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Subject: May 2022 STAAR Grades 3–8 Paper Administration

To the Education Service Center and District Testing Coordinator Addressed:

The purpose of this communication is to inform Texas public school districts and open-enrollment charter schools of an extension of the paper testing window for the May 2022 State of Texas Assessments of Academic Readiness (STAAR®) grades 3–8 administration.

Due to supply-chain and shipping challenges that have affected the delivery of paper test materials for the May 2022 STAAR grades 3–8 administration, the Texas Education Agency (TEA) is extending the testing window for paper administrations by two days. Districts can schedule the administration of STAAR grades 3–8 paper tests (including make-up tests) through **Tuesday, May 17, 2022**, if necessary.

The deadline for returning scorable materials to Pearson has been revised to **Thursday, May 19.** Please note that reporting dates are not impacted by this extension. Test results are still scheduled to be available on the dates listed in the <u>Calendar of Events</u>.

If you have questions about this information, contact TEA using the Student Assessment Help Desk. If you have questions about your district's paper shipments, call Texas Testing Support at 833-601-8821.

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