Visalia UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT | SY 2026-2027

3rd Grade - 6th Grade BALANCED ASSESSMENT CALENDAR

Assess | Adjust | Achieve

LEGEND: DIBELS 8th | Amplify Math | CAASPP | ELPAC | i-Ready* (7th and 8th grade ELA only) | nwea map READ 180/ Language Arts | History Pilot | ELA Unit/Module Assessment | Hand Entry Window

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL - *AUGUST 13th, 2026*

AUGUST '26 | SEPTEMBER '26 | OCTOBER '26 | NOVEMBER '26 | DECEMBER '26 | JANUARY '27 | FEBRUARY '27 | MARCH '27 | APRIL '27 | MAY '27 | JUNE

8.13 8.17 8.24 8.31 9.7 9.14 9.21 9.28 10.5 10.12 10.19 10.26 11.2 11.9 11.16 11.23 11.30 12.7 12.14 12.21 12.28 1.4 1.11 1.18 1.25 2.1 2.8 2.15 2.22 3.1 3.8 3.15 3.22 3.29 4.5 4.12 4.19 4.26 5.3 5.10 5.17 5.24 5.31 6.7

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TRIMESTER 1 - FIRST GRADING PERIOD | TRIMESTER 2 - SECOND GRADING PERIOD | TRIMESTER 3 - THIRD GRADING PERIOD

VUSD US

- 1-3 8.19-9.4
- 1-8 8.17-8.28
- K-3 1.15-1.29
- K-6 1.11-1.22
- K-3 5.10-5.21
- K-6 5.18-5.28

VUSD CFA

CFAs Results monitored at site-level only. | CFAs Results monitored at site-level only. | CFAs Results monitored at site-level only.

VUSD BA — BENCHMARK ASSESSMENTS

- 9.14-9.18 3rd MOD1 9.25
- 9.14-9.18 4th MOD1 9.25
- 9.14-9.18 5th MOD1 9.25
- 9.14-9.18 6th MOD1 9.25
- 10.26-11.6 3rd MOD2-W 11.13
- 10.26-11.6 4th MOD2-W 11.13
- 10.26-11.6 5th MOD2-W 11.13
- 10.26-11.6 6th MOD2-W 11.13
- 12.14-12.18 3rd MOD3 — 1.18
- 12.14-12.18 4th MOD3 — 1.18
- 12.14-12.18 5th MOD3 — 1.18
- 12.14-12.18 6th MOD3 — 1.18
- 2.16-3.5 3rd MOD4-PT 3.12
- 2.16-3.5 4th MOD4-PT 3.12
- 2.16-3.5 5th MOD4-PT 3.12
- 2.16-3.5 6th MOD4-PT 3.12
- 4.12-4.16 3rd MOD5 4.23
- 4.12-4.16 4th MOD5 4.23
- 4.12-4.16 5th MOD5 4.23
- 11.20 3rd MATH/U3 12.4
- 11.20 4th MATH/U3 12.4
- 11.20 5th MATH/U3 12.4
- 11.10 6th MATH/U3 11.17
- 1.29 3rd MATH/U4 2.5
- 1.29 4th MATH/U4 2.5
- 1.22 5th MATH/U4 1.29
- 12.15 6th MATH/U4 — 1.14
- 2.3 6th MATH/U5 2.10
- 3.3 3rd MATH/U5 3.10
- 3.5 4th MATH/U5 3.12
- 3.12 5th MATH/U5 3.19
- 3.5 6th MATH/U6 3.12
- 4.9 3rd MATH/U6 4.16
- 4.23 4th MATH/U6 4.30
- 4.23 5th MATH/U6 4.30
- 4.13 6th MATH/U7 4.20

VUSD SA — SUMMATIVE

- CAASPP 3-6 Summative ELA CAT (Smarter Balanced) 4.26 - 5.21
- CAASPP 3-6 Summative ELA & MATH (Smarter Balanced) 4.26-5.21
- K-12 ELPAC English Language Learners | 2.1 - 5.28
- 3-5 ELPAC California Spanish Assessment 4.5 - 5.21
- 5th ELPAC CAST - California Science Test | 3.1 - 5.28
- 5th & 7th ELPAC California Physical Fitness Test | 2.1 - 4.30

BEGINNING OF YEAR ASSESSMENTS (**B-O-Y**) | MIDDLE OF YEAR ASSESSMENTS (**M-O-Y**) | END OF YEAR ASSESSMENTS (**E-O-Y**)

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