

# Charleston County School District 2023-24 Assessment Calendar

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*\*Online Administration: Paper based administration is available for students with disabilities who cannot take online assessments due to their disabilities, as specified in their IEPs or 504 plans, or as approved by the State Board of Education.*

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Assessment	Test Dates	Students Tested
SEL Climate Survey(s)	<p><b>Fall:</b> October 4-18 (Students) October 18-27 (Staff)</p> <p><b>Winter:</b> November 28-January 16 (BESS screening only, CD-2nd)</p> <p><b>Spring:</b> April 16-30 (Students/) May 1 - May 10 (Staff)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ CD/PK: BESS mandatory Grades K-2: voluntary</li> <li>Highly recommended for schools with SEL programs (e.g., Second Step)</li> <li>▪ Grades 3-12: Panorama mandatory for fall &amp; spring</li> </ul>
SCDE (Report Card Survey) Opinion Window	February 27 - April 7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ K-12 Students</li> <li>▪ Teachers</li> <li>▪ Parents/Guardians</li> </ul>
myIGDIs or GOLD	<b>Fall: August 28 - October 30</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ 4-year-olds; CD, Montessori, PIC, Blend, Head Start, Charter</li> </ul>
	<b>Winter: November 15 - February 14</b>	
	<b>Spring: March 29 - June 10</b>	
KRA	<b>Fall: August 23 - October 25</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ 5-year-olds; Kindergarten</li> </ul>
FastBridge	<p><b>Fall:</b> August 28 - September 22</p> <p><b>Winter:</b> January 3 - January 30</p> <p><b>Spring:</b> April 29 - May 24</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Grades K &amp; 1: Reading (Dyslexia Screener)</li> <li>▪ K: math</li> <li>▪ 2-12 as needed and for SE progress monitoring</li> </ul>
i-Ready	<p><b>Fall:</b> August 24 - <b>September 21 UPDATED</b></p> <p><b>Winter:</b> January 10 - February 1</p> <p><b>Spring:</b> May 17 - June 7</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Grades 1-5: i-Ready Reading &amp; Math</li> </ul>
MAP	<p><b>Fall:</b> August 23 - September 29</p> <p><b>Winter:</b> December 5 - February 2</p> <p><b>Spring:</b> April 22 - May 31</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Grades 6-8 MAP Reading &amp; Math</li> <li><b>*9th graders with a Spring of 8th Gr. MAP READING score below 211 (25th%ile) are now REQUIRED MAP READING fall/ winter/ spring</b></li> </ul>
CogAT & IA*	<p><b>October 9-27</b></p> <p><i>Make-up (Grade 2): January 4-12</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Grade 2 (GT screening)</li> </ul>
Performance Tasks	<p><b>February 20 - March 8</b></p> <p><i>Make-up: March 11-15</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Grades 2-5: Meet participation guidelines (GT screening)</li> </ul>
COGAT*	<p><b>COGAT (Gr 6-12): November 1 - 30</b></p> <p><b>COGAT (Gr 3-5): September 5 - 22</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Grades 6-12: 10/3-28 for nominated students</li> <li>▪ Grades 3-5: COGAT for nominated students (GT screening)</li> </ul>
ACCESS for ELLs®* Alt ACCESS for ELLs®*	January 22 - March 15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Grades K-12</li> </ul>
STAMP4s*	<p><b>Fall Semester: December 4-15</b></p> <p><b>Spring Semester (and yearlong courses): April 8-26</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ All World Language courses offered for HS credit</li> <li>▪ Seal of Biliteracy Candidates</li> </ul>

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<b>SC Alternate Assessments*</b>	<b>March 11 - April 26</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Meet participation guidelines</li> </ul>
<b>SC READY &amp; SCREADY*</b> <small>*Name has changed to SC READY Science</small>	<b>Online: May 13 - June 10</b> <b>Paper (if waiver offered and accepted): May 13 - May 24</b> <b>Grade 3 ELA: May 13 - May 17</b> <b>ELA Writing Field Test: April 29 - June 10</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Grades 3-8: ELA &amp; Math</li> <li>▪ Grades 4, 6: Science</li> </ul>
<b>PLTW End-of-Course Exams</b>	<p><b>Quarter 1:</b> November 14 through November 18 (PLTW exams will open after Q1 is over, so exams will be administered beginning November 14)</p> <p><b>Quarter 2:</b> January 12-18</p> <p><b>Semester 1:</b> January 10-18</p> <p><b>Quarter 3:</b> March 20-23</p> <p><b>Quarter 4/Semester 2/Yearlong:</b> May 22 - June 6 (Grades 9-11 Students)</p> <p><b>***Quarter 4/Semester 2/Yearlong:</b> May 15-16*** (Seniors)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Students enrolled in:</li> <li>PLTW Principles of Engineering</li> <li>PLTW Introduction to Engineering Design</li> <li>PLTW Digital Electronics</li> <li>PLTW Computer Integrated Manufacturing</li> <li>PLTW Aerospace Engineering</li> <li>PLTW Civil Engineering and Architecture</li> <li>PLTW Environmental Sustainability</li> <li>PLTW Principles of Biomedical Science</li> <li>PLTW Human Body Systems</li> <li>PLTW Medical Interventions</li> <li>PLTW Computer Science Essentials</li> <li>PLTW Computer Science A</li> <li>PLTW Cybersecurity</li> </ul>

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<b>Elementary &amp; Middle School Benchmark Assessments</b>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Elementary School (Required)</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Midterm Benchmark: 4th Grade Science: December 4-15, 2023</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Spring Comprehensive Benchmark: 4th Grade Science March 18-29, 2024</p> <p style="text-align: center;">SCReady Aligned Checkpoints</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>ELA</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">SC Ready Checkpoint 1 (October 25-November 9) SC Ready Checkpoint 2 (January 23-February 13) SC Ready Checkpoint 3 (March 28-May 3) SC Ready Checkpoint 4 (Additional Opportunity As Needed)</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Math</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">SC Ready Checkpoint 1: (At the end of Bridges Unit 2) SC Ready Checkpoint 2: (At the end of Bridges Unit 4) SC Ready Checkpoint 3: (At the end of Bridges Unit 6) SC Ready Checkpoint 4: (Additional Opportunity as needed)</p>	<p><b><u>Optional - Elementary Schools</u></b></p> <p>Grades 3-5: ELA &amp; Math Benchmarks</p>
	*Dates subject to change due to EL assessment overlap.	

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	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Middle School (Required)</b> Midterm Benchmark: Grade 6 Science, Algebra I and 8th graders for students taking Biology January 19-26, 2024</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Spring Comprehensive Benchmark: Grade 6 Science, <b>ELA and Math</b>, Algebra I and 8th graders taking Biology April 22-23, 2024</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>SCReady Aligned Checkpoints</i> <b>ELA</b></p> <p>SC Ready Checkpoint 1 (At the end of EL Module 1) SC Ready Checkpoint 2 (At the end of EL Module 2) SC Ready Checkpoint 3 (At the end of EL Module 3) SC Ready Checkpoint 4 (At the end of EL Module 4)</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Math</b></p> <p>SC Ready Checkpoint 1: (At the end of IM Unit 2) SC Ready Checkpoint 2: (At the end of IM Unit 4) SC Ready Checkpoint 3: (At the end of IM Unit 6) SC Ready Checkpoint 4: (At the end of IM Unit 8)</p>	
<b>High Schools &amp; Early College Benchmark Assessments for EOCEP Courses</b>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>(Required)</b> <b>Semester 1</b> - Midterm Benchmark, Oct. 11-20, 2023 <b>(Fall Midterm Benchmark ECHS ONLY - October 2-6)</b> Final/Comprehensive Benchmark, November 27- December 12, 2023 <b>(Fall Final/Comprehensive Benchmark ECHS ONLY, November 13-17)</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Semester 2</b> - Midterm Benchmark, March 18-27, 2024 <b>(Midterm Benchmark ECHS ONLY, March 4-6)</b> Final/Comprehensive Benchmark, April 22-May 8, 2024 <b>(Spring Final Benchmark ECHS ONLY, April 22-26)</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Yearlong</b> - Midterm Benchmark, November 27- December 12, 2023 <b>(Midterm Benchmark ECHS ONLY, January 10-12)</b> Final/Comprehensive Benchmark, April 22-May 8, 2024 <b>(Final Benchmark ECHS ONLY, April 22-26)</b></p>	<p>Students Enrolled in:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Biology 1</li> <li>▪ Algebra 1/Intermediate Algebra</li> <li>▪ U.S. History &amp; Constitution/AP US History</li> <li>▪ English 2</li> </ul> <p><i>*AP US History will utilize AP classroom instead of benchmarks.</i></p>
<b>EOCEP*</b>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Fall/Winter: -December 8- January 23</b> 12/8 - 12/14 - Eng 2 WRITING only 12/15 - 1/23 - All EOCs (including Eng 2 Writing)</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Spring EOCEP English 2 Field Test: April 18 - 25</b> <b>Spring: May 13 - June 10</b> 5/13 - 5/17 - Eng 2 WRITING only 5/20 - 6/10 - ALL EOCs (including Eng 2 Writing) <b>** Any Senior student must complete ALL EOCs by May 22</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Summer 2024: June 26 - August 2</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Biology 1</li> <li>▪ Algebra 1/ Intermediate Algebra</li> <li>▪ U.S. History</li> <li>▪ English 2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Writing &amp; Reading (2 separate days)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>PSAT/NMSQT</b>	<b>October 2 - 31</b> <i>Accommodation Requests Deadlines vary by testing week.</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Grade 8, 9GR 21-23</li> </ul>

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<b>PreACT</b>	Determined by schools (September 1 - May 1)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ 9GR23</li> </ul>	
<b>Ready to Work* (WIN)</b>	<b>FALL 2023 - 9GR21 ONLY</b> <b>October 30 - November 10</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ 9GR21 - Fall &amp;/or Spring - if need to retake or take for first time</li> <li>▪ 9GR22 - SPRING ONLY (required)</li> </ul>	
	<b>SPRING 2024</b> 9GR22 - required; 9GR21 - ONLY if retake is needed <b>March 25 - April 19</b>		
<b>College Entrance Exams</b>	<b>School Day Test Dates (State and District Testing)</b>		
	<b>ACT</b> <b>9GR21 ONLY -</b> October 3 (Accom. Deadline - <u>August 25</u> ) October 17 (Accom. Deadline - <u>August 25</u> ) October 31 (Accom. Deadline - <u>August 25</u> )  <b>9GR22 &amp; 9GR21 -</b> February 27 (Accom Deadline - TBD) March 12 (Accom Deadline - TBD) March 26 (Accom Deadline - TBD)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ 3<sup>rd</sup> year of high school <b>OR</b> fall testing for 4th year students who did not choose and take a test in Spring 2023.</li> <li>▪ Free - ACT <u>or</u> SAT: Parent choice of 1 test (letter required)</li> </ul>	
	<b>SAT</b> <b>9GR21 ONLY</b> October 11 - (Accom Deadline - <u>August 22</u> ) October 26 - (Accom Deadline - <u>September 6</u> )  <b>9GR22 &amp; 9GR21 -</b> <b>March 4 - April 26 - (Accom Deadline - TBD)</b> <i>*Spring SAT Testing will be digital.*</i>		
	<b>Saturday Test Dates (National Testing)</b>		
	<b>ACT</b>	<b>SAT</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Grades 11 &amp; 12</li> <li>▪ Regular fees apply</li> <li>▪ Check websites for additional information and registration deadlines.                - ACT: <a href="http://www.act.org">www.act.org</a>                - SAT: <a href="http://www.collegeboard.org">www.collegeboard.org</a> </li> </ul>
	September 9	August 26	
	October 28	October 7	
	December 9	November 4	
	February 10	December 2	
	April 13	March 9 <i>*digital*</i>	
June 8	May 4 <i>*digital*</i>		
July 13	June 1 <i>*digital*</i>		

Assessment	Test Dates	Morning (8 a.m.)	Afternoon (12 noon)
<b>Advanced Placement (AP) Exams</b>	<b>April 30</b>	<b>11:59pm ET -</b> <b>*AP Seminar &amp; AP Research - deadline for students to submit performance tasks as final AND their presentations to be scored by their teacher.</b> <b>* AP Computer Sci Principles - deadline for students to submit their Create performance task as final.</b>	
	<b>May 6</b>	United States Government and Politics	Art History Chemistry

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	May 7	Human Geography Microeconomics	Seminar Statistics
	May 8	English Literature and Composition	Comparative Government and Politics Computer Science A
	May 9	Chinese Language and Culture Environmental Science	Psychology
	May 10	European History US History	Macroeconomics Spanish Literature and Culture
		AP 2-D Art and Design, 3-D Art and Design, and Drawing: <b>8:00pm TODAY</b> is the deadline for AP Art and Design students to submit their three portfolio components as final in the AP Digital Portfolio.	
	May 13	Calculus AB Calculus BC	Italian Language and Culture Precalculus
	May 14	English Language and Composition	African American Studies Physics C: Mechanics  <b><u>2PM START:</u></b> Physics C: Electricity & Magnetism
	May 15	French Language and Culture World History: Modern	Computer Science Principles Music Theory
	May 16	Spanish Language and Culture	Biology Japanese Language & Culture
	May 17	German Language and Culture Physics 1: Algebra-Based	Latin Physics 2: Algebra Based
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<b>Elementary School Math (Bridges) Curriculum Assessments</b>	* <b>Click</b> on Calendar Link to subscribe. →	<a href="#">Bridges Math</a>	Elementary *Required <i>Note. Derivita platform required in Grades 3-5. Students in grades K-2 paper pencil (yearlong)</i>
<b>Middle School Math (Illustrative) Curriculum Assessments</b>	* <b>Click</b> on Grade Level Specific Calendar Link(s) to subscribe. →	<a href="#">6th grade Illustrative Math</a> <a href="#">6th grade Honors Illustrative Math</a> <a href="#">7th grade Illustrative Math</a> <a href="#">7th grade Honors Illustrative Math</a> <a href="#">8th grade Illustrative Math</a>	Middle *Required <i>Note. Derivita platform required for all assessments.</i>
<b>Elementary School EL Curriculum Assessments</b>	* <b>Click</b> on Grade Level Specific Calendar Link(s) to subscribe. →	<a href="#">EL Assessments</a>	Elementary*Optional <i>Note. Derivita platform required in Grades 3-5.</i>
<b>Middle School EL Curriculum Assessments</b>	* <b>Click</b> on Grade Level Specific Calendar Link(s) to subscribe. →	<a href="#">EL Assessments</a>	Middle*Optional <i>Note. Derivita platform required beginning with module 3.</i>