



# Testing Calendar



2005-06

Year Round Calendar Schools

Department of Evaluation and Research

Dates				Test	Grade Levels	Req. by
Track 1	Track 2	Track 3	Track 4			
On-Going				Literacy and Math Assessments	Grades K-5	Local/State
On-Going				IPT initial testing (select students)	Grades K-12	Federal
July		August		Kindergarten Initial Assessment	Kindergarten	Local
July 18 - 22		Aug. 8 - 12		Grade 3 Pretest	Grade 3	State
October				Mock Writing Assessment	Grades 4, 5, 7, 8 and 10 <sup>Ⓢ</sup>	Local
Oct.3 - Oct. 21		Oct. 24 - Nov. 4		Computer Skills	Grade 8 <sup>Ⓢ</sup>	State
Oct. 3 - 14		Oct. 31 – Nov. 10		Screening test for AG – all students (Aptitude)	Grade 3	State
<b>Winter Break (December 21 - January 2)</b>						
Determined by NAEP				NAEP (at schools selected by NAEP)	Grades 4 and 8	Federal
Feb. 6 - 24	March 6 - 10	Feb. 13 - March 3	Feb. 6 - Feb. 24	Computer Skills	Grade 8 <sup>Ⓢ</sup>	State
February 1 – April 29				IPT annual testing (select students)		Federal
TBD by NCDPI	March 7			Writing Assessment	Grades 4 and 7	State
TBD by NCDPI	March 7			Writing Assessment (selected students)	Grades 5 and 8	State
April 3 - 7	March 20 - 24			Screening test for AG – select students (Achievement)	Grade 3	State
April - June				Literacy and Math Assessments	Grades K - 5	Local/State
May 15 - 19	June 12 - 16			End-of-Grade	Grades 3 – 8	State
May 23 - 26	June 20 - 23			Retest 1	Grades 3 – 8	State
Last 2 weeks of course				End-of-Course	By Course	State

<sup>Ⓢ</sup> All grade 8 students and high school students who have not passed the graduation requirement for computer proficiency

<sup>Ⓢ</sup> Subject to funding

- ▶ It is the policy of the WCPSS Testing Office to be sensitive to religious and national holidays when scheduling testing. Where feasible, we have avoided scheduling testing on holidays.
- ▶ There is a 10 (ten) day make-up window for all state tests.