



Nevada Department of Education

Accountability Assessment Calendar for the 2020-2021 School Year

| Student Assessments – All Students | Grades | Testing Windows |
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| Smarter Balanced Summative Assessment English Language Arts and Mathematics | 3 – 8 | February 18 – May 19 |
| Science Assessments | 5, 8, and high school | February 18 – May 19 |
| ACT – College & Career Readiness Assessment English, Mathematics, Reading, Science, & Writing | 11 | <p><i>Paper/Pencil:</i> February 23 <i>w/Accommodations:</i> February 23-26; March 1-5 <i>Online:</i> February 23-25; March 2-4</p> <p><i>Paper/Pencil Makeup:</i> March 9 <i>Accommodated Makeup:</i> March 9-12, March 15-19 <i>Online Makeup:</i> March 9-11, March 16-18</p> |
| BRIGANCE Early Childhood Screen III Intake & Diagnostic Screener for RBG3 Literacy Readiness | Pre-K K | <p><i>2 testing seasons: Fall & Spring</i> No earlier than 15 calendar days prior to the start of school or within 45 instructional days of the start of the school year; AND within the last 30 instructional days or upon student exit.</p> <p><i>Intake assessment:</i> No earlier than 15 calendar days prior to the start of school or within 45 instructional days of the start of the school year.</p> <p><i>Students in COVID-19 Distance Learning:</i> The Brigance cannot be administered online. For those children who are 100% distance learning, the requirement of the Brigance Early Childhood Screen III is waived.</p> |
| NWEA Measures of Academic Progress (MAP) Growth Reading MAP Growth Reading K-2 MAP Growth Reading K-2 MAP Growth Reading 2-5 | K 1 2-3 | <p><i>2 Testing Seasons: Winter & Spring:</i> Nov. 16 – Feb. 19; Mar. 8 – May 28</p> <p><i>3 Testing Seasons: Fall, Winter, & Spring:</i> Aug. 17 – Oct. 29; Nov. 16 – Feb. 19; Mar. 8 – May 28</p> <p><i>3 Testing Seasons: Fall, Winter & Spring:</i> Aug. 17 – Oct. 29; Nov. 16 – Feb. 19; Mar. 8 – May 28</p> |



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| Student Assessments – Select Populations | Grades | Testing Windows |
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| NAA – Nevada Alternate Assessment English Language Arts & Mathematics Alternate Assessments Science Alternate Assessment | 3-8, 11 | February 18 – May 19 |
| | 5, 8, 11 | February 18 – May 19 |
| WIDA – Students Identified as English Learners English Language Proficiency Assessment in Speaking, Listening, Reading, and Writing | K | January 4 – April 2 |
| | 1-12 | January 19 – April 2 |
| CTE – Career & Technical Education Workplace Readiness Skills & End-of-Program Technical Skills | CTE Program Completers | <i>Fall Testing</i> September 21 – October 16 <i>Winter Testing:</i> October 26 – November 20 Retake December 7 – December 18 <i>Spring Testing:</i> February 16 – March 26 Retake April 12 – April 30 |
| NAEP – National Assessment of Educational Progress Mathematics and Reading Assessments | 4 and 8 Selected students from selected schools | Principals at schools selected to participate will receive notice to register for NAEP and submit an assessment date between January 25 – March 19. See the National Assessment Governing Board website for more information. |