

## **Nevada Department of Education** Accountability Assessment Calendar for the 2020-2021 School Year

Student Assessments – All Students	Grades	Testing Windows
Smarter Balanced Summative Assessment English Language Arts and Mathematics	3 – 8	February 18 – May 19
Science Assessments	5, 8, and high school	February 18 – May 19
ACT – College & Career Readiness Assessment English, Mathematics, Reading, Science, & Writing	11	Paper/Pencil: February 23; Make-up: March 9 w/Accommodations: February 23-26; March 1-5 Online: February 23-25; March 2-4
Brigance Early Childhood Screen III Intake & Diagnostic Screener for RBG3 Literacy Readiness	Pre-K	2 testing seasons: Fall & Spring No earlier than 15 calendar days prior to the start of school or within 45 instructional days of the start of the school year; AND within the last 30 instructional days or upon student exit.
	K	Intake assessment:  No earlier than 15 calendar days prior to the start of school or within 45 instructional days of the start of the school year.
		Students in COVID-19 Distance Learning:  The Brigance cannot be administered online. For those children who are 100% distance learning, the requirement of the Brigance Early Childhood Screen III is waived.
NWEA Measures of Academic Progress (MAP) Growth Reading Map Growth Reading K-2	K	2 Testing Seasons: Winter & Spring: Nov. 16 – Feb. 19; Mar. 8 – May 28
Map Growth Reading K-2	1	3 Testing Seasons: Fall, Winter, & Spring: Aug. 17 – Oct. 29; Nov. 16 – Feb. 19; Mar. 8 – May 28
Map Growth Reading 3-5	2-3	3 Testing Seasons: Fall, Winter & Spring: Aug. 17 – Oct. 29; Nov. 16 – Feb. 19; Mar. 8 – May 28



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Student Assessments – Select Populations	Grades	Testing Windows
NAA – Nevada Alternate Assessment English Language Arts & Mathematics Alternate Assessments Science Alternate Assessment	3-8, 11 5, 8, 11	February 18 – May 19 February 18 – May 19
WIDA – Students Identified as English Learners English Language Proficiency Assessment in Speaking, Listening, Reading, and Writing	K 1-12	January 4 – February 26 January 19 – February 26
CTE – Career & Technical Education Workplace Readiness Skills & End-of-Program Technical Skills	CTE Program Completers	Fall Testing September 21 – October 26 Winter Testing: October 26 – November 20 Retake December 7 – December 18 Spring Testing: February 16 – March 26 Retake April 12 – April 30
NAEP – National Assessment of Educational Progress Long-Term Trend in Mathematics and Reading	4 and 8 Selected students from selected schools	Principals at schools selected to participate will receive notice to register for NAEP and the assessment date. See the National Assessment Governing Board website for more information.