

WAKE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM
Testing Calendar
For Schools on the Multi-Track, Year-Round Calendar

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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 19 - 23			Aug. 9 – 13	Grade 3 Pretest	Grade 3	State
October				Mock Writing Assessment	Grades 4, 5, 7, 8 and 10 ^⓪	Local
Oct. 11 - Oct. 29		Oct. 4 - Oct. 15	Oct. 25 – Nov. 5	Computer Skills	Grade 8 ^⓪	State
Oct. 25 - Oct. 29		Oct. 4 - Oct. 8	Nov. 29 – Dec. 3	CogAT	Grade 3	State
Nov. 1 - Nov. 5		Oct. 11 - Oct. 15	Dec. 6 – Dec. 10	ITBS	Grade 3	State
Winter Break (December 23- January 1)						
Determined by NAEP				NAEP (at schools selected by NAEP)	Grades 4 and 8	Federal
Feb. 7 – Feb. 25	Feb. 7 – Feb. 11	Feb. 14 – March 4	Feb. 7 – Feb. 25	Computer Skills	Grade 8 ^⓪	State
February 1 – April 29				IPT annual testing (select students)		Federal
March 1	March 9	March 1		Writing Assessment	Grades 4 and 7	State
March 1	March 9	March 1		Writing Assessment (selected students)	Grades 5 and 8	State
April - June				Literacy and Math Assessments	Grades K - 5	Local/State
May 23 – May 27	June 13 – June 17			End-of-Grade	Grades 3 – 8	State
May 31 – June 3	June 20 – June 24			Retest 1	Grades 3 – 8	State
Last 2 weeks of course				End-of-Course	By Course	State

^⓪ All grade 8 students and high school students who have not passed the graduation requirement for computer proficiency

^⓪ 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.