

Ashe County Schools Assessment Calendar 2026 - 2027

EVENT	GRADE LEVEL	DATE
WIDA Screener for Kindergarten and WIDA Screener	K-12	Initial assessment required within the first 30 days of school / enrollment
BOY STAR Math and Reading Screener	K-12 Math; 3-12 Reading	Monday August 24 - Monday September 4, 2026
BOY mCLASS Reading Diagnostic Window	K-5	Monday August 24 - Monday September 14, 2026
Beginning-of-Grade 3 Reading Test	3	Tuesday, September 1, 2026
Benchmark 1 Reading and Math 3-8 / Science 5&8	3-8	September 14 - 18, 2026
SEB Survey #1	K-12	September 8-18, 2026
NC ELI - 30 day deadline	K	September 25, 2026
EOC Check-In #1 (Bio 1 & 2, M I, M III and ENG II)	9-12	September 28 - October 2, 2026
Benchmark 2 Reading and Math 3-8 / Science 5&8	3-8	October 12 - 23, 2026
End of Quarter 1 Grading Period	K-12	Friday, October 16, 2026
Pre-ACT <i>Ashe Early College</i>	10	Wednesday, October 21, 2026
Pre-ACT and CCRAA 10 and Fall ACT WorkKeys - <i>Ashe High</i>	10 and 12	Tuesday, October 27, 2026
Read to Achieve Assessment Mid-Year	4	Tuesday, October 27, 2026
CogAT Screening	3 and 6	Tuesday, November 3 - Thursday, November 5, 2026
Fall ACT WorkKeys <i>Ashe Early College</i>	12	Wednesday, November 4, 2026
Benchmark 3 Reading and Math 3-8 / Science 5&8	3-8	November 16 - 20, 2026
NC ELI - 60 day deadline	K	Friday, November 20, 2026
EOC Check-In #2 (Bio, M I, M III and ENG II)	9-12	Monday, November 16 - Friday, November 20, 2026
MOY STAR Math and Reading Screener	K-12 Math; 3-12 Reading	Monday, November 30 - Friday, December 11, 2026
Fall 2026 CTE State Assessments, EOC (Biology, English II, Math I, and Math III), EXTEND 1 Alternate Assessments and Teacher Made Finals	9-12	Monday, December 14 - Friday, December 18, 2026
End of Quarter 2 Grading Period	K - 12	Friday, December 18, 2026
<i>Ashe County Schools Christmas Break</i>	K-12	<i>December 21, 2026 – January 6, 2027</i>
MOY mCLASS Reading Diagnostic Testing	K-5	Thursday January 7 - Thursday January 28, 2027
ACCESS and Alternate ACCESS for ELLs	K - 12	Monday, January 11 - Friday, March 12, 2027
Benchmark 4 Reading and Math 3-8 / Science 5&8	3-8	Monday, January 11 - Friday, January 15, 2027
EOC Spring Check-In #1 (Bio, M I, YL M I, M III & ENG II)	9-12	Monday, February 22 - Friday, February 26, 2027
SEB Survey #2	K - 12	February 1 -12, 2027
Benchmark 5 Reading and Math 3-8 / Science 5&8	3-8	Monday, February 15 - Friday, February 19, 2027
Spring ACT WorkKeys - <i>Ashe Early College</i>	12	Friday February 26, 2027
ACT - <i>Ashe Early College</i>	11	Friday March 5, 2027
End of Quarter 3 Grading Period	K - 12	Thursday, March 11, 2027
ACT and CCRAA 11 and ACT Spring WorkKeys - <i>Ashe High</i>	11 and 12	Tuesday March 16, 2027
<i>Ashe County Schools Spring Break</i>	K-12	<i>Friday, March 26, - Friday, April 2, 2027</i>
Benchmark 6 Reading and Math 3-8 / Science 5&8	3 - 8	Monday, March 15 - Friday, March 19, 2027
EOC Spring Check-In #2 (Bio, M I, YL M I, M III & ENG II)	9-12	Monday, April 19 - Friday April 23
Benchmark 7 Reading and Math 3-8 / Science 5&8	3 - 8	Monday, April 19 - Friday, April 23, 2027
EOY STAR Math and Reading Screener	3-12 Math; 3-12 Reading	Monday, May 3 - Friday, May 14, 2027
EOY mCLASS Reading Diagnostic Window	K-5	Thursday, April 29 - Wednesday, May 19, 2027
SEB Survey #3	K - 12	Monday, May 3 - Friday, May 14, 2027
AP Biology	9-12	Monday, May 3, 2027 12:00 PM
AP US Government and Politics	9-12	Tuesday, May 4, 2027 8:00 AM
AP Literature and Composition	9-12	Wednesday, May 5, 2027 8:00 AM
AP US History	9-12	Friday, May 7, 2027 8:00 AM
AP PreCalculus BC	9-12	Tuesday, May 11, 2027 8:00 AM

AP English, Language and Composition	9-12	Wednesday, May 12, 2027 8:00 AM
AP Computer Science Principles	9-12	Friday, May 14, 2027 8:00 AM
AP Psychology	9-12	Friday , May 14, 2027 12:00 PM
End-of-Grade (EOG) and NC Extend 1 Alternate Assessments in Reading and Mathematics - Grades 3-8, and Science Grade 5 and 8, Math 1 - Grade 8 and K-2 STAR Math Screener	3 - 8 and K - 2	Thursday, May 20, 2027 - Thursday, June 3, 2027
Spring 2027 CTE State Assessments, EOC (Biology, English II, Math I, and Math III), EXTEND 1 Alternate Assessments and Teacher Made Finals	9-12	Thursday, May 27, 2027 - Thursday, June 3, 2027
End of Quarter 4 Grading Period	K - 12	Thursday, June 3, 2027

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