



DATE: 06/09/2025

TITLE: Information Services

TYPE: Information

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BACKGROUND:

The mission of the Information Services department is to support the district mission and strategic priorities by building capacity through research, evaluation and the application of data to inform school improvement for student success. We provide support and expertise to schools and staff through:

- Providing expertise in the area of measurement and delivering accurate and timely information to building and district staff
- Providing support to district and schools through a systematic evaluation process of district programs
- Reviewing and summarizing data related to student learning and instruction
- Providing professional development on assessment practices, data analysis and interpretation

Support and resources to ensure a safe and welcoming learning environment

2025-2026 Online Registration and Annual Renewals

- Starting Today, Monday 06/09/2025, Austin Public Schools will use the Infinite Campus Online Registration system to collect Annual Updates and any additional new Kindergarten/PreSchool enrollments. Through the Campus Parent Portal application, parent will be able to click on Online Registration and follow the prompts to update information and complete school forms for the 25-26 school year.
- Families will also be able to get technical and language support throughout the summer by stopping in the Enrollment Office (Door #3 at AHS), in addition, we will be hosting 2 Online Registration Support days at Austin High School Packer Gym on July 17th 9:00 AM – 2:00 PM and July 24th from 3:00 PM – 7:00 PM.
- Information Services will also be providing a Registration Information and Portal Support day at the Hormel Plant for parents of APS students. During this July 16th 12:30 – 4:30 PM support session, Info Services staff will be helping parents with Parent Portal credentials, technical support and registration support as need.

If you have any questions regarding Online Registration, please contact APS Central Enrollment Services at (507)460-1937 or email portal@austin.k12.mn.us.

Packer Profile for all learners

- Information Services is continuing work this summer to implement the adjustments to grading practices in APS for the 25-26 school year. This work is a result of a review of the current context, staff feedback and collaboration of the district grading and reporting team. These changes apply to students in Grades 7-12 and revolve around grading comments. Info Svcs is decommissioning the legacy grading comments and will be installing a new set of 42 “canned” comments for teachers to use to provide feedback to students and parents on report cards. Teachers will utilize the new comments for reporting student behaviors related to student grades.
- Austin Public Schools (APS) is excited to bring FRECKLE and Lalilo into Grade KG – 06 classrooms across the district starting in the 2025–2026 school year. Information Services is working to prepare these tools for teachers and students this summer. These innovative educational platforms will provide students with powerful tools to support personalized learning in math, reading, and foundational literacy skills. Click [here](#) for more information.

District-wide multi-tiered systems of support for all learners

Spring 2025 STAR Benchmarking Results:

- Staff and Students completed Spring Benchmarking on the STAR Assessment Platform from April 28 – May 16, 2025.
- Students in Grades KG – 08 and select HS populations were assessed in Computer Adaptive Tests and Curriculum Based Measures based on the [District Assessment Program](#).

S25 Gr 02-08 STAR Reading Results

Selection		
Exceeds	224	9.0%
Meets	601	24.1%
Partially Meets	428	17.2%
Does Not Meet	1,236	49.7%
Total	2,489	100.0%

S25 Gr 02-08 STAR Reading SGP F->S

Selection		
High Growth	691	28.9%
Med Growth	727	30.4%
Low Growth	975	40.7%
Total	2,393	100.0%

S25 Gr KG-01 FAST earlyReading Results

Selection		
Low Risk	224	30.5%
Some Risk	244	33.2%
High Risk	267	36.3%
Total	735	100.0%

S25 Gr 01-08 STAR Mathematics Results

Selection		
Exceeds	312	10.9%
Meets	651	22.7%
Partially Meets	640	22.4%
Does Not Meet	1,259	44.0%
Total	2,862	100.0%

S25 Gr 01-08 STAR Mathematics SGP F->S

Selection		
High Growth	757	27.3%
Med Growth	784	28.3%
Low Growth	1,230	44.4%
Total	2,771	100.0%

S25 Gr KG-01 FAST earlyReading SGP F->S

Selection		
Aggressive Growth	102	14.6%
Typical Growth	277	39.6%
Moderate Growth	191	27.3%
Flat Growth	129	18.5%
Total	699	100.0%

Excellence in Resource Management

- Info Services is working interdepartmentally to bring Campus Workflow to APS for 25-26. The [Campus Workflow Suite](#) comprises tools designed to reduce manual tasks and enhance efficiency for schools. Enhanced attendance procedures, including online Absence Reporting for Parent/Families via Campus Parent Portal and integrated attendance kiosks at the front offices of our Gr.05-12 building locations. Additionally, digital hall pass procedures will enhance safety and security with a new tool called Hall Pass. These tools seamlessly integrate with our Infinite Campus SIS, saving valuable time and resources for Austin Public Schools.