

2023-2024 Testing Calendar

Norman County East School District

DATE	TEST/SUBJECT	GRADE LEVEL	PURPOSE	TIME
3/4/24-3/8/24	ACCESS for ELL's	1-12	See Below	Listening 65 minutes Reading 60 minutes Speaking 50 minutes Writing 70-90 minutes
2/26/24-3/1/24	Alternate ACCESS	1-12	See Below	Listening 30 minutes Reading 30 minutes Speaking 30 minutes Writing 30 minutes
April 9, 2024	ACT-no writing	11 (optional)	College and Career Readiness	4.5 hours
March 25-29, 2024	MTAS	Individualized	See below	Reading 30-60 Minutes Math 20-40 Minutes Science 60-90 Minutes
April 15-18, 2024	MCA Reading	Grades 3-6	See below	1-2.5 hours
April 22-25, 2024	MCA Math	Grades 3-6	See below	1-2.5 hours
April 30 - May 1 2024	MCA Science	Grade 5	See below	.5-1.5 hours
April 15-16, 2024	MCA Reading	7, 8 and 10	See below	1-2.5 hours
April 22-23, 2024	MCA Math	7, 8 and 11	See below	1-2.5 hours
May 1-2, 2024	MCA Science	Grade 8 and 10	See below	.5-1.5 hours

MCA: Minnesota Comprehensive Assessment MTAS: Minnesota Test of Academic Skills

PURPOSE: The Minnesota Comprehensive Assessment (MCA) and Minnesota Test of Academic Skills (MTAS) are reading, mathematics, and science standards

based assessments that measure student learning of the Minnesota Academic Standards. These assessments are used to meet federal and state legislative requirements. Most students take the MCA, but students who receive special education services and meet the MTAS eligibility requirements may take the MTAS instead.

The primary purpose of the English language proficiency accountability assessments is to measure progress towards meeting the WIDA English Language Development Standards. The WIDA English Language Development Standards represent the social, instructional, and academic language that students need to engage with peers, educators, and their school curriculum

ACT Test results will be mailed to students within 6-8 weeks following the exam.

MCA and MTAS Individual Student Test Results will be mailed to families in Fall 2023.