15	5	221-224-227			49-56-64
WI15	5	222-225-228			62-69-76

Mathematics Goals Performance - Fall 2018-2019

Operations and Algebraic Thinking      HiAvg      The Real and Complex Number Systems      HiAvg  
 Geometry      HiAvg      Statistics and Probability      HiAvg



**Reading**



Term/Year	Grade	RIT (+/- Std Err)	RIT Growth	Growth Projection	Percentile Range
FA18	9	226-229-233			63-71-78
SP18	8	231-234-237	11	2	75-81-86
WI18	8	219-222-225			50-58-66
FA17	8	220-223-226			56-65-72
WI17	7	219-222-225			54-63-71
FA16	7	222-225-228			69-76-82
SP16	6	216-220-224	-6	3	51-60-69
WI16	6	216-219-222			53-62-70
FA15	6	223-226-229			79-85-89
SP15	5	216-219-222			61-69-76
WI15	5	211-214-217			52-61-69

Reading Goals Performance - Fall 2018-2019

Word Meaning: Word Origins, Word I      High      Literary Concepts: Main Ideas, Details, and Inferences      Avg  
 Literary Concepts: Purpose, Structur      Avg      Informational Concepts: Main Ideas, Details, and Inferences      High  
 Informational Concepts: Purpose, Str      HiAvg  
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