## 2023 - 2024 Testing Schedule

# **LPA Secondary School Testing Schedule**

# 10/24/2023: PSAT/NMSQT (Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test): The PSAT assesses the Critical Reading, Writing, and Math. Offered to 11th graders. (approximately 3.5 hours) Score reports are available online when the College Board releases them to students. Students will receive an email from the College Board with an

access code to view their scores in their College Board account.

#### 10/26/2023: ASVAB (Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery)

The ASVAB is a multiple-aptitude battery that measures developed abilities and helps predict future academic and occupations success. It is offered to all 11th graders for the Career Exploration Program component. (approximately 3 hours) Students will receive their score reports in November.

#### **03/20/2024: ACT** (3 - 4 hours)

The American College Testing is a college entrance exam that assesses Math, Reading, English, Science, and Writing. The ACT is accepted by all four-year universities and colleges in the U.S. Score reports are available 4-6 weeks after testing. The test will be offered to 11th graders.

### **04/04/2024 - 04/05/2024: MCA Reading 7th Grade** (1 - 2.5 hours)

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#### 04/09/2024 - 04/11/2024: MCA Reading 8th Grade (1 - 2.5 hours)

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#### **04/16/2024: MCA Reading 10th Grade (1 - 2.5 hours)**

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#### **04/18/2024:** MCA Math 11th Grade (1 - 2 hours)

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#### **04/22/2024 - 04/25/2023: MCA Math 7th Grade** (1 - 2.5 hours)

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#### 04/22/2024 - 04/25/2024: MCA Math 8th Grade (1 - 2.5 hours)

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#### **04/29/2024: MCA Science High School** (.5 - 1.5 hours)

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#### **04/30/2024:** MCA Science 8th Grade (.5 - 1.5 hours)

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## 05/08/2024: AP English Literature and Composition Exam (approximately 3 hours)

AP Exams measure achievement in the AP Course. The scores can be used by college and universities to determine if they will grant students credit for what they've already learned, or allow you to skip the equivalent course once you get to college. AP scores are available in July.