

2016-2017 Assessment Calendar

	Assessment Name	Administration Window	Purpose	Results to parents
State Mandated	TCAP Achievement grades 3-8	April 17 – May 5th	To help measure how much a student grows academically over the course of a school year.	Pending guidance from TDOE
	EOC Achievement grades 9-12	Fall: November 28-December 15	To help measure how much a student grows academically over the course of a school year.	Pending guidance from TDOE
		Spring: April 17-May 5		
	TCAP-ALT: MSAA & Sci/SS (students with severe cognitive disabilities)	March 6th – May 12th	To measure achievement against modified more accessible academic standards.	Pending guidance from TDOE
	ACT (Grade 11)	March 21, 2017 (Make-ups April 19th)	To measure college readiness and HOPE scholarship eligibility	3-8 weeks after taking the assessment
ACCESS – (ESL students) Tentatively - online	TBD	Administered to English Learners to evaluate English proficiency.	TBD	
District_Benchmark	STAR Reading, STAR Math (Grades 4-8)	3 times per year – Benchmark 1: August 9th -24th Benchmark 2: November 30th – Dec. 15th Benchmark 3: March 23rd – April 7th	To identify students who may benefit from RTI and guide instruction	Available 1-2 weeks after the testing window closes
	MAP (Grades 2-3)	3 times per year- Benchmark 1: August 22nd -26th Benchmark 2: December 5th – 9th Benchmark 3: May 8th – 16th	To identify students who may benefit from RTI and guide instruction	Available 1-2 weeks after the testing window closes
	MAP (Grades K-1)	3 times per year- Benchmark 1: August 29th - Sept. 2nd Benchmark 2: November 28th – Dec. 2nd Benchmark 3: May 8th – 16th	To identify students who may benefit from RTI and guide instruction	Available 1-2 weeks after the testing window closes
	iReady (Grades 4-8 math)	2 times per year Benchmark 1: September 1st – 9th Benchmark 2: January 23rd – January 31st	To identify students who may benefit from RTI and guide instruction	Available 1-2 weeks after the testing window closes

- Possible addition of 2nd Grade Assessment