Calvert County Public Schools Bridge to Excellence Assessment Information 2023-2025

Title of the Assessment	Purpose of the Assessment	Mandated by State or Local Entity	Grade Level(s) Administered	Subject Area	Testing Window	Are Accommodations Available for Students with Special Needs?	What are the Accommodations?
PELI	Measures student performance in pre-literacy and oral language skills.	Local	4-year-old PK	Reading	Fall Winter Spring	Yes	All Accommodations in the Maryland Assessment, Accessibility, and Accommodations Policy Manual that are available within the platform
Mathematics System Wide Assessments (SWA)	To assess the level of student understanding related to content	Local	Grades 4-year-old PK-5	Mathematics	PK – Fall and Spring K-2 End of each quarter 3rd-5th End of each quarters 1-3	Yes	All Accommodations in the Maryland Assessment, Accessibility, and Accommodations Policy Manual that are available within the platform
Kindergarten Readiness Assessment (KRA)	Accountability	State	KG	ELA, Mathematics, Social Foundations & Physical Education and Health	August-October	Yes	Braille, Tactile Graphics, Field Supports
Rapid Automatized Naming (RAN)	Strong and robust predictor of later reading performance.	Required by the Ready to Read Act	KG	Reading	Fall	No	Not Applicable

Assessment	Purpose	Local/State	Grades	Content	Administration	Accommodations Allowed	Accommodations
Literacy System Wide Assessments (SWA)	To determine achievement on MDCCR standards aligned to local curriculum scope and sequence.	Local	Grades K - 1	Reading	KG – Winter & Spring 1st - Fall	Yes	All Accommodations in the Maryland Assessment, Accessibility, and Accommodations Policy Manual that are available within the platform
iReady Diagnostic (Universal Screener)	To guide instruction and to be used predictively for MCAP results and needed remediation and extension.	Local	Grades K-5	Mathematics/ Reading	Fall Winter Spring	Yes	All Accommodations in the Maryland Assessment, Accessibility, and Accommodations Policy Manual that are available within the platform (TTS is not available for ELA)
Oral Reading Fluency System Wide Assessments (SWA)	Identify gaps in and progress monitor oral reading fluency	Local	Grades 1-5	Reading	1st – Winter & Spring 2nd-5th – Fall, Winter & Spring	Yes	All Accommodations in the Maryland Assessment, Accessibility, and Accommodations Policy Manual that are available within the platform
CogAT	To assess eligibility for Gifted and Talented Education (GATE)	Local* On the state approved list for GATE	Grades 2	Verbal, Quantitative, and Nonverbal battery	October/ November	No	CogAT only allows extended time as an accommodation.
Science System Wide Assessments (SWA)	Science Assessments: To assess student understanding of content	Local	Grades 3-5	Science	3rd & 4th – Quarterly 5th Quarters - 1, 2 & 3	Yes	All Accommodations in the Maryland Assessment, Accessibility, and Accommodations Policy Manual that are available within the platform
Maryland Comprehensive Assessment Program (MCAP) ELA	Accountability	State	Grades 3-5	English Language Arts and Literacy	April- May	Yes	All Accommodations in the Maryland Assessment, Accessibility, and Accommodations Policy Manual

Maryland Comprehensive Assessment Program (MCAP) Math	Accountability	State	Grades 3-5	Mathematics	April- May	Yes	All Accommodations in the Maryland Assessment, Accessibility, and Accommodations Policy Manual
Maryland Integrated Science Assessment (MISA)	Accountability	State	Grades 5	Science	March	Yes	All Accommodations in the Maryland Assessment, Accessibility, and Accommodations Policy Manual
Physical Education System Wide Assessments (SWA)	To assess the level of student understanding related to content	Local	Grade 6	Physical Education	Quarterly	Yes	All Accommodations in the Maryland Assessment, Accessibility, and Accommodations Policy Manual that are available within the platform
MAP Growth (Universal Screener)	To guide instruction and to be used predictively for MCAP results and needed remediation and extension.	Local	Grades 6-8	Mathematics/ Reading	Fall Winter Spring	Yes	All Accommodations in the Maryland Assessment, Accessibility, and Accommodations Policy Manual that are available within the platform
Mathematics System Wide Assessments (SWA)	To assess the level of student understanding related to content	Local	Grades 6-8	Mathematics	4x a year at the end of each unit	Yes	All Accommodations in the Maryland Assessment, Accessibility, and Accommodations Policy Manual that are available within the platform

Science System Wide Assessments (SWA)	Science Assessments: To assess student understanding of content	Local	Grades 6-8	Science	6th & 7th – Quarterly 8th Quarters 1-3	Yes	All Accommodations in the Maryland Assessment, Accessibility, and Accommodations Policy Manual that are available within the platform
Social Studies System Wide Assessments (SWA)	To assess the level of student proficiency related to Grade 8 Social Studies content and skills.	Local	Grades 6-8	Social Studies	6th & 7th Quarterly; 8th grade Quarterly 1-3 only;	Yes	All Accommodations in the Maryland Assessment, Accessibility, and Accommodations Policy Manual that are available within the platform
Maryland Comprehensive Assessment Program (MCAP) ELA	Accountability	State	Grades 6-8	English Language Arts and Literacy	April- May	Yes	All Accommodations in the Maryland Assessment, Accessibility, and Accommodations Policy Manual
Maryland Comprehensive Assessment Program (MCAP) Math	Accountability	State	Grades 6-8, Algebra 1	Mathematics	April- May	Yes	All Accommodations in the Maryland Assessment, Accessibility, and Accommodations Policy Manual
Health Education System Wide Assessments (SWA)	To assess the level of student understanding related to content	Local	Grades 7-8	Health	7th & 8th End of each quarter course	Yes	All Accommodations in the Maryland Assessment, Accessibility, and Accommodations Policy Manual that are available within the platform
CogAT	To assess eligibility for Advanced Learning Program	Local* On the state approved list for GATE	Grade 7	Verbal, Quantitative, and Nonverbal battery	October/ November	No	CogAT only allows extended time as an accommodation.

Maryland Integrated Science Assessment (MISA)	Accountability	State	Grade 8	Science	March	Yes	All Accommodations in the Maryland Assessment, Accessibility, and Accommodations Policy Manual
Maryland Comprehensive Assessment Program (MCAP) Social Studies	Accountability	State	Grade 8	Social Studies	April - May	Yes	All Accommodations in the Maryland Assessment, Accessibility, and Accommodations Policy Manual
Health Education System Wide Assessments (SWA)	To assess the level of student understanding related to content	Local	Grade 9	Health	Quarterly	Yes	All Accommodations in the Maryland Assessment, Accessibility, and Accommodations Policy Manual that are available within the platform
Physical Education System Wide Assessments (SWA)	To assess the level of student understanding related to content	Local	Grade 9	Physical Education	Quarterly	Yes	All Accommodations in the Maryland Assessment, Accessibility, and Accommodations Policy Manual that are available within the platform
Maryland Comprehensive Assessment Program (MCAP) Life Science (LS) MISA	Accountability	State	Biology (Grade 9)	Science	April - May	Yes	All Accommodations in the Maryland Assessment, Accessibility, and Accommodations Policy Manual
Social Studies System Wide Assessments (SWA)	To assess the level of student proficiency related to Grade 8 Social Studies content and skills.	Local	Grades 9-10	Social Studies	9th Quarterly; 10th 6 unit tests	Yes	All Accommodations in the Maryland Assessment, Accessibility, and Accommodations Policy Manual that are available within the platform

Science System Wide Assessments (SWA)	To assess the level of student understanding related to content	Local	Grades 9-11	Science	Biology Quarterly (1-3 only); Matter and Energy & Chemistry 2 Quarterly Assessments	Yes	All Accommodations in the Maryland Assessment, Accessibility, and Accommodations Policy Manual that are available within the platform
MAP Growth (Universal Screener)	To guide instruction and to be used predictively for MCAP results and needed remediation and extension.	Local	Grades 9-11	Mathematics/ Reading	English 9, 10 & Alg 1 Fall, Winter and Spring English 11, 12, Geometry and Alg 2 Fall	Yes	All Accommodations in the Maryland Assessment, Accessibility, and Accommodations Policy Manual that are available within the platform
Maryland Comprehensive Assessment Program (MCAP) Math	Accountability	State	Algebra 1, Geometry & Algebra 2 (Grades 9-11)	Mathematics	April- May	Yes	All Accommodations in the Maryland Assessment, Accessibility, and Accommodations Policy Manual
Mathematics System Wide Assessments (SWA)	To assess the level of student understanding related to content	Local	Grades 9-12	Mathematics	Quarterly	Yes	All Accommodations in the Maryland Assessment, Accessibility, and Accommodations Policy Manual that are available within the platform
PSAT	To prepare students for the SAT	Local	Grade 10	Reading, Writing, Language, Mathematics	October	Yes	College Board accommodations that have been approved in advance

Maryland Comprehensive Assessment Program (MCAP) ELA	Accountability	State	Grades 10	English Language Arts and Literacy	April- May	Yes	All Accommodations in the Maryland Assessment, Accessibility, and Accommodations Policy Manual
Maryland Comprehensive Assessment Program (MCAP) Government	Accountability	State	Government (Grade 10)	Social Studies	April - May	Yes	All Accommodations in the Maryland Assessment, Accessibility, and Accommodations Policy Manual