



SY2023 Assessment Calendar

QUARTER 1			Grade 6, 7 & 8
Test Windows	Test	Students	Purpose
Aug 8 - Aug 26	iReady Reading & Math Diagnostic Screener	K-8th Grade	Provides information about student skill levels and growth so that teachers can make informed instructional decisions for student achievement
Aug 8 - Aug 26	HMH Growth Measure	3-12th Grade	Measures the student's reading comprehension skills to provide a Lexile measure which can be used to monitor growth through the year

Quarter 2			Grade 6, 7, & 8
Test Windows	Test	Students	Purpose
Oct 12	PSAT	10th Grade Students Select other students	Measures Math and Evidence-Based Reading and Writing to be used as a preliminary test to the SAT which is used for college admissions
Nov 7-Nov 18	Writing Assesslets	3rd-8th Grade	Measures progress toward mastery in one of 3 genres in writing (narrative, informational, opinion/argumentative writing)
Nov 28 -Dec 09	iReady Reading & Math Diagnostic Screener	K-8th Grade	Provides information about student skill levels and growth so that teachers can make informed instructional decisions for student achievement
Nov 28 -Dec 09	HMH Growth Measure	3rd-12th Grade	Measures the student's reading comprehension skills to provide a Lexile measure which can be used to monitor growth through the year

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Quarter 3		Grade 6, 7 & 8	
Test Windows	Test	Division	Purpose
Jan 11-Mar 3	ACCESS & Alt ACCESS for ELs	K-12 students identified as English Learners	Determine English proficiency in the areas of speaking, listening, reading and writing
Feb 13 - Mar 3	Writing Assesslets	3rd—8th Grade	Measures progress toward mastery in one of 3 genres in writing (narrative, informational, opinion/argumentative writing)

Quarter 4		Grade 6, 7, & 8	
Test Windows	Test	Students	Purpose
Mar 20 – Mar 31	iReady Reading & Math Diagnostic Screener	3rd-8th Grade	Provides information about student skill levels and growth so that teachers can make informed instructional decisions for student achievement
Mar 27-May 5	Georgia Alternate Assessment 2.0 (GAA 2.0)	3rd-8th & 11th grade students with significant cognitive disabilities	Provides meaningful information about classroom instruction and identifies students' areas of strength and improvement
May 1-May 09 See GMAS Schedule	Spring End of Grade (EOG)	3rd-8th Grade	Measures knowledge and skills outlined in the state-adopted content standards in English language arts, mathematics, science, and social studies.
May 2-May 11 See GMAS Schedule	Spring End of Course (EOC)	Students enrolled in American Lit, Algebra, Biology or US History	Measures knowledge and skills outlined in the state-adopted content standards in English language arts, mathematics, science, and social studies.
May 8-May 19	HMH Growth Measure	3rd-12th Grade	Measures the student's reading comprehension skills to provide a Lexile measure which can be used to monitor growth through the year
June—to be determined	Retest EOG and Summer EOC	Select Students	To be determined retest opportunity for students in grades 3, 5, 8 and select high school courses