

Maple Lake Publis Schools Testing Calendar 2016-2017

BUILDING	GRADE(S)	TEST	SUBJECT	TESTING DATE(S)	APPROXIMATE TESTING TIME	PURPOSE	RESULTS DISSEMINATION
HS	7 & 8	NWEA	Math	Sept. 14, 2016	90 minutes	Fall testing is used to provide a baseline to measure against spring results to see student growth.	Results are available immediately for classroom teachers to identify areas of concern and celebration.
HS	7 & 8	NWEA	Reading	Sept. 16, 2016	90 minutes	Fall testing is used to provide a baseline to measure against spring results to see student growth.	Results are available immediately for classroom teachers to identify areas of concern and celebration.
HS	11	ACT plus writing	English, math, reading, science, and writing	Feb. 28, 2017	4.5 hours	The ACT test is a college readiness assessment is a standardized test for high school achievement and college admissions in the United States produced by ACT	Students and the school receive these results in late spring or early summer.
HS	8	NAEP	Math and Reading	March 7, 2017	2 hours	The National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP) is the largest nationally representative and continuing assessment of what America's students know and can do in various subject areas. MLHS was chosen by the Minnesota Department of Education to participate.	Individual and students results are not provided to schools.

HS	7 & 8	MCA	Math	April 10-13, 2017	2-2.5 hours	The Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments (MCA) are state tests in reading, mathematics, and science that are used to meet federal and state legislative requirements. The tests are administered every year to measure student performance relative to the Minnesota Academic Standards that specify what students in a particular grade should know and be able to do.	Schools are given immediate results for planning purposes and Individual student results are provided to parents in the fall of the year.
HS	11	MCA	Math	April 10-13, 2017	1.5-2.5 hours	The Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments (MCA) are state tests in reading, mathematics, and science that are used to meet federal and state legislative requirements. The tests are administered every year to measure student performance relative to the Minnesota Academic Standards that specify what students in a particular grade should know and be able to do.	Schools are given immediate results for planning purposes and Individual student results are provided to parents in the fall of the year.

HS	7 & 8	MCA	Reading	April 17-21, 2017	2.5-3.5 hours	The Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments (MCA) are state tests in reading, mathematics, and science that are used to meet federal and state legislative requirements. The tests are administered every year to measure student performance relative to the Minnesota Academic Standards that specify what students in a particular grade should know and be able to do.	Schools are given immediate results for planning purposes and Individual student results are provided to parents in the fall of the year.
HS	10	MCA	Reading	April 17-21, 2017	2-3 hours	The Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments (MCA) are state tests in reading, mathematics, and science that are used to meet federal and state legislative requirements. The tests are administered every year to measure student performance relative to the Minnesota Academic Standards that specify what students in a particular grade should know and be able to do.	Schools are given immediate results for planning purposes and Individual student results are provided to parents in the fall of the year.

HS	8	MCA	Science	May 1-5, 2017	1.75 hours	The Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments (MCA) are state tests in reading, mathematics, and science that are used to meet federal and state legislative requirements. The tests are administered every year to measure student performance relative to the Minnesota Academic Standards that specify what students in a particular grade should know and be able to do.	Schools are given immediate results for planning purposes and Individual student results are provided to parents in the fall of the year.
HS	High School	MCA	Science	May 1-5, 2017	2 hours	The Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments (MCA) are state tests in reading, mathematics, and science that are used to meet federal and state legislative requirements. The tests are administered every year to measure student performance relative to the Minnesota Academic Standards that specify what students in a particular grade should know and be able to do.	Schools are given immediate results for planning purposes and Individual student results are provided to parents in the fall of the year.

HS	7-12	MTAS	Reading	April 10-28, 2017	45-90 minutes	<p>The Minnesota Test of Academic Skills (MTAS) is an alternate assessment based on alternate achievement standards for students with the most significant cognitive disabilities. It is part of the Minnesota assessment program. The MTAS measures reading, mathematics, and science skills that are linked to the general education curriculum. These skills represent high expectations for students with significant cognitive disabilities, but tasks to measure these skills are considerably less difficult than the items on the Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments (MCA). The MTAS is one of the tests used to meet federal and state legislative requirements that may be taken in place of the MCA.</p>	<p>Schools are given immediate results for planning purposes and Individual student results are provided to parents in the fall of the year.</p>
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HS	7 & 8	NWEA	Reading	June 1 & 2, 2017	90 minutes	Spring testing is used to measure against fall results to see student growth.	Results are available immediately for classroom teachers to identify areas of concern and celebration.
HS	7 & 8	NWEA	Math	June 1 & 2, 2017	90 minutes	Spring testing is used to measure against fall results to see student growth.	Results are available immediately for classroom teachers to identify areas of concern and celebration.

ELEM	1-6	NWEA	Reading	Sept. 19-27, 2016	90 minutes	Fall testing is used to provide a baseline to measure against spring results to see student growth.	Results are available immediately for classroom teachers to identify areas of concern and celebration.
ELEM	1-6	NWEA	Math	Sept. 19-27, 2016	90 minutes	Fall testing is used to provide a baseline to measure against spring results to see student growth.	Results are available immediately for classroom teachers to identify areas of concern and celebration.
ELEM	1-3	NWEA	Reading	Jan. 9-13, 2017	90 minutes	Winter testing is used to progress monitor students to determine their progression of growth in the subject.	Results are available immediately for classroom teachers to identify areas of concern and celebration.
ELEM	1-3	NWEA	Math	Jan. 9-13, 2017	90 minutes	Winter testing is used to progress monitor students to determine their progression of growth in the subject.	Results are available immediately for classroom teachers to identify areas of concern and celebration.
ELEM	3-6	MCA	Reading	April 10-28, 2017	2.5-3.5 hours	The Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments (MCA) are state tests in reading, mathematics, and science that are used to meet federal and state legislative requirements. The tests are administered every year to measure student performance relative to the Minnesota Academic Standards that specify what students in a particular grade should know and be able to do.	Schools are given immediate results for planning purposes and Individual student results are provided to parents in the fall of the year.

ELEM	3-6	MCA	Math	April 10-28, 2017	1.5-2 hours	The Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments (MCA) are state tests in reading, mathematics, and science that are used to meet federal and state legislative requirements. The tests are administered every year to measure student performance relative to the Minnesota Academic Standards that specify what students in a particular grade should know and be able to do.	Schools are given immediate results for planning purposes and Individual student results are provided to parents in the fall of the year.
ELEM	5	MCA	Science	April 10-28, 2017	1.75 hours	The Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments (MCA) are state tests in reading, mathematics, and science that are used to meet federal and state legislative requirements. The tests are administered every year to measure student performance relative to the Minnesota Academic Standards that specify what students in a particular grade should know and be able to do.	Schools are given immediate results for planning purposes and Individual student results are provided to parents in the fall of the year.

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ELEM	3-7	MTAS	Science	April 10-28, 2019	30-60 minutes	The Minnesota Test of Academic Skills (MTAS) is an alternate assessment based on alternate achievement standards for students with the most significant cognitive disabilities. It is part of the Minnesota assessment program. The MTAS measures reading, mathematics, and science skills that are linked to the general education curriculum. These skills represent high expectations for students with significant cognitive disabilities, but tasks to measure these skills are considerably less difficult than the items on the Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments (MCA). The MTAS is one of the tests used to meet federal and state legislative requirements that may be taken in place of the MCA.	Schools are given immediate results for planning purposes and Individual student results are provided to parents in the fall of the year.
ELEM	1-2	NWEA	Reading	May 15-19, 2017	90 minutes	Spring testing is used to measure against fall results to see student growth.	Results are available immediately for classroom teachers to identify areas of concern and celebration.
ELEM	1-2	NWEA	Math	May 15-19, 2017	90 minutes	Spring testing is used to measure against fall results to see student growth.	Results are available immediately for classroom teachers to identify areas of concern and celebration.