

# Weld County School District RE-5J

## RESOLUTION

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.

The Colorado Measures of Academic Success (CMAS) is an assessment system designed to measure student mastery of Colorado's academic content standards, which includes state testing in science, social studies, English/language arts, and math. Additionally, the state offers the SAT suite of assessments for students in grades 9-11.

Student progress toward these outcomes is measured through results from CMAS and the SAT suite of assessments, which provide information to teachers as they incorporate the content standards in their daily instruction.

CMAS and SAT results are also used for school and district accountability and educators use these results for class placement and academic screening.

**When students opt out of taking CMAS and SAT assessments valuable information will not be available to educators nor will students and parents receive results of achievement and growth.**

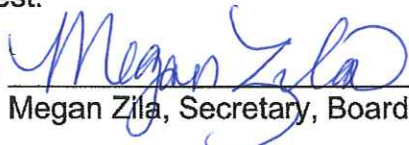
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education of Weld County School District Re-5J encourages all students to fully participate and asks all parents to support and encourage their student's full participation in the Colorado Measures of Academic Success (CMAS) and the SAT suite of assessments designed to measure student mastery of the Colorado's academic content standards.

Approved and adopted this 7th day of March, 2018.

**WELD COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-5J Board of Education**

By:   
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