

GUILFORD COUNTY SCHOOLS: 2020-2021 TESTING CALENDAR

Early College at Guilford

AUGUST 2020

| MON | TUE | WED | THU | FRI |
|-----------------------------|---------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|---------|
| 3 ☒ | 4 ☒ | 5 WIDA Remote Screening | | |
| 10 WIDA Remote Screening | | 11 R | 12 R | 13 R |
| 17 WIDA Remote Screening | 18 R | 19 R | 20 WIDA Remote Screening | 21 R |
| 24 WIDA Remote Screening | | | | |
| 25 R | 26 R | 27 R | 28 R | 29 R |
| 31 WIDA R Screen | | | | |

SEPTEMBER 2020

| MON | TUE | WED | THU | FRI |
|-----------|----------------------------|---------|-----------|---------|
| | 1 WIDA Remote Screening | 2 R | 3 R | 4 R |
| 7 ▲ | 8 WIDA Remote Screening | | | |
| 14 R | 15 R | 16 R | 17 CDM | 18 R |
| 21 CDM | | | | |
| 28 ☐ | 29 CDM | 30 R | | |

OCTOBER 2020

| MON | TUE | WED | THU | FRI |
|------------|--------------|------------|------------|------------|
| | | | 1 R | 2 R |
| 5 R | 6 R | 7 R | 8 R | 9 R |
| 12 R | 13 R | 14 R | 15 R | 16 ☐ |
| 19 R | 20 R | 21 R | 22 R | 23 R |
| 26 WIDA | | | | |
| RI-1 ☐ | 27 PreACT | 28 WIDA | 29 WIDA | 30 WIDA |

NOVEMBER 2020

| MON | TUE | WED | THU | FRI |
|---------------------|---------------------|--------------|------------|--------------|
| 2 PreACT | 3 WIDA | 4 PreACT | | |
| 9 PreACT | 10 WIDA | 11 PreACT | 12 WIDA | 13 PreACT |
| 16 PreACT | | | | |
| 17 WorkKeys Fall | | | | |
| 18 WIDA | | | | |
| 23 PreACT | 24 WorkKeys Fall | 25 WIDA | 26 ▲ | 27 ▲ |
| 30 PreACT | 31 WorkKeys | | | |

DECEMBER 2020

| MON | TUE | WED | THU | FRI |
|----------------------|---------------------|--------------------|-----------|-----------|
| | 1 PreACT | 2 WorkKeys Fall | 3 WIDA | 4 WIDA |
| 7 PreACT | 8 WorkKeys Fall | | | |
| 14 PreACT | 15 WorkKeys Fall | | | |
| 14 EOC Fall Block | | | | |
| 21 ☐ | 22 ☐ | 23 ○ | 24 ▲ | 25 ▲ |
| 28 ▲ | 29 ○ | 30 ○ | 31 ○ | |

JANUARY 2021

| MON | TUE | WED | THU | FRI |
|---------|-----------------|---------|---------|---------|
| | | | | 1 ▲ |
| 4 ☒ | 5 R | 6 R | 7 R | 8 R |
| 11 R | 12 R | 13 R | 14 R | 15 R |
| 18 ▲ | 19 RI-2 ☒ | 20 R | 21 R | 22 R |
| 25 R | 26 R | 27 R | 28 R | 29 R |
| ACCESS | | | | |

FEBRUARY 2021

| MON | TUE | WED | THU | FRI |
|-----------------|-------------|--------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| 1 ACCESS | 2 ACCESS | 3 ACCESS | 4 ACCESS | 5 ACCESS |
| 8 ACCESS | 9 ACCESS | 10 ACCESS | 11 ACCESS | 12 ACCESS |
| 15 RI-3 ☐ | 16 CDM | | | |
| 17 ACCESS | | | | |
| 22 CDM | 23 ACT | 24 ACT Accommodations | 25 CDM | 26 ACCESS |

MARCH 2021

| MON | TUE | WED | THU | FRI |
|-------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| 1 ACT Accommodations | 2 ACCESS | 3 ACCESS | 4 ACCESS | 5 ACCESS |
| 8 RI-5 ☐ | 9 ☐ | 10 ○ | 11 ○ | 12 ○ |
| 15 RI-4 ☒ | 16 R | 17 R | 18 R | 19 R |
| 22 R | 23 R | 24 R | 25 R | 26 R |
| 29 R | 30 R | 31 R | | |

APRIL 2021

| MON | TUE | WED | THU | FRI |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| | | | 1 ○ | 2 ▲ |
| 5 R | 6 R | 7 R | 8 R | 9 R |
| 12 WorkKeys Spring | 13 WorkKeys Spring | 14 WorkKeys Spring | 15 WorkKeys Spring | 16 WorkKeys Spring |
| 19 WorkKeys Spring | 20 WorkKeys Spring | 21 WorkKeys Spring | 22 WorkKeys Spring | 23 WorkKeys Spring |
| 26 R | 27 R | 28 R | 29 R | 30 R |

MAY 2021

| MON | TUE | WED | THU | FRI |
|---------------------|------------------------|---------|---------|---------|
| 3 R | 4 R | 5 R | 6 R | 7 R |
| 10 R | 11 R | 12 R | 13 R | 14 R |
| 17 R | 18 EOC Spring Block | | | |
| 24 EOC Spr Block | 25 ☒ | 26 ☒ | 27 ☐ | 28 ▲ |
| 31 R | | | | |

JUNE 2021

| MON | TUE | WED | THU | FRI |
|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| | 1 R | 2 R | 3 R | 4 R |
| 7 R | 8 R | 9 R | 10 R | 11 R |
| 14 R | 15 R | 16 R | 17 R | 18 R |
| 21 R | 22 R | 23 R | 24 R | 25 R |
| 28 R | 29 R | 30 R | | |

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|----|----------------------------------|---|------------------|
| ☐ | Workday | ☒ | Mandated Workday |
| ○ | Vacation | ▲ | Holiday |
| R | Remote Learning Day for Students | | |
| RI | Remote Inclement Weather Day | | |

The district's testing calendar must adhere to the North Carolina Testing Program Operational Calendar.
For a brief explanation of each test, please refer to page 2

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| Test Date: | Abbreviation: | Explanation: |
|--|------------------------------|--|
| August 5 – September 18 | WIDA Remote Screening | WIDA Remote Screening <i>During Remote Learning with no students in school, English Language teachers will use this pathway when screening students to determine if they qualify for English Language services until the students can be administered the state approved W-APT/WIDA Screener after returning to in-person instruction. The Family/Caregiver Interview is recognized by NCDPI ESL/Title III and Accountability.</i> |
| September 17 – 30 February 16 – 26 | CDM | Credit by Demonstrated Mastery <i>A process by which Guilford County Schools, based upon a body-of-evidence, awards a student credit in a course without requiring the student to complete classroom instruction for a certain amount of seat time.</i> |
| October 20 – December 3 | WIDA™ | WIDA <i>This is the state instrument for identification of English Learner (EL) students. In Guilford County Schools, this test is coordinated by the district's English as a Second Language (ESL) Department.</i> |
| October 27 – December 11 | PreACT® | Preliminary ACT <i>This test simulates the ACT® testing experience on all four subjects of The ACT® Test: English, math, reading, and science. The results on this test predict future success on the ACT®. In North Carolina, students enrolled in the tenth grade, who are following a course of study that, upon graduation, will lead to admission into a college-level course of study resulting in a college degree, take the PreACT™.</i> |
| November 16 – December 11 and April 12 – 23 | WorkKeys | The ACT WorkKeys™ <i>This test is a standardized skills assessment designed to measure career readiness. In North Carolina, seniors who are identified as Career Technical Education (CTE) concentrators take The ACT® WorkKeys.</i> |
| December 14 – 18 and May 18 – 24 | EOC Block | End-of-Course <i>All students enrolled in Biology, English II, and/or NC Math I are expected to participate in the appropriate End-of-Course assessment.</i> |
| January 25 – March 5 | ACCESS | ACCESS for ELLs 2.0® <i>During the annual English language proficiency testing window, all students identified as English Learner (EL) students, must be administered this test, or the Alternate ACCESS for ELLs®. In Guilford County Schools, this test is coordinated by the district's English as a Second Language (ESL) Department.</i> |
| February 23 | ACT® | The ACT® Test <i>A standardized test, for high school students, administered by ACT designed to measure college readiness. In North Carolina, students enrolled in the eleventh grade, who are following a course of study that, upon graduation, will lead to admission into a college-level course of study resulting in a college degree, take The ACT® Test.</i> |