D181 2024-2025 PK-8 Assessment Schedule

Please note that some testing windows may include a day indicated as a Code 1 Observance. We will ensure that no testing occurs on those days.

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Fall Testing Window	Assessment	Grades
	i-Ready Math Diagnostic Assessment	
August 20 - August 30	(Appropriate instructional recommendations for students in the core curriculum resource)	K-5
August 26 - September 6	NWEA: MPG/MAP 2-5/MAP 6+ (Measures of growth and performance in reading and math)	1-8
August 26 - September 20	AIMSweb Plus (Early literacy & numeracy skills, reading fluency, & reading comprehension)	K-2: All Students 3-5: Students in Tier II or III Interventions
August 26 - September 20	Fountas & Pinnell Benchmark Assessment (BAS) (Reading behaviors & independent/instructional reading level) Writing is included when a student reaches level D.	K-5 K: All students in winter and spring 1-2: All students in fall, winter, and spring 3-4: All students fall and spring. Winter for the following: 3rd graders at instructional N or below in fall 4th graders at instructional Q or below in fall 5: All students fall Winter and/or spring until students meet instructional V
September 3 - October 11	Teaching Strategies GOLD	Pre-K
October 7 - October 25	Kindergarten Individual Development Survey (KIDS)	Kindergarten
October 15 - October 18	Satchel Pulse (SEL Screening)	3-8
November 11 - November 15	CogAT CogAT is utilized in the appeals pathways for language arts, social studies, and math placement.	2 & 5
Winter Testing Window	Assessment	Grades
December 9 - December 20	NWEA: MPG/MAP 2-5/MAP 6+ (Measures of growth and performance in reading and math)	1-7
January 6 - January 17	i-Ready Math Diagnostic Assessment (appropriate instructional recommendations for students in the core curriculum resource)	K-5
January 6 - February 7	Teaching Strategies GOLD	Pre-K
January 6 - January 17	AIMSweb Plus (Early literacy & numeracy skills, reading fluency, & reading comprehension)	K-2: All Students 3-5: Students in Tier II or III Interventions
January 6 - January 22	Fountas & Pinnell Benchmark Assessment (BAS) (Reading behaviors & independent/ instructional reading level) We will limit the number of benchmark assessments for students who are on or above grade level. Writing is included when a student reaches level D.	K-5 K: All students in winter and spring 1-2: All students in fall, winter, and spring 3-4: All students fall and spring. Winter for the following: 3rd graders at instructional N or below in fall 4th graders at instructional Q or below in fall 5: All students fall Winter and/or spring until students meet instructional V
January 15 - February 21	ACCESS for English Language Learners	K-8 *Only for those students identified as English Language Learners
February 18 - February 28	Comprehensive School Climate Inventory (CSCI)	4-8
Spring Testing Window	Assessment	Grades
March 3 - March 7	Placement Writing Assessment (PWA)	5
March 17 - April 25	Illinois Science Assessment (ISA)	5 & 8
April 7 - April 18	Illinois Assessment of Readiness (IAR) Dynamic Learning Maps (DLM)	3-8
April 7 - May 9	Fitnessgram (Physical Education)	3-8
April 21 - May 2	NWEA: MPG/MAP 2-5/MAP 6+ (Measures of growth and performance in reading and math)	1-7
April 28 - May 9	AlMSweb Plus (Early literacy & numeracy skills, reading fluency, & reading comprehension)	K-2: All Students 3-5: Students in Tier II or III Interventions
April 28 - May 14	Fountas & Pinnell Benchmark Assessment (BAS) (Reading behaviors & independent/ instructional reading level) Writing is included when a student reaches level D	K-5 K: All students in winter and spring 1-2: All students in fall, winter, and spring 3-4: All students fall and spring. 5: Spring for students below instructional V
May 1 - May 23	Teaching Strategies GOLD	Pre-K
		3-8
May 5 - May 9	Satchel Pulse (SEL Screening)	3-0
May 5 - May 9 May 19 - May 30	Satchel Pulse (SEL Screening) i-Ready Math Diagnostic Assessment (appropriate instructional recommendations for students in the core curriculum resource)	K-5