

APS District, State and National Assessments 2026-2027

Elementary Schools (PreK-5th Grades)

AUGUST	
8/3-9/14	<i>GKIDS Readiness Check (Grade KK)</i>
8/17-8/28	NWEA MAP Growth Testing (Grade KK-5)
8/24-9/4	<i>Amira Universal Reading and Dyslexia Screener (Grade KK-3)</i>
SEPTEMBER	
9/1-9/11	Pre-Kindergarten Assessment Pre-test (Grade PK)
9/15- 5/17	<i>GKIDS 2.0 (Grade KK)</i>
9/21	Student Early Release/ School Data Analysis and Planning (Afternoon) (Recommended)
OCTOBER	
10/5-10/9	Semester 1: Mid-Semester Checkpoint
10/12	School Data Analysis and Planning (Recommended)
10/19-10/23	Write Score (Grade 1-5)
NOVEMBER/DECEMBER	
11/30-12/11	NWEA MAP Growth Testing (Grade KK-5)
12/7-12/18	<i>Amira Universal Reading and Dyslexia Screener (Grade KK-3)</i>
JANUARY/FEBRUARY	
1/4	School Data Analysis and Planning (Recommended)
1/6-1/22	Gifted Identification Testing – CogAT, GES (Grade KK-5)
1/6-2/12	Gifted Identification Testing – NNAT, TTCT, ES Product (Grade KK-5)
1/11-1/22	Pre-Kindergarten Assessment Midyear-test (Grade PK)
1/11-2/24	<i>ACCESS for ELLs/Alternate ACCESS (Grade KK-5 ELs)</i>
2/8-2/12	Write Score (Grade KK-5)
2/15	School Data Analysis and Planning (Recommended)
MARCH	
3/1-3/5	Semester 2: Mid-Semester Checkpoint
3/15	School Data Analysis and Planning (Recommended)
3/16-3/30	NWEA MAP Growth (Grade KK-5)
3/22-4/2	<i>Amira Universal Reading and Dyslexia Screener (Grade KK-3)</i>
3/22-4/20	<i>Georgia Alternate Assessment 2.0 (Grade 1-5)</i>
3/22-4/23	STAMP Testing: DLI Students (Grade 1-5)
APRIL/MAY	
4/19-4/30	Pre-Kindergarten Assessment Post-test (Grade PK)
4/26-5/14	<i>Georgia Milestones EOG Testing (Grade 3-5)</i>
5/17-5/21	<i>Georgia Milestones EOG Re-test (Grade 3 & 5)</i>

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Middle Schools (6-8th Grades)

AUGUST	
8/17-8/28	NWEA MAP Growth Testing (Grade 6-8)
SEPTEMBER	
9/14-18	Write Score (Grades 6-8)
9/21	Student Early Release/ School Data Analysis and Planning (Afternoon) (Recommended)
OCTOBER	
10/5-10/9	Semester 1: Mid-Semester Checkpoint
10/12	School Data Analysis and Planning (Recommended)
10/22	PSAT 8/9 (Grade 8)
NOVEMBER	
11/2 - 11/6	YouScience (Grade 8 only)
DECEMBER	
11/30-12/11	NWEA MAP Growth Testing (Grade 6-8)
12/7- 12/15	EOC testing for students completing an EOC course
JANUARY/FEBRUARY	
1/4	School Data Analysis and Planning (Recommended)
1/11-2/24	ACCESS for ELLs/Alternate ACCESS (Grade 6-8 ELs)
1/6-2/12	Gifted Evaluation Scales (Grade 6-8)
1/6-2/12	Gifted Eligibility Student Assessments-NGAT and CTC
1/25-3/19	NAEP TUDA for sampled students and schools (Grade 8)
2/8-2/12	Write Score (Grade 6-8)
2/15	School Data Analysis and Planning
MARCH	
3/1-3/5	Semester 2: Mid-Semester Checkpoint
3/15	School Data Analysis and Planning (Recommended)
3/16-3/30	NWEA MAP Growth (Grade 6-8)
3/22-4/23	STAMP Testing: DLI Students (Grade 8)
3/22-4/23	STAMP Testing: DLI Students (Grade 6, 7)
3/22-4/20	Georgia Alternate Assessment 2.0 (Grade 6-8)
APRIL/MAY	
4/26-5/7	Georgia Milestones EOC Testing (for students completing an EOC course)
4/26-5/14	Georgia Milestones EOG Testing (Grade 6-8)
5/17-5/21	Georgia Milestones EOG Re-test (Grade 8)

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High Schools (9-12th Grades) 4x8 Schedule

AUGUST	
8/10-8/14	<i>EOC Mid-month</i>
8/17-8/28	<i>NWEA MAP Growth Testing (Grade 9-10)</i>
SEPTEMBER	
9/14-9/18	<i>EOC Mid-month</i>
9/14-9/18	<i>Semester 1: Mid-Semester Checkpoint</i>
9/17-9/28	<i>Write Score (Grade 9-10)</i>
9/21	<i>Student Early Release/ School Data Analysis and Planning (Afternoon) (Recommended)</i>
OCTOBER	
10/5-10/9	<i>EOC Mid-month</i>
10/5-11/10	<i>Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB)</i>
10/12	<i>School Data Analysis and Planning (Recommended)</i>
10/22	<i>PSAT/NMSQT (Grade 10-11)</i>
NOVEMBER	
11/9-11/13	<i>EOC Mid-month</i>
DECEMBER	
12/7-12/15	<i>Georgia Milestones EOC Winter Main Administration</i>
JANUARY	
1/4	<i>School Data Analysis and Planning (Recommended)</i>
1/6-2/12	<i>Gifted Identification Testing-NGAT and CTC (Grade 9-10)</i>
1/6-1/22	<i>Gifted Evaluation Scales (GES) (Grade 9-10)</i>
1/11-2/24	<i>ACCESS for ELLs/Alternate ACCESS (Grade 9-12 ELs)</i>
1/20- 1/26	<i>EOC Mid-month</i>
1/20-4/15	<i>Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB)</i>
FEBRUARY	
2/8-12	<i>EOC Mid-month</i>
2/15	<i>School Data Analysis and Planning</i>
2/22-2/27	<i>Write Score (Grade 9-10)</i>
MARCH	
3/1-3/5	<i>Semester 2: Mid-Semester Checkpoint</i>
3/1-3/5	<i>EOC Mid-month</i>
3/10	<i>Pre ACT/ACT School Day (Grades 9 & 11)</i>
3/15	<i>School Data Analysis and Planning (Recommended)</i>
3/16-3/30	<i>NWEA MAP Growth (Grade 9,10)</i>
3/22-4/20	<i>Georgia Alternate Assessment (Grade 11)</i>
3/22-4/23	<i>STAMP Testing: DLI Students (Grade 9, 10)</i>
3/31	<i>SAT School Day (Grade 11)</i>
APRIL	
4/12-4/23	<i>CTAE EOPA for Students Completing a Career Pathway (Grade 10-12)</i>
4/12-4/16	<i>ACT WORK KEYS (ACCA Only)</i>
4/23-5/19	<i>International Baccalaureate (IB) Exams</i>
4/26-5/7	<i>Georgia Milestones EOC Spring Main Administration</i>
MAY	
5/3-14	<i>Advanced Placement (AP) Exams</i>
JUNE	
6/14-6/21	<i>Georgia Milestones EOC Summer Main Administration</i>

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<i>Bold Dark-Red Italics and Light-Red Fill</i>	College and Career Readiness Assessments

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AUGUST/SEPTEMBER	
8/10-8/14	<i>EOC Mid-month</i>
8/17-8/28	NWEA MAP Growth Testing (Grade 9-10)
8/31-9/4	Mid-Quarter Checkpoint 1
8/31-9/4	Write Score (Grade 9-10)
9/14-9/18	<i>EOC Mid-month</i>
9/21	<i>Student Early Release/ School Data Analysis and Planning (Afternoon)</i> <i>(Recommended)</i>
OCTOBER	
10/5-10/9	<i>EOC Mid-month</i>
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10/12	School Data Analysis and Planning (Recommended)
10/22	<i>PSAT/NMSQT (Grade 10-11)</i>
NOVEMBER/DECEMBER	
11/2-11/6	Mid-Quarter Checkpoint 2
11/2-11/6	Write Score (Grade 9-10)
11/9-11/13	<i>EOC Mid-month</i>
12/7-12/11	<i>CTAE EOPA for Students Completing a Career Pathway (Grade 10-12)</i>
12/7- 12/15	Georgia Milestones EOC Winter Main Administration
JANUARY	
1/4	<i>School Data Analysis and Planning (Recommended)</i>
1/11-2/24	ACCESS for ELLs/Alternate ACCESS (Grade 9-12 ELs)
1/6-1/22	Gifted Evaluation Scales
1/6-2/12	Gifted Eligibility Student Assessment (NGAT and CTC (Grades 9 -10)
1/20– 1/26	<i>EOC Mid-month</i>
1/20-4/15	Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB)
FEBRUARY	
2/1-2/5	Mid-Quarter Checkpoint 1
2/1-2/5	Write Score (Grade 9-10)
2/8-2/12	<i>EOC Mid-month</i>
2/8-2/12	Write Score (Grade 9-10)
2/15	School Data Analysis and Planning (Recommended)
MARCH	
3/1-3/5	<i>EOC Mid-month</i>
3/10	<i>Pre ACT/ACT School Day (Grades (9 & 11)</i>
3/15	<i>Student Early Release/School Data Analysis and Planning (Afternoon)</i> <i>(Recommended)</i>
3/15-3/19	Mid-Quarter Checkpoint 2
3/16-3/30	NWEA MAP Growth (Grade 9,10)
3/22-4/20	Georgia Alternate Assessment 2.0 (Grade 11)
3/22-4/23	STAMP Testing: DLI Students (Grade 9, 10)
3/31	<i>SAT School Day (Grade 11)</i>
APRIL	
4/12-4/16	<i>ACT WORK KEYS (ACCA Only)</i>
4/12-4/30	<i>CTAE EOPA for Students Completing a Career Pathway (Grade 10-12)</i>
4/23-5/19	<i>International Baccalaureate (IB) Exams</i>
4/26-5/7	Georgia Milestones EOC Spring Main Administration
MAY/JUNE	
5/3-5/14	<i>Advanced Placement (AP) Exams</i>
6/14-6/21	Georgia Milestones EOC Summer Main Administration

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Light-Yellow Fill	District Mid-Quarter Checkpoints
<i>Dark-Red Italics and Light-Red Fill</i>	College and Career Readiness Assessments

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