

WSS Assessment Calendar

Assessment	Grades Assessed	Assessment Dates	Function	
NWEA MAP Growth - Fall	K-8	9/18/18-9/20/18	NWEA MAP Growth is a widely-used set of assessments used to gauge student proficiency and growth in reading and math against a set of national norms. The fall administration provides baseline data.	
Interim Assessments - Quarter 1	K-8	10/16/18-10/17/18	Interim assessments are given to students quarterly leading up to the MCAs to gauge progress towards standard mastery in reading and math.	
NWEA Map Growth - Winter	K-8	1/15/19-1/17/19	NWEA MAP Growth is a widely-used set of assessments used to gauge student proficiency and growth in reading and math against a set of national norms.	
Interim Assessments - Quarter 2	K-8	1/22/19-1/23/19	Interim assessments are given to students quarterly leading up to the MCAs to gauge progress towards standard mastery in reading and math.	
ACCESS	K-8 English Learners	2/7/19-2/14/19	ACCESS is an annual, state-required assessment for all students identified as English learners that assesses reading, writing, listening and speaking.	
Interim Assessments - Quarter 3	K-8	2/27/19-2/28/19	Interim assessments are given to students quarterly leading up to the MCAs to gauge progress towards standard mastery in reading and math.	
MCA Reading / MTAS	3-4	4/16/19-4/17/19	The Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments (MCA) and alternate assessment Minnesota Test of Academic Skills (MTAS) are the state tests that help schools measure student progress toward Minnesota's academic standards. These assessments also meet federal and state legislative requirements.	
	5-8	4/17/19-4/18/19		
MCA Math	3-4	4/23/19-4/24/19		
	5-8	4/24/19-4/25/19		
MCA Science	5th, 8th	4/30/19-5/1/19		
MCA Makeup Testing	3-8	4/29/19-5/3/19		
NWEA Map Growth - Spring	K-8	5/28/19-5/30/19		NWEA MAP Growth is a widely-used set of assessments used to gauge student proficiency and growth in reading and math against a set of national norms.