RTSD Elementary Assessment Calendar
2026-2027

Month	Grade(s)	Assessment	Window/Date(s)	Estimated Time
September - October	1-5	Star Reading and Star Math	September 22 – October 9, 2026	Approximately 15-25 minutes for each subject
September - October	K-5	Acadience Reading and Math	September 22 – October 9, 2026	3-28 minutes
September – October	1-5	Qualitative Spelling Inventory	September 22 – October 9, 2026	Approximately 15-20 minutes
January	1-5	Star Reading and Star Math	January 11 – 27, 2027	Approximately 15-25 minutes for each subject
January	K-5	Acadience Reading and Math	January 11 – 27, 2027	3-28 minutes
January	1-5	Qualitative Spelling Inventory	January 11 – 27, 2027	Approximately 15-20 minutes
January	5	Classroom Diagnostic Tools (CDT) – Science	January 11 – 27, 2027	Approximately 1 hour
January - February	EL students only	ACCESS	January 4 – February 19, 2027 *Look for communication from school via ELL teacher*	Approximately 4 hours (45 minutes for K students)
March	5 as needed	Star Math	March 5 - 16, 2027	Approximately 15-25 minutes
April	3-5	PSSA English Language Arts	April 26- 30, 2027	Approximately 4 hours
May	3-5	PSSA Mathematics	May 3-7, 2027	Approximately 3 hours
May	5	PSSA Science	May 3-7, 2027	Approximately 2 hours
May	1-4 5 as needed	Star Math	May 12 – 28, 2027	Approximately 15-25 minutes
May	1-5	Star Reading	May 12 – 28, 2027	Approximately 15-25 minutes
May	K-5	Acadience Reading and Math	May 12 – 28, 2027	3-28 minutes
May	1-5	Qualitative Spelling Inventory	May 12 – 28, 2027	Approximately 15-20 minutes

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May	4	Classroom Diagnostic Tools (CDT) – Science	May 12 – 28, 2027	Approximately 1 hour
May	4-5 (Eligible math students only)	Math Placement Tests	May 2027 *Look for communication from school*	Approximately 90 minutes each

Required State Assessments

Locally Administered Assessment used to monitor student learning and inform instructional decision making

Note: Some students may take additional assessments for specific purposes such as progress monitoring.