

Bethune School District R5 Parent Form to Excuse Students from CMAS/PARCC

The Colorado Measures of Academic Success (CMAS) is an assessment system designed to measure student mastery of the Colorado's Academic content standards. CMAS includes state testing in science and social studies and PARCC assessments in English, Language arts and math in grades 3-9 and the preparatory exam of college entrance exam for grades 10 and 11.

In December of 2009, Colorado adopted revised academic content standards progressing from early school readiness to postsecondary competencies reflective of both workforce readiness and 21st century skills. Student progress towards these outcomes is measured through results from CMAS, which provide information to teachers as they incorporated the content standards in their daily instructions. CMAS results are also used for school and district accountability.

Date _____

Student ID: _____

As parent/guardian of _____, I am opting my child out of the Colorado Measures of Academic Success (CMAS) assessments for the _____ school year.

Student's Name _____

Grade Level _____

Parent's Name (Printed) _____

Parent's Signature _____

School Name _____

Please share your reason for opting your child out of CMAS for this school year: (optional)

Parent: Please complete and sign the form and submit a printed copy to your child's school.

School: Keep a copy on file at the school and send an electronic copy to the assessment department