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Dear UCA Parents and Guardians,

As usual, UCA students will be taking the MAP® Growth™ tests from NWEA® this school year. Starting this year, testing will begin from **Grade 1** onwards, students will be assessed in **English, Math, and Science**.

MAP Growth tests are administered **two times a year** (fall and spring), with the first round scheduled for **October**. These assessments are not exams that require preparation at home, students do not need to study or prepare for them. Instead, they provide us, as a school, with valuable insights into your child's academic progress.

MAP Growth scores help teachers measure both achievement and growth over time. Results are used to tailor classroom lessons, set individual goals, and guide instruction based on students' needs. Because the test adapts to each student's responses, it offers a more accurate and personalized picture of their learning journey, whether they are on, above, or below grade level.

We are excited to continue focusing on your child's growth and achievement, and to use this data to inform and strengthen our teaching practices. For more information about MAP Growth, visit [NWEA.org/familytoolkit](https://nwea.org/familytoolkit).

Sincerely,

Rola Malaeb
Director