

## Fridley Public Schools: Assessment Calendar 2024-2025

Voluntary Prekindergarten School	Districtwide Local Assessments
	<b>TS Gold</b> Fall: September 4 - November 1 Spring: December 2 - April 14

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Hayes Elementary	Districtwide Local Assessments				
	<b>FASTBridge earlyReading Grades K - 1</b> K: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2 1: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2	<b>FASTBridge earlyMath Grades K - 1</b> K: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2 1: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2	<b>FASTBridge CBM: Literacy Grades 1 - 4</b> 1: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2 2: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2 3: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2 4: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2	<b>FASTBridge aReading Grades 2 - 4</b> 2: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2 3: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2 4: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2	<b>FASTBridge aMath Grades 2 - 4</b> 2: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2 3: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2 4: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2
	<b>SAEBRS Grades K - 4</b> Sept 23 – Oct 25 Mar 24 – Apr 25		<b>mySAEBRS Grades 3 - 4</b> Sept 23 – Oct 25 Mar 24 – Apr 25		
<b>Statewide Assessments</b>					
<b>WIDA ACCESS and Alternate ACCESS Grades K - 4</b>				<b>MCA and MTAS Grades 3 - 4</b>	
<b>Listening</b> K: February 18-19 1: February 24-25 2: February 24-25 3: February 24-25 4: February 24-25	<b>Reading</b> K: February 18-19 1: February 24-25 2: February 24-25 3: February 24-25 4: February 24-25	<b>Writing</b> K: February 20-21 1: February 26-27 2: February 26-27 3: February 26-27 4: February 26-27	<b>MCA Mathematics</b> 3: April 22-23 4: April 22-23	<b>MCA Reading</b> 3: April 15-16 4: April 15-16	
<b>Speaking</b> K: February 20-21 1: February 26-27 2: February 26-27 3: February 26-27 4: February 26-27			<b>MTAS Mathematics</b> 3: April 22-23 4: April 22-23	<b>MTAS Reading</b> 3: April 15-16 4: April 15-16	

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R.L. Stevenson Elementary	Districtwide Local Assessments				
	<p><b>FASTBridge earlyReading Grades K - 1</b></p> <p>K: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2</p> <p>1: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2</p>	<p><b>FASTBridge earlyMath Grades K - 1</b></p> <p>K: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2</p> <p>1: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2</p>	<p><b>FASTBridge CBM: Literacy Grades 1 - 4</b></p> <p>1: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2</p> <p>2: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2</p> <p>3: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2</p> <p>4: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2</p>	<p><b>FASTBridge aReading Grades 2 - 4</b></p> <p>2: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2</p> <p>3: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2</p> <p>4: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2</p>	<p><b>FASTBridge aMath Grades 2 - 4</b></p> <p>2: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2</p> <p>3: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2</p> <p>4: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2</p>
	<p><b>SAEBRS Grades K - 4</b></p> <p>Sept 23 – Oct 25 Mar 24 – Apr 25</p>		<p><b>mySAEBRS Grades 3 - 4</b></p> <p>Sept 23 – Oct 25 Mar 24 – Apr 25</p>		
<b>Statewide Assessments</b>					
<b>WIDA ACCESS and Alternate ACCESS: Grades K - 4</b>			<b>MCA and MTAS: Grades 3 - 4</b>		
<p><b>Listening</b></p> <p>K: February 18-19 1: February 24-25 2: February 24-25 3: February 24-25 4: February 24-25</p>	<p><b>Reading</b></p> <p>K: February 18-19 1: February 24-25 2: February 24-25 3: February 24-25 4: February 24-25</p>	<p><b>Writing</b></p> <p>K: February 20-21 1: February 26-27 2: February 26-27 3: February 26-27 4: February 26-27</p>	<p><b>MCA Mathematics</b></p> <p>3: April 22-23 4: April 22-23</p>	<p><b>MCA Reading</b></p> <p>3: April 15-16 4: April 15-16</p>	
<p><b>Speaking</b></p> <p>K: February 20-21 1: February 26-27 2: February 26-27 3: February 26-27 4: February 26-27</p>			<p><b>MTAS Mathematics</b></p> <p>3: April 22-23 4: April 22-23</p>	<p><b>MTAS Reading</b></p> <p>3: April 15-16 4: April 15-16</p>	

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Fridley Middle School	Districtwide Local Assessments			
	<b>FASTBridge aMath Grades 5 - 6</b> 5: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2 6: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2	<b>MAP: Math Grades 7 - 8</b> Sept 4 - Oct 4 April 28 - June 2	<b>FASTBridge aReading Grades 5 - 8</b> 5: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2 6: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2 7: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2 8: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2	<b>FASTBridge CBM: Literacy Grades 5 - 8</b> 5: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2 6: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2 7: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2 8: Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2
	<b>SAEBRS Grades 5 - 6</b> Sept 23 – Oct 25 Mar 24 – Apr 25	<b>mySAEBRS Grades 5 - 8</b> Sept 23 – Oct 25 Mar 24 – Apr 25		
<b>Statewide Assessments</b>				
<b>WIDA ACCESS and Alternate ACCESS Grades 5 - 8</b>			<b>MCA and MTAS Grades 5 - 8</b>	
<b>Listening</b> 5: February 3 6: February 3 7: February 3 8: February 3	<b>Reading</b> 5: February 3 6: February 3 7: February 3 8: February 3	<b>MCA Mathematics</b> 5: April 22-23 6: April 22-23 7: April 22-23 8: April 22-23 Makeup: April 24 & 25	<b>MTAS Mathematics</b> 5: April 22-23 6: April 22-23 7: April 22-23 8: April 22-23	
<b>Speaking</b> 5: February 4 6: February 4 7: February 4 8: February 4	<b>Writing</b> 5: February 4 6: February 4 7: February 4 8: February 4	<b>MCA Reading</b> 5: April 15-16 6: April 15-16 7: April 15-16 8: April 15-16 Makeup: April 17	<b>MTAS Reading</b> 5: April 15-16 6: April 15-16 7: April 15-16 8: April 15-16	
		<b>MCA Science</b> 5: April 29-30 8: April 29-30 Makeup: May 1-2	<b>MTAS Science</b> 5: April 29-30 8: April 29-30	

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Fridley High School	Districtwide Local Assessments			
	<b>MAP: Math Grade 9</b> Sept 4 - Oct 4 April 28 - June 2	<b>FASTBridge aReading Grades 9 - 10</b> Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2	<b>PSAT Grade 11</b> Oct 23	<b>ACT Grade 11</b> April 8
	<b>PreACT Grade 10</b> April 8	<b>PreACT 8/9 Grade 9</b> Nov 13	<b>DP Testing Grades 11 - 12</b> April 25 - May 21	<b>mySAEBRS Grades 9 - 12</b> Sept 23 – Oct 25 Mar 24 – Apr 25
<b>Statewide Assessments</b>				
<b>WIDA ACCESS and Alternate ACCESS Grades 9 - 12</b>			<b>MCA and MTAS Grades 10 - 12</b>	
<b>Listening</b> 9: January 27 10: January 27 11: January 27 12: January 27	<b>Reading</b> 9: January 27 10: January 27 11: January 27 12: January 27	<b>MCA Mathematics Grade 11</b> April 24 - 25 Make-Up: April 28 & May 1	<b>MTAS Mathematics Grade 11</b> April 24 - 25 Make-Up: April 28 & May 1	
<b>Speaking</b> 9: January 28 10: January 28 11: January 28 12: January 28	<b>Writing</b> 9: January 28 10: January 28 11: January 28 12: January 28	<b>MCA Reading Grade 10</b> April 15-16 Make-Up: April 28 & May 1	<b>MTAS Reading Grade 10</b> April 15-16 Make-Up: April 28 & May 1	
		<b>MCA Science Grade 11 and 12 Biology</b> April 22 -23 Make-Up: April 28 & May 1	<b>MTAS Science Grade 11 and 12 Biology</b> April 22 - 23 Make-Up: April 28 & May 1	

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Alternative Learning Center School	Districtwide Local Assessments			
	<b>MAP: Math Grade 9</b> Sept 4 - Oct 4 April 28 - June 2	<b>FASTBridge aReading Grades 9 – 10</b> Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2	<b>PreACT Grade 10</b> April 8	<b>ACT Grade 11</b> April 8
	<b>mySAEBRS Grades 9 - 12</b> Sept 23 – Oct 25 Mar 24 – Apr 25			
	<b>Statewide Assessments</b>			
	<b>WIDA ACCESS and Alternate ACCESS Grades 9 - 12</b>		<b>MCA and MTAS Grades 10 - 12</b>	
	<b>Listening</b> 9: January 27 10: January 27 11: January 27 12: January 27	<b>Reading</b> 9: January 27 10: January 27 11: January 27 12: January 27	<b>MCA Mathematics Grade 11</b> April 24 - 25 Make-Up: April 28 & May 1	<b>MTAS Mathematics Grade 11</b> April 24 - 25 Make-Up: April 28 & May 1
	<b>Speaking</b> 9: January 28 10: January 28 11: January 28 12: January 28	<b>Writing</b> 9: January 28 10: January 28 11: January 28 12: January 28	<b>MCA Reading Grade 10</b> April 15-16 Make-Up: April 28 & May 1	<b>MTAS Reading Grade 10</b> April 15-16 Make-Up: April 28 & May 1
			<b>MCA Science Grade 11 and 12 Biology</b> April 22 -23 Make-Up: April 28 & May 1	<b>MTAS Science Grade 11 and 12 Biology</b> April 22 - 23 Make-Up: April 28 & May 1

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VISTA Education Center	Districtwide Local Assessments			
	<b>FASTBridge earlyReading</b> <b>Grades K – 1</b>  Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2	<b>FASTBridge earlyMath</b> <b>Grades K - 1</b>  Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 - Feb 7 April 28 – June 2	<b>FASTBridge CBM: Literacy</b> <b>Grades 1 - 8</b>  Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2	<b>FASTBridge aMath</b> <b>Grades 2 - 6</b>  Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June
	<b>FASTBridge aReading</b> <b>Grades 2 - 10</b> Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2	<b>MAP: Math</b> <b>Grades 7 - 9</b> Sept 4 – Oct 11 Jan 6 – Feb 7 April 28 – June 2	<b>SAEBRS</b> <b>Grades K - 6</b> Sept 23 – Oct 25 Mar 24 – Apr 25	<b>mySAEBRS</b> <b>Grades 3 - 12</b> Sept 23 – Oct 25 Mar 24 – Apr 25
<b>Statewide Assessments</b>				
<b>WIDA ACCESS and Alternate ACCESS</b> <b>Grades K - 4</b>		<b>MCA and MTAS</b> <b>Grades 3 - 4</b>		
<b>Listening</b> Jan 27-Mar. 21	<b>Reading</b> Jan 27-Mar. 21	<b>MCA Mathematics</b> 3 - 4: April 22-23 5 - 8: April 22-23 11: April 22-23 Make ups: April 29-30	<b>MTAS Mathematics</b> 3 - 4: April 22-23 5 - 8: April 22-23 11: April 22-23 Make ups: April 29-30	
<b>Speaking</b> Jan 27-Mar. 21	<b>Writing</b> Jan 27-Mar. 21	<b>MCA Reading</b> 3 - 4: April 15-16 5 - 8: April 15-16 10: April 15-16 Make ups: April 29-30	<b>MTAS Reading</b> 3 - 4: April 15-16 5 - 8: April 15-16 10: April 15-16 Make ups: April 29-30	
		<b>MCA Science</b> 5: April 24 8: April 24 11: April 24 Make ups: April 29-30	<b>MTAS Science</b> 5: April 24 8: April 24 11: April 24 Make ups: April 29-30	

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Fridley Public Schools use multiple assessments to provide teachers with information about their students to plan effective instruction and identify students who may need additional intervention and enrichment. Some assessments are required by state or federal legislation while others are used to meet state or federal program requirements. The schedule provided indicates the districtwide or whole-school testing. Teachers may administer additional subject or course related tests and assessments to measure individual student progress. The school district strives to maximize instructional time and create a balanced schedule throughout the school year.

Assessment Name	Estimated Test Administration Times	Purpose and Rationale	Source of Requirement
<b>NWEA Measures of Academic Progress (MAP):</b>	45-75 minutes	This test measures growth and progress in math. Teachers use this assessment to measure growth throughout the year and from year-to-year. Staff also use it to inform decisions about placement into academic intervention programs, to set academic goals with students, and to differentiate instruction. District-determined math assessment to measure student proficiency and growth	District-determined math assessment to measure student proficiency and growth
<b>FASTBridge Curriculum-Based Assessment in Reading:</b>	10-15 minutes	FAST Assessments measure progress toward grade level benchmarks in reading and is used as one of the metrics for the Minnesota state required Read Well by Grade 3 Initiative. This assessment is used to measure progress in early literacy and reading fluency and accuracy to identify students who may need academic interventions, and by teachers to differentiate instruction. District-determined reading assessment to measure student progress and proficiency	District-determined reading assessment to measure student progress and proficiency
<b>FASTBridge aReading and aMath:</b>	Reading: 30-45 minutes Math: 30 minutes	This computer adaptive test in reading is administered to measure student progress in reading and math skills and identify students who may need additional intervention to support their reading skill growth. District-determined reading and math assessment to measure student progress.	District-determined reading and math assessment to measure student progress
<b>FASTBridge earlyReading and earlyMath:</b>	Reading: 5 Minutes Math: 5 Minutes	This test in reading and math is administered to measure student progress in emerging reading and math skills and identify students who may need additional intervention to support their reading skill	District-determined reading and math assessment to measure student progress



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		<p>growth. District-determined reading and math assessment to measure student progress.</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>WIDA ACCESS and WIDA Alternate ACCESS:</b></p>	<p>Listening: 65 minutes Reading: 60 minutes Speaking: 50 minutes Writing: 70–90 minutes</p> <p><b>Alternate ACCESS:</b> Listening 30 minutes Reading 30 minutes Speaking 30 minutes Writing 30 minutes</p>	<p><b>WIDA ACCESS:</b> This is a test of English language proficiency taken by all English learners. The test is used to determine language proficiency, EL program eligibility, and by teachers to differentiate instruction. The <b>ACCESS for ELLs (ACCESS)</b> is an assessment that measures English language proficiency in listening, reading, speaking, and writing as described in the WIDA English Language Development (ELD) standards. These standards have been adopted by Minnesota and address the language demands of the state’s academic content standards and <a href="#">ESSA</a></p> <p>Most students will take the ACCESS online. Kindergarten students take the assessment individually with a teacher. Some students, based on their needs documented in their IEP or 504 plan, can take the assessment on paper.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><a href="#">ESSA</a></p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>MCA (Minnesota Comprehensive Assessment) and MTAS (Minnesota Test of Academic Skills):</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>MCA</b></p> <p>Reading: 1.5- 2hours Math: 1.5-2.5 hours Science: 1-2.5 hours</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>MTAS</b></p> <p>Reading: 60-90 minutes <u>Math</u>: 30-60 minutes <u>Science</u>: 60-90 minutes</p>	<p>These tests are required of all Minnesota students to fulfill legislative requirements of the Every Student Succeeds Act (<a href="#">ESSA</a>) and Minnesota Statutes, section 120B.30.</p> <p>The Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments (MCAs) are assessments in reading, mathematics, and science and are administered every year. The MCAs are based on the Minnesota Academic Standards, which specify what students in a particular grade should know and be able to do.</p> <p>All students in Minnesota public and charter schools take the MCAs. Reading and mathematics tests are administered in grades 3 – 8 and high school (students in grade 10 take the Reading MCA, and students in grade 11 take the Mathematics MCA). The Science MCA is administered to students in grades 5 and 8 and in the high school grade in which they take a life science or biology course.</p> <p>Students take the Reading, Mathematics, and Science MCAs online. Some students may be eligible for</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><a href="#">ESSA</a> <a href="#">MN Statutes, section 120B.30</a></p>

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		<p>paper test materials based on their Individualized Educational Plan (IEP) or 504 plan.</p> <p>The MCAs are used to gather information about the alignment of districts and schools’ curriculum and instruction with state academic standards. Schools use the information to improve curriculum materials and student support. Educators look for areas where students do well so they can reinforce the ways they teach these skills. Educators also look for areas where they can improve standards-based curriculum and instruction.</p>	
<b>ACT</b>	<p>English: 45 minutes            Math: 60 minutes            Reading: 35 minutes            Science: 35 minutes            Writing: 40 minutes</p>	<p>This is a college admissions test measuring academic readiness for college. Scores are used for college admissions decisions. Minnesota schools are required to offer a college admissions test to all students as part of state graduation requirements.</p>	<p><a href="#">MN Statutes, section 120B.30</a></p>
<b>SAEBRS/mySAEBRS</b>	<p><b>SAEBRS:</b> 3-5 minutes  <b>mySAEBRS:</b> 5-10 minutes</p>	<p><b>SAEBRS</b> is a teacher rating scale intended for use as a screening instrument facilitating the screening of broad mental health concerns among students in school settings. It is a universal screener completed by teachers in grades K-2.</p> <p>The <b>mySAEBRS</b> (Social, Academic, and Emotional Behavior Risk Screener) is a brief, norm-referenced tool for screening all students to identify those who are at risk for social-emotional behavior (SEB) problems. It is a Universal Screener given to all students grades 3 – 12.</p> <p>The use of these universal screening instruments is to gather information about students’ academic, emotional, behavioral, or social needs to ensure students are getting all their needs met at school.</p>	<p>District determined screening tool</p>
<b>TS Gold:</b>	<p>Ongoing Observation by teacher</p>	<p>The assessment model used in GOLD follows widely held expectations for children from birth through third grade and enables a whole-child approach to assessment.</p>	<p>District determined screening tool</p>

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Minnesota Statewide Assessment Calendar		
	Testing Window Opens	Testing Window Closes
<b>WIDA and WIDA ACCESS</b>	1/27/2025	3/21/2025
<b>MCA and MTAS Reading and Math</b>	3/3/2025	5/2/2025
<b>MCA and MTAS Science</b>	3/3/2025	5/9/2025

Additional Information including Assessment Results Information can be found through the Minnesota Department of Education (MDE) at the following links:

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