SCS Assessment Calendar 2020-2021

| District or State Mandated Assessment | Test Administration Window | Assessment | Participants/Brief Description | Testing Method |
|--|---|--|--|--|
| District Pre-K Initial Assessment | Within first 45 days of enrollment | Brigance | Students entering pre-kindergarten | Paper |
| District Intervention Program Diagnostic Assessment | Aug. 31 - Sep. 18, 2020 | Edgenuity | Students in grades 9-12, receiving RTI ² intervention, will participate in the Edgenuity placement exam. The Edgenuity placement exam should be completed by September 18 to ensure adequate pacing for fall semester coursework. | Online |
| District Intervention Program Diagnostic Assessment | Aug. 31 - Sep. 25, 2020 | i-Ready | All students in grades K-8 will participate in the i-Ready diagnostic. | Online |
| District MasteryConnect Comprehensive Diagnostic | Sep. 21 - Oct. 2, 2020 | MasteryConnect | Grades 1 -8 and HS students enrolled in EOC-tested courses will take assessments in ELA, Math and Science in order to provide baseline data on mastery of standards from the previous year. | Online |
| State Mandated | Sep. 22, 2020 | ACT- Seniors | Eligible seniors will be tested at their high school during the regular school day. | Paper |
| State Mandated | Sep. 22-25 & Sep. 28-Oct. 2 OR Oct. 6-9 OR Oct. 20-23 & 26, 2020 | ACT with Accommodations - Seniors | Seniors that are eligible for ACT-approved accommodations will take the ACT during the accommodations window. | Paper |
| State Mandated (RTI ²): Universal Screener* | Oct. 5 - 30, 2020 | Illuminate FastBridge/ Characteristics of Dyslexia | Grades K-5 will participate in skills-based reading and math screening assessments. Students targeted for characteristics of dyslexia will also be administered the additional dyslexia specific assessments. | Online |
| State Mandated | Oct. 6 or Oct. 20, 2020 | ACT Make-up- Seniors | Eligible seniors who did not test on Sep. 22 may be tested at their high school during the regular school day. | Paper |
| Not Required | Oct. 17 or Oct. 29, 2020 | PSAT 11th Grade | 11th grade students may participate in this assessment. Pre-registration is necessary. | Paper |
| District Common Formative Assessment 1 | Nov. 16 - Dec. 11, 2020 | MasteryConnect | Grades K-8 and HS students enrolled in EOC-tested courses will take standards-based assessments in ELA, math, and science. | Online |
| State Mandated (High School <u>Block</u> <u>Schedule Only</u>) | Nov. 30 - Dec. 17, 2020 | TCAP End of Course: <u>Fal</u> l <u>Block</u> <u>Only</u> | Only students scheduled to complete English I or II, Algebra I or II, Geometry, Biology, or U.S. History in December will take these assessments. | Paper |
| Not Required | January - May 2021 | ASVAB | Reading, math, and science are assessed in 11th and 12th graders. | Paper |
| District Intervention Program Diagnostic Assessment 2 | January 11-29, 2021 | i-Ready | All students in grades K-8 will participate in the i-Ready diagnostic. | Online |
| Not Required | January 26, 2021 | PSAT 11th Grade | 11th grade students who did not participate in October may participate in this assessment. Pre-registration is necessary. | Paper |
| State Mandated | Feb. 2 - Mar. 26, 2021 | WIDA ACCESS for ELs | All English language learners in K-12 are assessed in reading, math, science, and social studies. | Paper and Online based on tested grade level |
| State Mandated | Mar. 2, 2021 | ACT | ACT for 11th grade students | Paper |
| State Mandated | Mar. 2-5, Mar. 8-12, OR Mar. 16-19, Mar. 22-26 OR Apr. 5-9, 2021 | ACT with Accommodations | 11th graders who are eligible for ACT-approved accommodations will take the ACT during one of the accommodations windows. | Paper |

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| District Common Formative Assessment 2 | Mar. 8-19, 2021 | MasteryConnect | Grades K-8 and HS students enrolled in EOC-tested courses will take standards-based assessments in ELA, math, and science. | Online |
| State Mandated | Mar. 15 - May 14, 2021 | TCAP Alternate Assessments | Some students in grades 3-11 with significant cognitive disabilities take the alternate assessments in English language arts and math (MSAA); and science and social studies (TCAP ALT) instead of the regular TCAP assessments. | Paper and Online |
| District | Mar. 15 - May 14, 2021 | Grade 2 TCAP ALT Assessment | The Tennessee Department of Education provides a 2nd grade alternate test for students with significant cognitive disabilities. | Paper |
| State Mandated | Mar. 16, 2021 | ACT Make-up | ACT make-up day for 11th grade students | Paper |
| District 9th Grade PSAT | Mar. 23, 2021 | PSAT 9th | All 9th grade students in district-managed schools will take the PSAT 8/9. | Paper |
| State Mandated (RTI ²): Universal Screener 2/Dyslexia Screening* | Apr. 5-23, 2021 | Illuminate FastBridge/ Characteristics of Dyslexia Screening | Grades K-8 will participate in skills-based reading and math screening assessments. Students in grades 9-12 identified through the Early Warning System will also participate in skills-based reading and math assessments. Additional assessments targeting characteristics of dyslexia will be administered to students in grades 6-12. | Online |
| State Mandated | Apr. 12 - May 6, 2021 | State-Wide Dual Credit Challenge Exams | Challenge exams are required for students participating in state-wide dual credit courses. | Online |
| District | Apr. 29 - May 21, 2021 | International Baccalaureate (IB) Exams | Students enrolled in IB classes will take IB exams | Paper |
| State Mandated | May 3 - 26, 2021 | TCAP Grades 3-8 | Student in grades 3-8 will take state-mandated assessments in English language arts, math, and science. Grades 6-8 will also take social studies assessments. | Paper |
| State Mandated | May 3 - 26, 2021 | TCAP End of Course | Students scheduled to complete English I or II, Algebra I or II, Geometry, U.S. History, or Biology will take these assessments. | Paper |
| District | May 3 - 26, 2021 | TCAP Grade 2 Assessment | The Tennessee Department of Education provides a 2nd grade test that assesses English language arts and math. | Paper |
| District | May 3 - 14, 2021 | Advanced Placement | Students enrolled in AP classes will take AP exams. | Paper |
| District Intervention Program Diagnostic Assessment 3 | June 1– 16, 2021 | i-Ready | All students in grades K-8 will participate in the i-Ready diagnostic. | Online |

^{*}Charter schools must participate in state-mandated assessments. However, in the case of state mandated RTI² assessments, although charter schools must participate in the RTI² process, they are not required to use the same RTI² assessments as the district. Also, charter schools are not required to participate in assessments that are mandated by the district but not the state.

Calendar details subject to change during the year due to COVID-19