

# Blount County Schools

## Announcement

Re: Report Cards

Due to a delay in the release of TCAP achievement quick scores by the Tennessee Department of Education, report cards for Blount County students in grades 3-8 will not be available on Tuesday, May 20, 2014. Because Tennessee state law requires that scores from the TCAP achievement test be included as a percentage of the second semester grade for students in grades 3-8, the final grade reporting and distribution of report cards for students in Blount County Schools will not occur on Tuesday, May 20, 2014 as originally planned. All information needed from the school system was provided to TDOE on schedule, and there is nothing that can be done locally to speed the release of the scores.

Individual school plans for the distribution of report cards once the TCAP achievement scores are released will be posted on the school websites. As soon as the achievement scores are made available to schools the process of completing grading and printing report cards can take place. Please watch for notification by your child's principal about when grade cards will be ready. Parents should not plan to pick up report cards on Tuesday, May 20 and are asked to watch for communication from the principal of the school when report cards will be ready.