Putnam City Schools
Proficiency Based Promotion
Office of Curriculum, Instruction & Assessment

Things to Consider Before Applying

• *Proficiency based promotion tests are not diagnostic tools.*

• *Tests are intended to be rigorous and demanding at a grade level above what your child has already completed.*

• *Tests take approximately 1 hour to 1 1/2 hours for each subject area.*

• *The language arts test will include a multiple choice section and a section where your child will be asked to write in response to a prompt. (Dependent on level)*

• *No help can be given during testing.*

• *Parents will not be allowed in the testing area.*

• *Grades that participate in the Oklahoma State Testing programs (OCCT, EOI’s) must score “proficient” or above on the designated state test for promotion.*

If you have concerns about the appropriateness of taking these tests, consult your Principal, Counselor, or your child's Teacher

Sincerely,
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