# Notice to Families of Students Who Did Not Participate in or Complete Summative Testing in Spring 2020

[The following serves as a base draft for district use or modification]

Dear Parent, Guardian, or Adult Student:

Oregon schools transitioned to Distance Learning for All in April 2020 due to factors related to the COVID-19 pandemic and extended school closures. With the transition to distance learning, the Oregon Department of Education (ODE) worked with the United States Department of Education to waive statewide assessment requirements for the 2019-2020 school year.

[Child’s Name] was not able to complete the following statewide assessment(s) prior to transitioning to distance learning:

* English Language Arts (ELA)
* Mathematics
* Science
* English Language Proficiency Assessment (ELPA)

Though reporting results from statewide summative assessments from 2019-20 is not required, [School District] will provide you with a copy of your child’s scores for any assessments that they did complete by [Date] for informational purposes only.

Your child will not need to make up ELA, Mathematics, or Science summative assessments that were scheduled for spring 2020. If your student was scheduled to take the ELPA Summative, but did not have the opportunity to complete it due to the transition to distance learning, [District English Learner Contact Person] will contact you with more information.

This letter is for informational purposes only. No action on your part is required. Please contact your student’s teacher(s) or your school if you have any questions or concerns.