

Dear New Trier Families,

New Trier's first semester is set to end on **Thursday, December 21**, before Winter Break. This email includes information about the end of semester schedule, including:

- Modern and Classical Languages Assessments December 11-15
- End of Semester Assessment Schedule December 19-21
- Grading Day (No School) December 22 and Winter Break December 23-January 7

End of Semester Assessments/Experiences Tuesday, December 19 - Thursday, December 21

Students *may* be scheduled for 90-minute assessments in Science, Mathematics, English, Social Studies, and Elective courses on Tuesday, December 19, Wednesday, December 20, and Thursday, December 21. Times are assigned by course:

- [Northfield Campus Assessment Schedule by Course](#)
- [Winnetka Campus Assessment Schedule by Course](#)

Not every course will have an End of Semester Assessment scheduled for the week of December 19-21. Teachers will communicate their expectations to students. Formats for the end of semester vary in each course and may take the form of a cumulative final exam, end-of-unit test, or a culminating writing assignment, project, or performance assessment.

Note that assessments at both campuses begin at 8:00 A.M. This is earlier than a typical school day on the Winnetka Campus. Students need to be on campus only for their assigned exams. Students with exam accommodations will receive instructions regarding those accommodations.

Monday, December 18 is an Anchor Day, and students will attend all classes on the regular Anchor Day schedule. We will send a reminder closer to the assessment week with information about bus schedules and food service during assessments.

Modern and Classical Languages Assessments December 11-15

The Modern and Classical Languages Department will hold Language Performance Assessments in class during the week of December 11-15.

Grading Day (No School) on Friday, December 22 and Winter Break

New Trier students will not attend school on Friday, December 22, which is a Grading Day; however, if the district needs to take an emergency day before the end of the semester, this could be a school day. First semester grades will be available in PowerSchool on January 12. Winter Break begins on Saturday, December 23, and classes resume on Monday, January 8.

We hope you and your families have a wonderful break.

Sincerely,

Denise Dubravec

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