



## **Informational Memo: Fall 2019 Assessment Report Addendum and IAR Data**

TO: School Board  
Dr. Trisha Kocanda, Superintendent

FROM: Barry Rodgers, Director of Innovation, Teaching and Learning

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### **Background**

This memo serves as an addendum to the Fall 2019 Assessment Report presented at the October 19, 2019 Board meeting. As detailed at the October meeting, the Fall Assessment Report focuses on the IAR, the MAP Assessment, the Illinois Science Assessment and the New Trier Township 8th Grade Survey. IAR Data reviewing performance in relationship to the New Trier Township feeder schools was not shared at the October meeting due to an embargo which ended with the release of the Illinois School Report Card on October 30.

The IAR Assessment is the official Illinois state assessment used for grades 3-8. It is a rigorous test that measures knowledge and learning of state learning standards in the areas of English Language Arts (ELA) and Mathematics.

IAR Scores are categorized in the following score bands:

- Level 5: Exceeding Expectations
- Level 4: Meeting Expectations
- Level 3: Approaching Expectations
- Level 2: Partially Meeting Expectations
- Level 1: Did Not Yet Meet Expectations

**Assessment Results:**

Assessment Results can be found by clicking on this link for [Township IAR Data](#).

**Alignment with the District 36 Shared Vision**

The Fall Assessment Report aligns with the District's Shared Vision as evidenced by our commitment for all learners to "actively engage in continual growth and achievement."