

COOK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT 130

Parent Resource Guide for MAP® testing: Resources

STRIDE Academy:

This computer-based program was purchased by Cook County School District 130 for each student. Activities and lessons are individualized for each student, based on NWEA/MAP scores.

1. Go to www.stridestart.com
2. Student ID (*KCC Code*) ← provided by your school (ask your teacher/principal)
3. School Code (*KCS Code*) ← provided by your school (ask your teacher/principal)
4. Password: **ccsd130**

*The preferred browser for Stride Academy is Google Chrome for PCs & Macs and Safari for IOS (iPad).
You can prevent technical issues by downloading the latest version of these browsers.*

Additional Mathematics Resources:

www.aaamath.com	Math practice and activities
www.coolmath.com	Interactive math games
www.funbrain.com	Great site for kids
www.aplusmath.com	A+ Math
www.mathforum.org/dr.math/	Ask Dr. Math
www.mathleague.com/help/help.htm	Math League help topics
www.edhelper.com	Help for all subjects
www.khanacademy.org	Khan Academy



- <http://www.fredon.org/student-resources/rit-games>
http://clinton.k12.wi.us/maptest_sites/map_math_rit.html
<http://www.sowashco.k12.mn.us/ro/pages/studentlinks/map/>

Additional Language Arts & Reading Resources:



www.funbrain.com	Language Arts games and more
www.merriam-webster.com	Merriam Webster Word Game of the Day
www.vocabulary.com	Vocabulary activities
www.superkids.com/aweb/tools/words	Vocabulary builders
www.lexile.com	Lexile Framework® for Reading
http://www.fredon.org/student-resources/rit-games	
http://clinton.k12.wi.us/maptest_sites/map_reading_rit.html	
http://www.sowashco.k12.mn.us/ro/pages/studentlinks/map/reading.htm	

Additional Tips for Parents from NWEA™:

- Meet with your child's teacher to discuss his or her progress. Ask the teacher to suggest activities for you and your child to do at home to help prepare for tests and improve your child's understanding of schoolwork. Parents and teachers working together benefits students. .
- Provide a quiet, comfortable place for studying at home; Make sure that your child is well rested on school days; and Give your child a well-rounded diet. These all lead to fostering a healthy, active mind.
- Encourage children to solve problems. Provide assistance, but let them figure it out themselves. Problem solving is a lifetime skill. It can be learned playing games, cooking together, or working on a project.