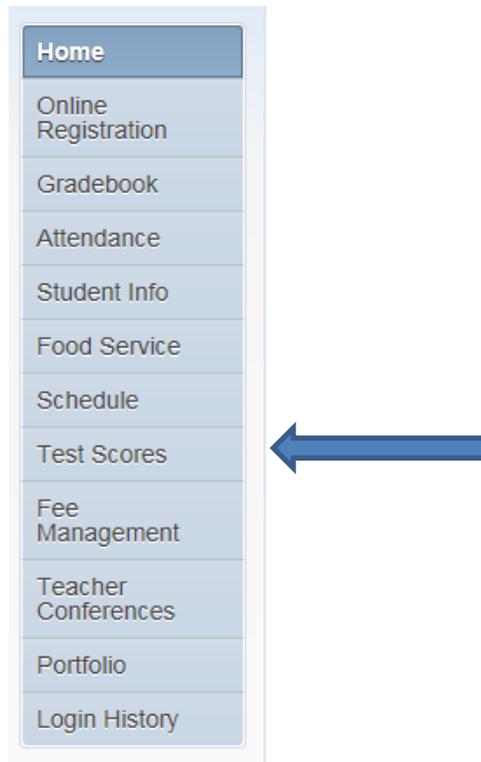# Viewing test scores on Skyward

- Sign in to Family Access in Skyward (there is a link on the Unit 5 page and our school homepage)
- On the left side, you will see the following options. Select Test scores

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- A screen will open with a list of tests (with dates) that your child has taken. This may look a little different depending on your child's grade level. You will be able to click on show scores to get more information:

04/29/2014	MAPRD-MAPREADINGCOMMONCORE (Show Scores)
04/23/2014	MAPMP-MAPMATHK-5 (Show Scores)

- In reading, you will be able to see your child's RIT score, percentile, Lexile score, and a goals performance breakdown. (See back for more information about these terms)

- In Math, you will be able to see your child's RIT score, percentile, and a goals performance breakdown. (See back for more information about these terms)

MAP Score terms/definitions

- **RIT score**- RIT stands for Rasch Unit, which is a unit of measure that uses individual test question difficulty values to estimate student achievement. The RIT is used to measure how "tall" a student is on the curriculum scale and scores can be compared to tell how much growth a student has made, similar to measuring height on a yardstick. This score is independent of the age or grade of the student but reflects the instructional level at which the student is currently performing, helping teachers plan instruction at an appropriate level for the student.

- **Percentile**- This tells you the percentage of students that had a RIT score less than or equal to your child's score according to the most recent NWEA RIT Scale Norms study.

- **Lexile score-** You can use this with online resources to identify appropriately challenging texts for your child. Lexile ® is a trademark of MetaMetrics, Inc.

- **Goals performance-** Each goal area included in the test is listed along with a goal range or descriptive adjective of the student's score. The possible descriptors are Low (percentile <21), LoAvg (percentile between 21 and 40), Avg (percentile between 41 and 60), HiAvg (percentile between 61 and 80) and High (percentile > 80).