



Richfield Public Schools ISD #280

DISTRICTWIDE ASSESSMENT SCHEDULE 2023-2024

Assessment	Test Dates	Grade Level (√ = Designated test grades)														Purpose of Assessment	
		Pre-K	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12		
Fall (Sept 2023 — Nov 2023)																	
TS Gold	Sept. 13 — Oct. 4, 2023	√															Determine Kindergarten Readiness
FastBridge Math and Reading (MAP Math RDLS) [] 8	Aug. 31 — Oct. 17, 2023		√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√				Baseline, Drive instruction
STAR - Reading & Math 8	Sept. 20 — Oct. 13, 2023												√				Baseline, Drive instruction
Winter (Dec 2023 — Feb 2024)																	
CogAT7 (for Talent Development Program)	Dec. 4 — Dec. 15, 2023				√												Universal Screener
FastBridge Math and Reading (MAP Math RDLS) [] 8	Jan. 3 — Jan. 24, 2024		√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√				Baseline/Progress, Drive instruction
TS Gold	Jan. 8 — Jan. 24, 2024	√															Check Progress, Drive instruction
NAEP - Mathematics & Reading 8 ****	Feb. 14, 2024												√				Federal Mandated, Proficiency
ACCESS for ELLs a 8	Jan. 29 — Mar. 15, 2024		√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	State Mandated, Program
Spring (Mar 2024 — May 2024)																	
ACT Plus Writing Test * 8	Mar. 12, 2024														√		College and Career Readiness
MCA-III Reading 8	Apr. 8— May 3, 2024					√	√	√	√	√	√			√			State Mandated, Proficiency
MCA-III Math 8	Apr. 8— May 3, 2024					√	√	√	√	√	√				√		State Mandated, Proficiency
MN Test of Academic Skills (MTAS) Reading (Spec Ed)	Apr. 8— May 3, 2024					√	√	√	√	√	√			√			State Mandated, Proficiency
MN Test of Academic Skills (MTAS) Math (Spec Ed)	Apr. 8— May 3, 2024					√	√	√	√	√	√				√		State Mandated, Proficiency
MN Test of Academic Skills (MTAS) Science (Spec Ed) **	Apr. 8— May 3, 2024								√			√	√	√	√	√	State Mandated, Proficiency
MCA-III Science *** 8	Apr. 8— May 10, 2024								√			√	√	√	√	√	State Mandated, Proficiency
FastBridge Math and Reading (MAP Math RDLS) [] 8	May 1 — May 26, 2024		√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√	√				Measure Growth, Summative
STAR - Reading & Math 8	May 1 — May 24, 2024												√				Measure Growth, Summative
TS Gold	May 1 — May 17, 2024	√															Determine Kindergarten Readiness

NOTE: MN Statute 120B.30 has placed local testing time limitations on districts. Grades 1-6 = 10 hours per school year and Grades 7-12 = 11 hours. Assessments not included are MCA, MTAS, ACCESS, Alternate ACCESS, AP exams, ACT, Career Interest Inventories, NAEP, Special Ed and EL testing. Schools and Districts determine what constitutes a local assessment.

KEY

√ Indicates testing at these grades is required

8 Computer Delivered Format 2-8

[] RDLS will use FastBridge Reading and MAP Math in Spanish for Grades K-5

a Title III ELL only assessment: ACCESS (from World-class Instructional Design & Assessment Consortium - WIDA). Online administration except Kindergarten ACCESS, Alternate ACCESS (Special Ed), and grades 1-5 writing domain, which are paper administrations.

* ACT Test (college entrance exam) administered to all high school juniors during the school day.

** For grades 9-12, the Science MTAS should be administered when the student completes instruction in the life science standards as determined by the IEP team.

*** High School MCA-III Science will be administered to all students completing Biology/Life Science credit in the current school year (grades 9-12).

**** National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP) is mandated and selected by the US Department of Education