

## 2021-2022 Pillager District Assessment Schedule

	Local Assessments			Post-Secondary Entrance Exams	State Assessments Window
	Fall Window <i>September to November</i>	Winter Window <i>December to February</i>	Spring Window <i>March to May</i>		
<b>Kindergarten</b>	STAR Math - Sept 13 to Oct 1 Running Record - Sept 7 to Oct 1	STAR Math - Jan 3 to Jan 14 Running Record - Nov 29 to Dec 17	STAR Math - Apr 25 to May 27 Running Record - Apr 25 to May 27		
<b>1st Grade</b>	STAR Math - Sept 13 to Oct 1 Running Record - Sept 7 to Oct 1	STAR Math - Jan 3 to Jan 14 Running Record - Nov 29 to Dec 17	STAR Math - Apr 25 to May 27 Running Record - Apr 25 to May 27		
<b>2nd Grade</b>	STAR Reading & Math - Sept 13 to Oct 1 Running Record - Sept 7 to Oct 1	STAR Reading & Math - Jan 3 to Jan 14 Running Record - Nov 29 to Dec 17	STAR Reading & Math - Apr 25 to May 27 Running Record - Apr 25 to May 27		
<b>3rd Grade</b>	STAR Reading & Math - Sept 13 to Oct 1 Running Record - Sept 7 to Oct 1	STAR Reading & Math - Jan 3 to Jan 14 Running Record - Nov 29 to Dec 17	STAR Reading & Math - Apr 25 to May 27 Running Record - Apr 25 to May 27		MCA Math - Apr 18 to Apr 22 MCA Reading - Apr 11 to Apr 14 MTAS Math & Reading - Apr 11 to Apr 22
<b>4th Grade</b>	STAR Reading & Math - Sept 13 to Oct 1 Running Record - Sept 7 to Oct 1	STAR Reading & Math - Jan 3 to Jan 14 Running Record - Nov 29 to Dec 17	STAR Reading & Math - Apr 25 to May 27 Running Record - Apr 25 to May 27		MCA Math - Apr 18 to Apr 22 MCA Reading - Apr 11 to Apr 14 MTAS Math & Reading - Apr 11 to Apr 22
<b>5th Grade</b>	STAR Reading & Math - Jan 3 to Jan 14	STAR Reading & Math - Jan 3 to Jan 14	STAR Reading & Math - Apr 25 to May 27		MCA Math - Apr 11 to Apr 14 MCA Reading - Apr 4 to Apr 8 MCA Science - Apr 25 to Apr 29 MTAS Math & Reading - Apr 4 to Apr 29
<b>6th Grade</b>	STAR Reading & Math - Jan 3 to Jan 14	STAR Reading & Math - Jan 3 to Jan 14	STAR Reading & Math - Apr 25 to May 27		MCA Math - Apr 11 to Apr 14 MCA Reading - Apr 4 to Apr 8 MTAS Math & Reading - Apr 4 to Apr 29
<b>7th Grade</b>	STAR Reading & Math - Jan 3 to Jan 14	STAR Reading & Math - Jan 3 to Jan 14	STAR Reading & Math - Apr 25 to May 27		MCA Math - Apr 11 to Apr 14 MCA Reading - Apr 4 to Apr 8 MTAS Math & Reading - Apr 4 to Apr 29
<b>8th Grade</b>	STAR Reading & Math - Jan 3 to Jan 14	STAR Reading & Math - Jan 3 to Jan 14	STAR Reading & Math - Apr 25 to May 27		MCA Math - Apr 11 to Apr 14 MCA Reading - Apr 4 to Apr 8 MCA Science - Apr 25 to Apr 29 MTAS Math & Reading - Apr 4 to Apr 29
<b>9th Grade</b>					

10th Grade				Pre-ACT PSAT	MCA Reading - Apr 4 to Apr 8 MCA Science - May 9 to May 13
11th Grade				ACT+Writing ASVAB	MCA Math - Apr 11 to Apr 14
12th Grade					

### Test Descriptions

**STAR:** Star Assessments are short tests that provide teachers with learning data. Star tests are computer adaptive, which means they adjust to each answer your child provides. Your child may take a Star test for early literacy, math, reading, or other subjects of their teacher's choice. Each test takes approximately 25 minutes to complete.

**MCA:** The MCA tests for reading, math, and science are state and federal accountability tests used to determine instructional effectiveness. Reading tests take 2-3.5 hours to complete. Math tests take 1.5-2.5 hours to complete. Science tests take 1.75-2 hours to complete. Preliminary results are shared in May. Final results are shared in the fall.

**MTAS:** The MTAS tests for reading, math, and science are state and federal accountability tests used to determine instructional effectiveness for select special education students. The tests take 30-90 minutes per subject. Results are shared in the fall.

**ASVAB:** The Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB) is a multiple choice test, administered by the United States Military Entrance Processing Command, used to determine qualification for enlistment in the United States Armed Forces.

**ACT+Writing:** The ACT+Writing is offered to all juniors (and seniors who didn't test as juniors) to meet state requirements for college entrance exams. The test takes 4 hours to complete. Results are shared via ACT in summer.

**PSAT:** The PSAT is an optional college entrance exam and National Merit Scholar qualifying assessment offered to all juniors. The test takes 2.75 hours to complete. Results are provided via the College Board in late fall.