

K-12 Testing Calendar KW Schools 2017-18

September 2017 (Fall)						
Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	S
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October 2017						
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November 2017						
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December 2017						
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January 2018 (Winter)						
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February 2018						
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March 2018						
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April 2018						
Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	S
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May 2018 (Spring)						
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- Benchmark Testing Window, K-8+
- Benchmark Make-Up Window closes, K-8+
- ACCESS & Alternate ACCESS testing, K-12
- ACCESS & Alternate ACCESS Window closes, K-12
- MCA Testing Window Closes

- STAR Progress Monitoring Window, Grades 1-6
- MCA & MTAS Testing, Grades 3-8, 10, 11
- MCA & MTAS Window Opens
- ACT Plus Writing, ASVAB, ACCUPLACER, 11th grade
- AP Testing

MCA Details

March 27-30: Grade 3 Reading MCA

April 10-13: Grades 4-6 Reading MCA

April 11-12: Grade 10 Reading MCA

April 17-19: Grades 7-8 Reading MCA

April 17-20: Grades 3 Math MCA

April 24-26: Grades 4-6 Math MCA

April 25-26: Grade 11 Math MCA

May 1-2: Grades 7-8 Math MCA

May 2-4: Grade 5 Science MCA

May 8-9: Grade 8 Science MCA

May 9-10: Grade 10 Science MCA

Kenyon-Wanamingo Schools 2017-2018 Assessments

Assessment	Grades	Dates	Purpose	Estimated Testing Time	Timeline for Disseminating Results
Benchmark Testing (FAST Bridge & AIMSweb) Reading & Math	K-8+	September 11-26 January 8-17	To inform teachers, student, and parent of growth, weaknesses, and strengths Gives idea of where exactly student is in that content area	Reading: 25 minutes Math: 25 minutes	November Conferences
STAR Literacy	1-8	October 23-27 March 12-16	To inform teachers, student, and parent of growth, weaknesses, and strengths Gives idea of where exactly student is in that content area	50 minutes	November Conferences
MCA (Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments) MTAS	Reading 3-8, 10 Math 3-8, 11 Science 5, 8, 10	March 27-April 19 April 17-May 2 May 2-10	To measure student progress toward Minnesota's academic standards and meet the requirements of the federal Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA). More information can be found here http://education.state.mn.us/MDE/dse/test/mn/	Reading: 2.5-3.5 hours Math: 1.5-2.5hours Science: 1.75-2 hours	November Conferences
ACCESS for English Language Learners	K-12	Jan. 29-February 16	To measure a student's progress towards meeting the WIDA English Language Development (ELD) Standards (for English language proficiency accountability assessments). More information can be found here: http://education.state.mn.us/MDE/fam/tests/	3 hours	November Conferences
ACT Plus Writing	11	April 3 rd	To measure writing skills, college readiness in math, English, science, and reading More test information is available at www.actstudent.org	4.5 hours	6-8 weeks after testing

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College/Post-Secondary entrance exam					
ASVAB College/Post-Secondary entrance exam	11	April 3 rd	To determine eligibility for enlistment in the Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps; the score is used to determine the best job for you in the military. More information is available at http://official-asvab.com/	2.5 hours	2-3 weeks
ACCUPLACER College/Post-Secondary entrance exam	11	April 3 rd	To measure student ability in preparation for education at a two-year or technical school. The results will show whether students are prepared for college-level courses in each specific test subject area. More information is available at https://accuplacer.collegeboard.org/students	1 hour	Immediately after testing
AP Tests Advanced Placement tests	10-12	May 7-18	Students take the AP exam after they have completed the AP course in order to determine whether they have mastered enough of the content to obtain college credit in that subject area.	2-3.5 hours	Students get their scores back in July

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