

Dear Bulldog Families:

The purpose of this communication is to notify you that the Texas Education Agency has approved a waiver allowing **Stephen F. Austin High School** to modify the schedule of classes for students who are not being EOC tested to report to and attend school after the state assessment testing period has ended, therefore reducing the interruptions during the testing period. Fort Bend ISD is extending this provision to **only students in grades 11 or 12 (on Skyward) who have already passed End of Course Exams (EOC)**. Students must arrive no later than 10:45 AM and be marked present in their classes on the assigned day of the state assessment. Students who are eligible for this waiver must still meet the minimum 4-hour requirement for attendance purposes.

Any student who has not previously passed the content area EOC is required to report to campus at the regular start time in order to participate in EOC testing as a requirement for graduation in Texas.

Please see our campus state testing dates below.

Test Date	STAAR EOC Assessment
April 18	English I
April 20	English II
April 25	US History (juniors/seniors in US Hist must arrive at 7:30 AM this day)
April 27	Biology
May 2	Algebra I

If your child meets ALL of the following criteria, then he/she will be scheduled to start class at 10:45 a.m. (students must be in class at 10:45 a.m. or they will be marked tardy, and this could count toward exemptions) on the designated testing day(s) as listed above:

- currently a Junior or Senior, **and**
- previously passed the EOC exam scheduled for the specific date.

If your child does not qualify for all criteria listed above, then he/she is not eligible for this late arrival waiver. Additionally, there is **no late arrival at the Reese Center**. Students not testing who are enrolled in classes at the Reese Center on the testing dates will start classes at their regularly scheduled times. There is not a late bus for transportation to school for late arrival.

Students (on their FBISD email) and parents (who have an email address in skyward) will receive an email prior to testing with their test day location(s) listed.

To see previous STAAR EOC scores, you can go to www.texasassessment.gov.

To find your child's unique access code:

- Log into Family Access in the Skyward system.
- Click Online Forms tab on the left.

- You will see that an online form is now available to fill out. The form is named “Student Assessment Results.”
- Click on “Fill Out Online Form” for the Student Assessment Results.
- On the new screen, click on “1. Student Assessment Access Code” on the right-hand side of the page.
- You will see your child’s unique access code as well as a link to the Texas Student Portal. Click the link and use the access code, as well as your child’s date of birth, to access results.

If you would like information about how to read student scores, go to
<https://tea.texas.gov/student-assessment/testing/staar/staar-performance-standards>

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