

**East Chester Elementary School
Assessment Calendar
Chester County Schools
2019-2020**

Assessment:	Testing Dates:	Purpose and Audience:	Optional Or Required?	When Can Parents Expect Results?
iReady	August 20 – September 13 December 2 – 19 April 15 – May 8	iReady is a benchmark assessment administered three times per year. The purpose of the assessment is to provide teachers with information regarding student growth on specific standards. This assessment is diagnostic. It provides questions based on student responses. The results from the assessments are analyzed and used to inform instruction for whole group, small group, and individual students.	Required as universal screener	Results sent to parents immediately after assessment is completed for each benchmark.
AimsWeb	August/September December/January April/May Following each benchmark assessment	RTI (as needed) – Students scoring below grade level on iReady are screened using AimsWeb. Both reading and math skills are assessed.	Required	Student progress is communicated every 5 weeks as intervention groups are changed.
Grade 2 TCAP (Questar)	April 13 – May 8	Summative assessment for students in Grade 2 given for ELA and Math.	Optional	Fall of 2020
Grade 3 TCAP (Questar)	April 13 – May 8	Summative assessment for students in Grade 3 given for ELA, Math, and Science.	Required	Fall of 2020
ACCESS for ELS	February 17 – April 3	Students who are English learners		Fall of 2020

