

# 2019-2020 Assessment Windows

Federal/State Test	Testing Whom?	Dates	Testing Time
<a href="#">CMAS<sup>1</sup> English Language Arts</a>	All Students Gr 3-8	Official Window: April 6-24, 2020 - Paper-based testing March 30- April 24, 2020 Computer-based testing	Grades 3-5: 3 units @ 90 min each Grades 6-8: 3 units @ 110 min each
<a href="#">CMAS<sup>1</sup> Math</a>	All Students Gr 3-8	Official Window: April 6-24, 2020 - Paper-based testing March 30- April 24, 2020 Computer-based testing	Grades 3-8: 3 units @ 65 min each
<b>DLM<sup>2</sup> ELA and Math</b>	Students with a cognitive disability	Official Window: March 30- April 24, 2020 - Paper-based testing March 30- April 24, 2020 Computer-based testing	Untimed. The testlets are individualized based on student need.
<a href="#">CMAS<sup>1</sup> Science<sup>3</sup></a>	5, 8 and 11 (Science)	April 6-24, 2020	Grades 5 & 8: 3 units @ 80 min each Grade 11 Science: 3 units @ 50 min each
<a href="#">CMAS<sup>1</sup> Social Studies<sup>4</sup></a>	Selected Schools- TBD	No schools tested this year	3 units @ 80 min each
<b>CoAlt<sup>3</sup> Science and Social Studies</b>	Students with a cognitive disability Science- Grade 5,8,11 Social Studies-TBD	April 6-24, 2020	Untimed. The test is oral and individualized.
<a href="#">PSAT</a>	9th & 10 <sup>th</sup> Grade	<b>District choice for initial test date:</b> April 14, 15, or 16, 2020 <b>Accommodations window:</b> April 14 – 21, 2020 <b>Make-up testing window:</b> April 28 or 29, 2020	Timed. Generally 4 hours
<a href="#">SAT</a>	11 <sup>th</sup> Grade	<b>Initial test date:</b> April 14, 2020 <b>Accommodations window:</b> April 14 – 17, 2020 <b>Make-up test date:</b> April 28, 2020	Timed. Generally 4 hours

<a href="#">ACCESS (WIDA)</a>	English Language Acquisition Assessment for ELL identified students, K-12	January 13 – February 14, 2020	
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Local Tests		BOY	MOY	EOY
<a href="#">Dibels</a> <sup>4</sup>	All students Gr k-5	8/26-8/29	1/13-1/16	4/27-4/30
<a href="#">NWEA</a> <sup>5</sup>	All Students Gr. K-4  5-8 / HEA/ Crest/ SHS 9th and 10th grade only	September 10-30, 2019	Intervention Students Only December 4-January 31,2019	All Schools: April 23– May 27, 2018
<a href="#">Moby Max</a>	Intervention Only or as needed	On-going	On-going	On-going
<a href="#">EasyCBM</a>	Intervention only or as needed	On-going	On-going	On-going
<a href="#">CogAT</a>	Gifted and Talented Screener- all students in the 3rd grade	Fall Administration	NA	NA
<a href="#">N-NAT-2</a>	Gifted and talented Screener- all students in the 2nd grade and 6th grade	Spring Administration	NA	NA

All Federal and State mandated tests require a 95% participation rate, or face penalties, such as loss of funding and drop in accreditation rating. **Parents have the decision making power to opt their child out of tests, but districts are still held negatively responsible for those home decisions. To opt your child out of testing, please contact your child’s principal and make an appointment to discuss this option.**

<sup>1</sup>**CMAS** is an acronym standing for “Colorado Measures of Academic Success”.

<sup>2</sup>**Dynamic Learning Maps:** Students with a cognitive disability. The assessment is only for qualifying students as a part of their Individualized Education Plan and takes the place of the following assessments: Grades 3-8 in English Language Arts and Math; PSAT9/10; SAT11

**CoAlt<sup>3</sup> Science and Social Studies:** Colorado Alternative Assessment. This assessment is only for qualifying students as a part of their Individualized Education Plan and takes the place of the following assessments: Science Grade 5,8, & 11; Social Studies- SMS, Grade 7 only.**Dibels**<sup>4</sup> This test is required in earlier grades to determine students reading ability and is utilized through 5<sup>th</sup> grade to inform instructional choices and student support.

**NWEA**<sup>5</sup> This test is given at SMS for grades 5-8 and at Crest and HEA as an interim assessment to monitor student progress. It is also referred to as MAPs (Measures of Academic Progress). This test is also occasionally given to students at other schools as an additional measure when needed.