
Dr. Matthew Gutierrez ★ Superintendent

April 2, 2020

RE: Spring 2020 STAAR EOC Assessments

Dear Parent or Guardian,

Due to the COVID-19 Outbreak, Governor Abbott waived the State of Texas Assessment of Academic Readiness (STAAR) End of Course assessments for all students in the 2019-2020 school year.

For graduating seniors who are still working to meet assessment graduation requirements, required performance on the EOC is being waived for the spring 2020. This means that current seniors in the 2020 Cohort may graduate through the Individual Graduation Committee (IGC) process. Seguin High School administrators and counselors will contact these students to arrange the IGC meeting.

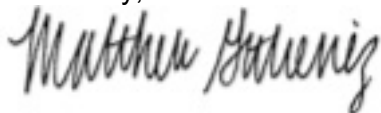
For students in grades 11 or lower (including middle school students taking an EOC-tested subject) who are not graduating this year, required performance for the STAAR EOC is being waived for the Spring 2020 only, and for first-time testers only. If the student is not graduating and is currently enrolled in an EOC course, the EOC passing requirement will be waived if the student receives credit for that course. However, if the student is not graduating and has an outstanding EOC assessment *that they have not passed from a previous year*, they will still need to retake and pass that EOC assessment prior to graduation.

For all students who were scheduled to be administered a STAAR Alternate 2 EOC assessment in spring 2020, the assessment requirement is being waived. These students are not required to take the specific STAAR Alternate 2 EOC assessment in the future and are not responsible for passing the assessment to fulfill graduation requirements.

More information about the spring 2020 STAAR assessment waiver can be found at https://tea.texas.gov/sites/default/files/200326_assessment_guidance.pdf

If you have questions concerning the waiver of the EOC requirement and would like to speak to your counselor, or if you have questions concerning any other matter, please call the Every Matador Matters Hotline at 830-401-8651 between the hours of 9 a.m. - 3 p.m., Monday - Friday. An operator will take your call and route it to the appropriate person on your campus.

Sincerely,



Dr. Matthew Gutierrez
Superintendent