

2025-2026 Assessment Calendar

Pre-K to Grade 8

Grade Level(s)	Assessment	Delivery	Date(s)
Pre-K	Gold or Department-Approved Alternative	Teacher	Fall Checkpoint Finalized: October 31 Winter Checkpoint Finalized: February 28 Spring Checkpoint Finalized: May 30
K-3	K-3 Statewide Literacy and Numeracy Screening	CBT: For BOY or MOY, administer grade 3 first. For EOY, administer grade 3 as early as possible in the administration window.	Beginning of Year (BOY): First 30 days of school Middle of Year (MOY): December 1-31 End of Year (EOY): April 1-30
K-3	K-3 District-Selected Numeracy Screener (based on the Interim Guidance for Math Numeracy Screeners)	Teacher	Beginning of Year (BOY): First 30 days of school Middle of Year (MOY): December 1-31 End of Year (EOY): April 1-30
3	Grade 3 Literacy Rescreening	CBT	For qualifying grade 3 students: Last week of school through June 30. (Minimum two week wait between 2nd and 3rd Grade EOY administrations)
3-8	LEAP 2025	PBT: Grade 3 only CBT: Grades 3-8	CBT: April 1-May 15 PBT: Grade 3: April 15-17 (ELA/math) April 20-22 (science and social studies)

Grades 9-12

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9-12	LEAP 2025 High School	CBT	Fall: December 1-December 19 Spring for grade 12 retest: March 30-May 15 Spring for all HS students: April 1-May 15 Summer: June 22-26
11	ACT	CBT	Window 1: March 10-13, March 16-20 Online standard time, accommodations online and paper Window 2: March 24-27, March 30-31, April 1-3 Online standard time, accommodations online and paper
11-12	ACT WorkKeys Standard (Optional)	CBT	Online Testing: October 6-April 3
	ACT WorkKeys Accommodated (Optional)	CBT	Fall Window 1: Oct 1-3; 6-10, 13 Fall Window 2: Oct 15-17; 20-24, 27 Spring Window 1: March 11-13, 16-20, 23 Spring Window 2: March 25-27, March 30-April 3; April 6
9-12	CLEP (Optional)	CBT	Open Window: Complete by May 15
9-12	AP (Optional)	CBT	Open Window: Complete by May 15

Small Populations

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3-8, 11	LEAP Connect	CBT	February 23-March 27
K-12	ELPT/ELPT Connect	CBT	February 23-March 27
K-12	ELPS	CBT	Open Window: Within first 30 days of student's enrollment
Entering 5 or 9	State Placement Test for LEAP	CBT	Open Window: Notify DRC 30 days prior to administration

National and International Assessments (Selected Schools)

Grade Level(s)	Assessment	Delivery	Date(s)
4, 8, 12	NAEP	CBT	January-March selected schools

KEY

ACT: American College Test

AP: Advanced Placement, various subjects

CBT: Computer-Based Test

CLEP: College Level Examination Program, various subjects

ELPS: English Language Proficiency Screener

ELPT: English Language Proficiency Test

ELPT Connect: ELPT Alternate Assessment

K3 Literacy Screening: Statewide administration in mCLASS

K-3 Numeracy Screening: Statewide administration, KITE

LEAP 2025 Grades 3-8: ELA, mathematics, science, social studies

LEAP 2025 High School: English I, English II, Algebra I, Geometry, Biology, US History, Civics

LEAP Connect: Alternate Assessment; grades 3-HS ELA, mathematics, science

NAEP: National Assessment of Educational Progress

PBT: Paper-Based Test

Window: A range of days from which school systems or schools choose the dates and times for assessment administration

ACT WorkKeys: Optional assessment that measures essential workplace skills