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Gov. Mike DeWine and education leaders are holding a news conference Wednesday afternoon announcing the launch of Ohio's new Statewide Assessment of Academic Skills (SAAS). A walk-through tutorial of how to navigate the SAAS is available on the Ohio Department of Public Safety (DPS) website. Since the COVID pandemic, DPS has seen a rise in chronic absenteeism. That means a student misses 10 percent or more of school. Some education groups are very wary of the measure, saying it could overcrowd desirable State testing is shifting from a single end-of-year benchmark to "through-year testing." To keep pace, As Lexington County looks to pull back from asking Studies show when kids miss more than 10 days, or 5 percent of the