



Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education

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Dear School Administrator:

Many school districts across the state missed a substantial number of days due to weather this year. In response to requests from numerous school officials and teachers, the MAP testing window will be extended this year by five business days. The Department of Elementary and Secondary Education notified local school officials of the change by email last week.

Listed below are the revised dates as a result of the extended test window:

Events	Previously Scheduled Dates	Revised Extended Dates
Test Materials arrive in Districts	03/03/08 -- 03/14/08	No Change
MAP Testing Window	03/31/08 – 04/25/08	03/31/08 – 05/02/08
Deadline for ordering additional test materials without incurring additional shipping costs	04/11/08	No Change
Final deadline for ordering additional test materials (districts responsible for paying shipping costs)	04/21/08	No Change
Deadline to contact CTB for Test Materials Pick-up	04/28/08	05/05/08
Deadline for Test Materials to be picked up by CTB transportation vendor	05/01/08	05/08/08

If you have questions regarding the revised schedule, please contact Mr. Michael Muenks, Coordinator of Curriculum and Assessment, at 573-751-2625.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Stan Johnson".

Stan Johnson
Assistant Commissioner
Division of School Improvement