

2013-2014 District Assessment Calendar

When	What	Who	Why
Fall	MAP Reading and Math Sept. 16-Nov. 15	Grades 2-8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Determine student instructional level • Instructional planning • CERF and Title I criteria • Measure academic growth over time
	CogAT7 October	Grade 6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Measure cognitive abilities (verbal, quantitative, non-verbal) • Inform instructional and program planning for all students
	PSAT October 19 th	Grade 11 recommended	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Practice SAT • 11th grade students are eligible for the National Merit Scholarship • College Readiness exam used to help families prepare for the SAT
	PLAN October 31 st	Grade 10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Measure college & career readiness • Assist students with registration decisions grades 11-12 • Career exploration
	EXPLORE Nov. 12 th -15 th	Grade 8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Measure college & career readiness • Planning tool for HS course selection • Career exploration

Winter

CogAT7 December	Grades 2 and 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Measure cognitive abilities (verbal, quantitative, non-verbal)• Inform instructional and program planning for all students
MAP Reading and/or Math January 7 th -February 8 th	Grades 2-8 <i>selected students</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Used as an assessment for exit criteria from some programs• Used as a data point for preparedness for coursework
OLPA Math January 2 nd – 31 st	Grades 2-8	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Data point for progress towards MCA goals
CERF Testing	Grades K-5	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Benchmarking
ACCESS for EL February 3- March 21 st	Grades K-12 <i>EL designated students</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• System Accountability• Student Academic Checkpoint• Instructional Planning

Spring

MAP Reading and Math April 28th -May 31st	Grades 2-8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Determine student instructional level • Instructional planning • CERF and Title I criteria • Measure academic growth over time
MCA III-Math March 10th – May 9th	Grades 3-8, 11	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • System Accountability (AYP) (MMR) • Student Academic Checkpoint • Instructional Planning
MCA III-Reading March 10th – May 9th	Grades 3-8, 10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • System Accountability (AYP) (MMR) • Student Academic Checkpoint • Instructional Planning
MCA III-Science March 17th – May 16th	Grades 5,8, HS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • System Accountability (AYP) (MMR) • Student Academic Checkpoint • Instructional Planning
MTAS-Math, Reading, Science March 17th – May 9th	Grades 3-HS <i>alternative assessment</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • System Accountability (AYP) (MMR) • Student Academic Checkpoint • Instructional Planning
MCA Modified-Reading and Math March 17th – May 9th	Grades 3-HS <i>alternative assessment</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • System Accountability (AYP) (MMR) • Student Academic Checkpoint • Instructional Planning