

COLORADO INTERNATIONAL LANGUAGE ACADEMY TESTING WAIVER FORM

This form will serve as evidence of your wish to excuse your child from mandatory state testing and other assessments given at Colorado International Language Academy. Please submit one form per student.

Child's Name:

_____ Last Name, First Name, Middle Initial Grade Level: _____

Parent/Guardian Name:

_____ Last Name, First Name Parent Daytime Phone Number: _____

Please check the boxes below for the tests that you wish to excuse your child from: Check all that apply

_____ CMAS Science (Grade 5)

_____ CMAS Social Studies (Grade 4)

_____ CMAS Math (Grades 3 through 5)

_____ CMAS English Language Arts (Grades 3 through 5)

Parent Acknowledgement and Signature

1. _____ I understand Colorado requires all students enrolled in a public school to participate in state academic assessments as specified in the state law. I also understand that Colorado provides parents the right to excuse their child from state mandated testing.
2. _____ I understand the accuracy of state accountability data is impacted when students do not participate. The true performance of my child's school and teachers will not be captured in the state-reported achievement and growth scores.
3. _____ I understand by excusing my child from specific state testing, my child and school will not receive this specific data to track progress.
4. _____ I understand my child will not be penalized by the school for not participating in state mandated testing (including, but not limited to, prohibiting school attendance, imposing an unexcused absence, or participation in extracurricular activities).
5. _____ I understand that on-site supervision cannot be guaranteed for students who do not take the state-mandated assessments but that schools may use staff and volunteer resources to the best of their abilities to provide on-site supervision. (Please check with your school for specific information.)

I have communicated with an administrator at my child's school and understand the implications of my decision to excuse my child from participating in testing.

_____ Parent/Guardian Signature

[Reference: C.R.S. 22-7-409 (d)(l)(A), READ Act (HB 12-1238), School Readiness (SB 08-212) CAP4K, and HB 151323]