

Student Assessment & Research 2018-19 Districtwide Testing Calendar

Date	Assessment (Schools must follow posted session schedules)	Targeted Student Population
August 15 – September 28 (Instructional Day 1 – Day 30) (Computer-Based)	Florida Kindergarten Readiness Screener (FLKRS– STAR Early Literacy) – Formative/Progress Monitoring {More information: http://www.fldoe.org/accountability/assessments/k-12-student-assessment/flkrs }	Kindergarten (KG), All elementary schools
August 15 – November 2 (Computer-Based)	Florida Assessment for Instruction In Reading (FAIR–FS) AP1 – Formative/Progress Monitoring {More information: http://www.fldoe.org/academics/standards/just-read-fl/fair/ }	Grades 6–12, All schools Struggling Readers (FSA Achievement Level 1 or 2)
August 15 – October 18 (Paper-Based)	Letter Names, Letter Sounds, and Concepts of Print Quarter 1 – Formative/Progress Monitoring	All KG Students
August 20 – September 14 (Computer-Based)	iReady Diagnostic Administration Period 1 – Interim	Select grade levels at participating schools
August 20 – November 30 (Paper-Based)	Benchmark Assessment System (BAS) Running Record AP1 – Formative/Progress Monitoring {More information: https://www.browardschools.com/domain/12446 }	All KG, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Grade Students and 4th and 5th Grade Struggling Readers
September – October (Paper-Based)	Florida Standards Alternate Assessment Administration – Datafolio Data Collection Period (FSAA) – Summative {More information: http://www.fldoe.org/asp/altassessment.asp }	Grades 3–8 Math Grades 3–10 ELA Reading and Writing Grades 5 & 8 Science End-of-Course Assessments (Algebra 1, Biology 1, Civics, Geometry, U.S. History) Select SWD Students, All schools
September 11 – 14 (Paper-Based)	3 rd Grade Mid-Year Alternative Promotion – Summative	Grade 3 (retained students) Elementary schools

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September 11 – 28 (Computer-Based & Paper-Based Accommodated)	Fall End-of-Course Exams: Florida Standards Assessment End-of-Course Assessments Algebra 1 & Geometry (FSA EOC) – Summative <i>{More information: http://www.fsassessments.org/}</i> <i>{New concordant score graduation requirements: http://www.fldoe.org/core/fileparse.php/7764/urlt/GradRequireFSA.pdf}</i>	Students who did not meet the Algebra testing graduation requirement and students who need the Geometry EOC for course credit (see Policy 6000.1)
September 11 – 28 (Computer-Based & Paper-Based Accommodated)	Fall End-of-Course Exams: NGSSS Standards End-of-Course Assessments Civics, Biology & U.S. History (NGSSS EOC) – Summative <i>{More information: http://www.fldoe.org/accountability/assessments/k-12-student-assessment/end-of-course-eoc-assessments/}</i>	Students who need the Biology 1, Civics, or U.S. History EOC for course credit (see Policy 6000.1)
September 11 – 21 (Writing Computer-Based & Paper-Based Accommodated) September 11 – 28 (Reading Computer-Based & Paper-Based Accommodated)	FSA English Language Arts Grade 10 Retake (Writing and Reading portions) Writing must be completed first. – Summative <i>{More information: http://www.fsassessments.org/}</i> <i>{New concordant score graduation requirements: http://www.fldoe.org/core/fileparse.php/7764/urlt/GradRequireFSA.pdf}</i>	Students who did not meet the ELA testing graduation requirement (see Policy 6000.1)
September 24 – December 20 (Paper-Based)	Preliminary SAT School Day (PSAT 8/9) – Interim <i>{More Information: http://www.collegeboard.com}</i>	Grade 8 all students (PSAT 8/9 version)
October 10 (Paper-Based)	Preliminary SAT School Day (PSAT 8/9) – Interim Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (PSAT/NMSQT) – Summative <i>{More Information: http://www.collegeboard.com}</i>	Grade 9 all students (PSAT 8/9 version) Grade 10 all students (PSAT NMSQT version) Grade 11, select students (PSAT NMSQT version)
October 15, 2018 – June 4, 2019 (Computer-Based Paper-Based Accommodations)	Post-Secondary Education Readiness Test (PERT) – Summative <i>{More information: http://www.fldoe.org/fcs/pert.asp}</i> <i>{New concordant score graduation requirements: http://www.fldoe.org/core/fileparse.php/7764/urlt/GradRequireFSA.pdf}</i>	Grades 10, 11, & 12, High school students who did not meet the Algebra testing graduation requirement (see Policy 6000.1)

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October 22 – December 21 (Paper-Based)	Letter Names, Letter Sounds, and Concepts of Print Quarter 2 – Formative/Progress Monitoring	All KG Students
November – December (Paper-Based)	Florida Standards Alternate Assessment Administration – Datafolio Data Collection Period (FSAA) – Summative {More information: http://www.fldoe.org/asp/altassessment.asp }	Grades 3–8 Math Grades 3–10 ELA Reading and Writing Grades 5 & 8 Science End-of-Course Assessments (Algebra 1, Biology 1, Civics, Geometry, U.S. History) Select SWD Students, All schools
November 5 – February 8 (Computer-Based)	Florida Assessment for Instruction In Reading (FAIR-FS) AP 2 – Formative/Progress Monitoring {More information: http://www.fldoe.org/academics/standards/just-read-fl/fair/ }	Grades 6–12, All schools Struggling Readers (FSA Achievement Level 1 or 2)
November 26 – December 14 (Computer-Based & Paper-Based Accommodated)	Winter End-of-Course Exams: NGSSS Standards End-of-Course Assessments Civics, Biology & U.S. History (NGSSS EOC) [Computer Based] – Summative {More information: http://www.fldoe.org/accountability/assessments/k-12-student-assessment/end-of-course-eoc-assessments/ }	Students who need the Biology 1, Civics, or U.S. History EOC for course credit (see Policy 6000.1)
November 26 – December 14 (Computer-Based & Paper-Based Accommodated)	Winter End-of-Course Exams: Florida Standards Assessment End-of-Course Assessments Algebra 1 & Geometry (FSA EOC) [Computer Based]– Summative {More information: http://www.fsassessments.org/ }	Students who did not meet the Algebra testing graduation requirement and students who need the Geometry EOC for course credit (see Policy 6000.1)
December 3 – December 21 (Computer-Based)	iReady Diagnostic Administration Period 2 – Interim	Select grade levels at participating schools

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December 3 – February 28 (Paper-Based)	Benchmark Assessment System (BAS) Running Record AP2 – Formative/Progress Monitoring {More information: https://www.browardschools.com/domain/12446 }	All KG, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Grade Students and 4th and 5th Grade Struggling Readers
December 18–21 (Paper-Based)	High School Semester Exams– Summative	Grades 9–12, All high school courses
January 8 – February 8 (Computer-Based & Paper-Based Accommodated)	Broward Standards Assessment (BSA) District Interim Assessment for: ELA grades 3–8, Math grades 3–8, Science grades 5 & 8, Civics, US History, and Biology– Interim – Optional assessments	ELA and Math Grades 3–8, Science Grades 5 & 8 and students taking Civics, US History, and Biology courses Optional at participating schools
January 8 – March 21 (Paper-Based)	Letter Names, Letter Sounds, and Concepts of Print Quarter 3 – Formative/Progress Monitoring	All KG Students
January 28 – March 8 (Computer-Based)	National Assessment of Education Progress (NAEP) – Summative/Evaluative {More information: http://www.fldoe.org/asp/naep/ }	Reading, Math and Science: Grades 4, 8 & 12 Random selection of students, at Select schools
January 28 – March 21 (Paper-Based)	ACCESS for ELLs (Assessing Comprehension and Communication in English State-to-State for English Language Learners) and Alternate ACCESS – Formative/Progress Monitoring {More information: http://www.wida.us/membership/states/Florida.aspx }	Grades KG–12, ELL students
February 11 – June 4 (Computer-Based)	Florida Assessment for Instruction In Reading (FAIR–FS) AP 3 – Formative/Progress Monitoring {More information: http://www.fldoe.org/academics/standards/just-read-fl/fair/ }	Grades 6–12, All schools Struggling Readers (FSA Achievement Level 1 or 2)
February 25 – March 15 (Computer-Based & Paper-Based Accommodations)	Spring FSA End-of-Course Exams: FSA–End-of-Course Algebra 1 Retakes (for all retaking students) – Summative {More information: http://www.fsassessments.org/ }	Students who did not meet the Algebra testing graduation requirement (see Policy 6000.1)

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February 25 – March 15 (Computer–Based & Paper–Based Accommodations)	Spring FSA English Language Arts Grade 10 Retake (Reading) – Summative Spring FSA English Language Arts Grade 10 Retake Writing Component (FSA ELA–WRITING) – Summative {More information: http://www.fsassessments.org/ }	Students who did not meet the ELA testing graduation requirement (see Policy 6000.1)
February 25 – April 26 (Paper–Based)	Florida Standards Alternate Assessment Administration – Performance Tasks (FSAA) – Summative {More information: http://www.fldoe.org/asp/altassessment.asp }	Grades 3–8 ELA & Math Grades 4–8 Writing Grades 5 & 8 Science Civics EOC Select SWD students, All schools
February 25 – April 26 (Paper–Based)	Florida Standards Alternate Assessment Administration – Performance Tasks (FSAA) – Summative {More information: http://www.fldoe.org/asp/altassessment.asp }	Grades 9 & 10 ELA, Grades 9 & 10 Writing Algebra 1, Biology 1, U.S. History and Geometry EOC’s Select SWD students, All schools
March – April (Paper–Based)	Florida Standards Alternate Assessment Administration – Datafolio Data Collection Period (FSAA) – Summative {More information: http://www.fldoe.org/asp/altassessment.asp }	Grades 3–8 Math Grades 3–10 ELA Reading and Writing Grades 5 & 8 Science End–of–Course Assessments (Algebra 1, Biology 1, Civics, Geometry, U.S. History) Select SWD Students, All schools
March 1 – May 24 (Paper–Based)	Benchmark Assessment System (BAS) Running Record AP3 – Formative/Progress Monitoring {More information: https://www.browardschools.com/domain/12446 }	All KG, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Grade Students and 4th and 5th Grade Struggling Readers

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March 6 (Paper-Based) April 9 – Makeup	SAT School Day – Summative	Grade 11 all students and Grade 12 students who have not passed ELA testing graduation requirement (see Policy 6000.1)
March 18–21	Gifted Screening Test replacement for Cognitive Abilities Test (CogAT) – Summative/Evaluative	Grade 2, All elementary schools
April 1– June 4 (Paper-Based)	Letter Names, Letter Sounds, and Concepts of Print Quarter 4 – Formative/Progress Monitoring	All KG Students
April 1– April 5 (Computer-Based & Paper-Based Accommodations) Makeups may continue through April 12.	Florida Standards Assessment English Language Arts–Writing Component (FSA ELA–WRITING) – Summative <i>{More information: http://www.fsassessments.org/}</i>	Grades 7–10
April 2 (Paper-Based) Makeups for students absent on April 2 may continue through April 12.	Florida Standards Assessment English Language Arts–Writing Component (FSA ELA–WRITING) – Summative <i>{More information: http://www.fsassessments.org/}</i>	Grades 4–6, All schools All students in attendance on April 2 must test.
April 2 (session 1) – April 3 (session 2) (Paper-Based) Makeups will continue through April 12.	Spring Florida Standards Assessment Grade 3 English Language Arts (FSA ELA) – Summative <i>{More information: http://www.fsassessments.org/}</i>	Grade 3, All schools All students in attendance on April 2 and April 3 must test.
April 8 – May 2 (Computer-Based)	iReady Diagnostic Administration Period 3 – Interim	Select grade levels at participating schools
May 1 & 2 (Paper Based) Makeups will continue through May 14.	Spring Florida Standards Assessment Grades 4–6 English Language Arts (FSA ELA) – Summative <i>{More information: http://www.fsassessments.org/}</i>	Grades 4–6 (FSA ELA Reading), All schools

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May 7 & 8 (Paper-Based) Makeups will continue through May 14.	Spring Florida Standards Assessment Math Grades 3–6 (FSA MATH) – Summative <i>{More information: http://www.fsassessments.org/}</i>	Grades 3–6 (FSA Math), All schools
May 1 – May 29 (Computer-Based & Paper Based Accommodations)	Spring Florida Standards Assessment Grades 7–10 English Language Arts (FSA ELA) – Summative Spring Florida Standards Assessment Grades 7–8 Math (FSA MATH) – Summative <i>{More information: http://www.fsassessments.org/}</i>	Grade 7–10 (FSA ELA Reading), All schools Grades 7–8 (FSA MATH), All schools
May 1 – May 29 (Computer-Based & Paper Based Accommodations)	Spring End-of-Course Exams: Florida Standards Assessment End-of-Course Assessments Algebra 1 & Geometry (FSA EOC) – Summative <i>{More information: http://www.fsassessments.org/}</i>	Grades 6–12, Students enrolled in Algebra 1 or Geometry courses
May 1 – May 29 (Computer-Based & Paper Based Accommodations)	Spring End-of-Course Exams: Biology 1, Civics, US History End-of-Course Assessments (NGSSS EOC) – Summative <i>{More information: http://www.fldoe.org/accountability/assessments/k-12-student-assessment/end-of-course-eoc-assessments/}</i>	Grades 6–12, Students enrolled in Biology 1, Civics, or U.S. History EOC courses
Must be Completed by May 3	Grade 3 Performance Based Portfolio Formative/Progress Monitoring	All 3rd Grade Students
May 3 & 6 (Paper-Based) Administered as 2 sessions over 2 Days Makeups may continue until May 14, 2018	Statewide Science Assessment– Summative <i>{More information: http://www.fldoe.org/accountability/assessments/k-12-student-assessment/science.shtml}</i>	Grade 5, All schools All Grade 5 students in attendance on May 3 and May 6 must take the Science Assessment Districtwide.
May 6 – 17 (Paper-Based)	Primary Reading End-Of-Year Assessment, Grades 1 and 2 – Summative	All 1 st and 2 nd Grade Students

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<p>May 8 (Paper-Based)</p> <p>Makeups may continue until May 14th, 2018</p>	<p>Statewide Science Assessment– Summative</p> <p>{More information: http://www.fldoe.org/accountability/assessments/k-12-student-assessment/science.shtml}</p>	<p>Grade 8, All schools</p> <p>All Grade 8 students in attendance on May 8 must take the Science Assessment Districtwide.</p> <p>Administered as 2 sessions in one day.</p>
<p>May 6 – 10 (Paper-Based)</p>	<p>Week 1, Advanced Placement Exams – Summative</p> <p>{More information: http://apcentral.collegeboard.com/apc/public/exam/calendar/index.html}</p>	<p>AP Students</p>
<p>May 13 –17 (Paper-Based)</p>	<p>Week 2, Advanced Placement Exams – Summative</p> <p>{More information: http://apcentral.collegeboard.com/apc/public/exam/calendar/index.html}</p>	<p>AP Students</p>
<p>May 20 – 23 (Paper-Based)</p>	<p>12th Grade Final Exams – Summative</p>	<p>Grade 12, All high school courses</p>
<p>May 28 – Pending release of FSA scores (Paper-Based)</p>	<p>Grade 3 (Alternative for Promotion) – Summative</p>	<p>Grade 3 students who did not pass FSA</p>
<p>May 30 & 31 and June 3 & 4 (Paper-Based)</p>	<p>Grades 9–11 Semester Final Exams – Summative</p>	<p>Grades 9–11, All high school courses</p>
<p>July 22 – July 25 (Computer-Based & Paper-Based Accommodations)</p>	<p>Summer End-of-Course Exams: NGSSS Aligned Biology 1, Civics, U.S. History (NGSSS EOC) – Summative</p> <p>{More information: http://www.fldoe.org/accountability/assessments/k-12-student-assessment/end-of-course-eoc-assessments/}</p>	<p>Students who need the Biology 1, Civics, or U.S. History EOC for course credit (see Policy 6000.1)</p>

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July 22 – July 25 (Computer–Based & Paper–Based Accommodations)	Summer End–of–Course Exams: Florida Standards Assessment End–of–Course Assessments Algebra 1 & Geometry (FSA EOC) [Computer Based] – Summative {More information: http://www.fsassessments.org/ }	Students who did not meet the Algebra testing graduation requirement and students who need the Geometry EOC for course credit (see Policy 6000.1)
Year-Round National Test Dates (Paper–Based)	SAT – Summative {More information: http://sat.collegeboard.org/ }	Grades 9–12
Year-Round National Test Dates (Paper–Based)	ACT – Summative {More information: http://www.actstudent.org/ }	Grades 9–12

Additional Dates:

First Day of School	August 15, 2018	Winter Break	December 24, 2018 to January 4, 2019
Holiday	September 3, 2018	Teacher Planning	January 7, 2019
Day Off	September 10, 2018	Day Off	January 21, 2019
Day Off	September 19, 2018	Holiday	February 18, 2019
Teacher Planning	October 19, 2018	Teacher Planning	March 22, 2019
Teacher Planning	November 6, 2018	Spring Break	March 25 to March 29, 2019
Holiday	November 12, 2018	Day Off	April 19, 2019
Day Off/Holiday	November 21, 2018 to November 23, 2018	Holiday	May 27, 2019
		Last Day of School	June 4, 2019

BCPS encourages schools to accommodate students observing religious holidays when making scheduling decisions for them.