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Dear Parents/Guardians,

As school sites within Miami-Dade County Public Schools (M-DCPS) have initiated testing for students, it is imperative that our parents are aware of the available transportation resources. Students who are enrolled in My School Online (MSO) and are eligible for bus transportation have the opportunity to be transported to and from school on their respective testing dates.

In addition, please note if for any reason, your child was unable to test on their scheduled test date due to lack of transportation, there is an opportunity to schedule a make-up test with transportation provided by coordinating with your school site. Bus transportation is not a mandatory requirement to participate in testing, as parents can utilize other means of transportation if they choose to do so.

If you are interested in utilizing bus transportation for your MSO student's testing dates for the following: **FSA-ELA Writing (Grades 7-10) April 13, 2021, FSA-ELA Reading (Grades 7-10) May 3-4, 2021, U.S. History EOC (Eligible Students/Gr.11) May 5-6, 2021, FSA-Algebra 1 EOC/FSA-Geometry EOC/FSA-Middle School Math Gr.7-8 (Eligible Students Gr. 7-8/9-10) May 17-18, 2021, Biology 1 EOC/Grade 8 Science/Civics (Eligible Student Gr.7, 8, 10) May 20, 2021**; please contact your child's school. Information related to MSO student bus transportation for state assessments can be found at the following link: <https://dot.dadeschools.net/#!/fullWidth/3312> and *C.O.P.E. Center North Social Media Outlets and C.O.P.E. Center North Lioness Nation-Media Team Platform*.

Students who will need to leave their babies with the Nurturing Center Staff, please contact Mrs. Smith-Blissett at 305.836.3300 ext.2032 or ext.2041.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the school at **305.836.3300**. You can also reach out to **Mrs. D. Everett-Offord** – Email: deverett@dadeschools.net or our Student Services Chairperson **Ms. N. Walker** - Email: NWalker@dadeschools.net

Sincerely,

Dr. Ebony N. Dunn
Principal