

## ELPAC Testing Information

### What is the ELPAC?

- English Language Proficiency Assessment for California (ELPAC)
- This is a required state test for English language proficiency that must be given to students whose primary language is a language other than English.
- It replaced the California English Language Development Test (CELDT) from two years ago.
- It is given once a year to measure an English learner's progress in learning English and to identify the student's ELP (English Language Proficiency) level.
- All students designated LEP (Limited English Proficient) must take the ELPAC, until they are reclassified as RFEP (Reclassified Fluent English Proficient) and exit the English Language program.
- The ELPAC has four sections:
  - Reading } Tuesday, February 12<sup>th</sup>
  - Writing } Tuesday, February 12<sup>th</sup>
  - Listening } Tuesday, February 12<sup>th</sup>
  - Speaking → Tuesday, February 19<sup>th</sup>

### What is our ELPAC test schedule?

#### ELPAC Day 1: February 12<sup>th</sup>

**7<sup>th</sup> grade** – You will receive a call slip in Advisement and report to the Media Center. You will miss periods 6, 5, & 4

**8<sup>th</sup> grade** – You will receive a call slip in 3<sup>rd</sup> period and report to the Media Center. You will miss periods 3, 2, & 1. You will be sent back to class when you finish.

#### ELPAC Day 2: February 19<sup>th</sup> (\*Speaking)

**7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> grades** – When you receive your call slip report immediately to the Media Center. You will be sent back to class as soon as you finish (15-20 minutes).

**This test is NOT timed, and you will have as much time as you need to finish.**

### What can you do to prepare?

- Attendance is super important. Please do your best to be at school and on time during these two test dates
- Get a good night's rest and eat breakfast before school
- Leave smart watches at home
- While there really is no way to study for the ELPAC, students can: Review the practice test available on the ELPAC website: <https://www.elpac.org/resources/practicetests/>
- Review ELPAC instructions/directions vocabulary: [https://quizlet.com/\\_4ihyz9](https://quizlet.com/_4ihyz9)