



2020-2021 District Assessment Calendar

Elementary School	Middle School	High School/ALC
SEPTEMBER		
<p>September 8-October 9 Running Records/Informal Reading Inventories, Grades K-5</p> <p>September 8-October 9** Formative Assessment System for Teachers (FAST)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gr K-1 (Early Reading/Math) • Gr 2-6 (Adaptive Reading/Math) 	<p>September 8-October 9 Running Records/Informal Reading Inventories, Grade 6</p> <p>September 8-October 2** Measures of Academic Progress (MAP) Growth</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GATE 4/5 and Grades 6, 7, and 8 (adaptive reading and math growth measure) 	
OCTOBER		
<p>September 8-October 9 Running Records/Informal Reading Inventories, Grades K-5</p> <p>September 8-October 9** Formative Assessment System for Teachers (FAST)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gr K-1 (Early Reading/Math) • Gr 2-6 (Adaptive Reading/Math) 	<p>September 8-October 2** Measures of Academic Progress (MAP) Growth</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GATE 4/5 and Grades 6, 7, and 8 (adaptive reading and math growth measure) 	<p>October 12 and 13 Pre-ACT Grade 10 (paper, college and career assessment readiness indicator)</p> <p>October 6 ACT for Class of 2021 only, (College entrance/Career interests)</p> <p>October 14 PSAT, Grade 10 and 11 (paper, college and career assessment readiness indicator, National Merit Scholar qualifying exam), offered for a fee.</p>
NOVEMBER		
<p>November 4-20** Cognitive Abilities Test (CogAT 7), Grade 3 (new to district grade 4 & 5 upon request)</p>		
DECEMBER		
JANUARY		
<p>January 4-29** Formative Assessment System for Teachers (FAST)</p>	<p>January 25-March 19** ACCESS for English Language Learners</p>	<p>January 25-March 19** ACCESS for English Language Learners</p>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gr K-1 (Early Reading/Math) • Gr 2-5 (Adaptive Reading/Math) <p>January 25-March 19** ACCESS for English Language Learners</p> <p>NAEP for 8th Grade (Math & Reading) Oak-Land Middle School only</p>		
FEBRUARY		
<p>January 25-March 19** ACCESS for English Language Learners</p> <p>NAEP for 8th Grade (Math & Reading) Oak-Land Middle School only</p>	<p>January 25-March 19** ACCESS for English Language Learners</p> <p>NAEP for 8th Grade (Math & Reading) Oak-Land Middle School only</p>	<p>January 25-March 19** ACCESS for English Language Learners</p> <p>NAEP for 8th Grade (Math & Reading) Oak-Land Middle School only</p>
MARCH		
<p>January 25-March 19** ACCESS for English Language Learners</p> <p>NAEP for 8th Grade (Math & Reading) Oak-Land Middle School only</p>	<p>January 25-March 19** ACCESS for English Language Learners</p> <p>NAEP for 8th Grade (Math & Reading) Oak-Land Middle School only</p> <p>March 1-March 19** Measures of Academic Progress (MAP) Growth</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GATE 4/5 and Grades 6, 7, and 8 (adaptive reading and math growth measure) 	<p>March 2 ACT Plus Writing, Grade 11- Offered for a fee (College entrance/Career interests)</p>
APRIL		
<p>April 6-May 5** Minnesota Test of Academic Skills (MTAS)- Math, Reading, & Science</p> <p>April 6-23** Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments (MCA) Reading; Grades 3-5 (online)</p> <p>April 15-23** Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments (MCA) Math; Grades 3-5 (online)</p> <p>April 26- May 7** Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments (MCA) Science; Grade 5 (online)</p>	<p>April 6-May 5** Minnesota Test of Academic Skills (MTAS)- Math, Reading, & Science</p> <p>April 6-23** Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments (MCA) Reading; Grades 6-8 (online)</p> <p>April 15-23** Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments (MCA) Math; Grades 6-8 (online)</p> <p>April 26- May 7** Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments (MCA) Science; Grade 8 (online)</p>	<p>April 6-May 5** Minnesota Test of Academic Skills (MTAS)- Math, Reading, & Science</p> <p>April 6-9 Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments (MCA) Reading; Grade 10 (online)</p> <p>April 6-9 Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments (MCA) Math; Grade 11 (online)</p> <p>April 6-9 Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments (MCA) Science; Life Science Students (online)</p>

<p>April 26-May 14** Formative Assessment System for Teachers (FAST)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gr K-1 (Early Reading/Math) • Gr 2-5 (Adaptive Reading/Math) <p>April 27- May 22** Running Records/Informal Reading Inventories, Grades K-5 (Reading- to monitor progress)</p>	<p>April 26-May 14** Running Records/Informal Reading Inventories, Grade 6 (Reading- to monitor progress)</p>	<p>April 6-9 ACCUPLACER, ASVAB, Grade 12, offered for a fee</p>
MAY		
<p>April 6-May 5** Minnesota Test of Academic Skills (MTAS)- Math, Reading, & Science</p> <p>April 26- May 7** Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments (MCA) Science; Grade 5 (online)</p> <p>April 26-May 14** Formative Assessment System for Teachers (FAST)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gr K-1 (Early Reading/Math) • Gr 2-5 (Adaptive Reading/Math) <p>April 27- May 22** Running Records/Informal Reading Inventories, Grades K-5 (Reading- to monitor progress)</p>	<p>April 6-May 5** Minnesota Test of Academic Skills (MTAS)- Math, Reading, & Science</p> <p>April 26- May 7** Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments (MCA) Science; Grade 8 (online)</p> <p>April 26-May 14** Running Records/Informal Reading Inventories, Grades 6 (Reading- to monitor progress)</p>	<p>April 6-May 5** Minnesota Test of Academic Skills (MTAS)- Math, Reading, & Science</p> <p>May 3-14** Advanced Placement Testing (AP), various courses (online or paper)- offered for a fee</p>

Key:

- Blue = All Students as specified by grade**
- Green = English Learners (EL) Only**
- Gold = Special Education Students Only**
- Red = Students seeking credit for Advanced Placement courses**
- Purple= Elective Assessment, limited participation**

****Individual sites establish their own testing dates within the district testing window. Please check with each individual site on exact testing dates. For local assessments and the district assessment pages for statewide assessments**