

Kingsland Public Schools

Testing Calendar – SY2022-2023

Updated: 20220729

Date(s)	Assessment	Grade Level	Reason Given (Requirement) / [Estimated time per student]
TBD	ACCUPLACER (Optional)	10-12	National assessment (College). Used as part of an admission requirement for Riverland (CIS courses). It measures academic skills in reading, sentence skills and math. [60-minutes]
September	FastBridge (aReading/aMath)	K-6	National assessment (Local). The results provide teachers information needed to improve teaching and learning. The data collected in reading and mathematics can be used to target instructional strategies towards the achievement of state standards. [60-minutes]
November	ASVAB	11	National assessment (Local). The ASVAB is provided through the Department of Defense, and can be used in multiple ways. The results help students interpret their strengths from the interest inventory and to identify areas where they may have an aptitude. Some students will also use the program results to provide focus for their college major. [90-minutes]
January 16-20	1 st Semester Finals	7-12	Teacher assessment (Local). Used to determine if students understood key concepts of knowledge and processes explored during the semester. [Varies by grade]
January	FastBridge (aReading/aMath)	K-6	National assessment (Local). The results provide teachers information needed to improve teaching and learning. The data collected in reading and mathematics can be used to target instructional strategies towards the achievement of state standards. [60-minutes]
January 23-March 17	ACCESS	K-12	State assessment (State). Administered to English learners in order to measure progress toward meeting Minnesota's standards for English language development
March	ACT Plus Writing	11	National assessment (State). Used to determine college entrance. Not required for a diploma, but must be offered the opportunity to take the exam. [240-minutes]
March 6-May 7	MCA Reading and Mathematics	3-8 & 10-11	State assessment (State). Used to determine if students have mastered the state reading and mathematics standards. It is also used to determine quality of education provided by the school. [180-minutes]
March 8-May 5	MTAS Reading, Mathematics and Science	3-8 & 10-11	State assessment (State). The MTAS is an alternative assessment for those students with the most significant cognitive disabilities. [120-minutes]
March 8-May 13	MCA Science	5, 8 & 10	State assessment (State). Used to determine if students have mastered the state science standards. It is also used to determine quality of education provided by the school. [90-minutes]
May	FastBridge (aReading/aMath)	K-6	National assessment (Local). The results provide teachers information needed to improve teaching and learning. The data collected in reading and mathematics can be used to target instructional strategies towards the achievement of state standards. [60-minutes]
May 30-June 1	2 nd Semester Finals	7-12	Teacher assessment (Local). Used to determine if students understood key concepts of knowledge and processes explored during the semester. [Varies by grade]