

GUILFORD COUNTY SCHOOLS

2020-2021 MIDDLE SCHOOL TESTING CALENDAR

AUGUST 2020

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14
17	18	19	20	21
WIDA Remote Screening				
24	25	26	27	28
WIDA Remote Screening				
31				
WIDA R-S				

SEPTEMBER 2020

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

OCTOBER 2020

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
			1	2
5	6	7	8	9
12	13	14	15	16 GP 43
19	20	21	22	23
26	27	28	29	30

NOVEMBER 2020

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
2	3	4	5	6
9	10	11	12	13
16	17	18	19	20
23	24	25	26	27
30				

DECEMBER 2020

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
	1	2	3	4
7	8	9	10	11
14	15	16	17	18
21	22	23	24	25
28	29	30	31	

JANUARY 2021

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
				1
4	5	6	7	8
W-APT & WIDA (6 th)				
11	12	13	14	15 GP 50
EOC				
W-APT and WIDA Screener				
18	19	20	21	22
W-APT and WIDA Screener				
25	26	27	28	29
W-APT and WIDA Screener				

FEBRUARY 2021

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
1	2	3	4	5
W-APT and WIDA Screener				
8	9	10	11	12
W-APT and WIDA Screener				
15	16	17	18	19
W-APT and WIDA Screener				
CDM				
22	23	24	25	26
W-APT and WIDA (7 th & 8 th)				
ACCESS				
CDM				

MARCH 2021

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
1	2	3	4	5
ACCESS				
8	9	10	11	12
ACCESS				
15	16	17	18	19
ACCESS				
22	23	24	25	26 GP 47
ACCESS				
29	30	31		

APRIL 2021

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
			1	2
5	6	7	8	9
ACCESS				
12	13	14	15	16
ACCESS				
19	20	21	22	23
ACCESS				
26	27	28	29	30

MAY 2021

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14
17	18	19	20	21
EOG				
EOC				
EXT1				
24	25	26	27	28
EOG				
EOC				
EXT1				
31				

JUNE 2021

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
	1	2	3	4
EOG				
EOC				
EXT1				
7	8	9	10	11
14	15	16	17	18
21	22	23	24	25
28	29	30		

<input type="checkbox"/> Workday	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mandated Workday
<input type="radio"/> Vacation	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Holiday
R Remote Learning for ALL Students	R* Remote Learning for Students in Grades 7-8

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 17 – September 30	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>
January 7 – 8 (Grade 6 only) January 11 – February 19 (All grades) February 22 – 24 (Grades 7 – 8 only)	W-APT and WIDA™ Screener	W-APT and WIDA Screener <i>These assessments are the state instruments for identification of English Learner (EL) students. The W-APT is used in Kindergarten only. In Guilford County Schools, these tests are coordinated by the district's English as a Second Language (ESL) Department.</i>
Spring: 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>
Postponed to 2022	NAEP	National Assessment of Educational Progress <i>NAEP produces the Nation's Report Card to inform the public about the academic achievement of elementary and secondary students in the United States. Assessments are conducted in either mathematics, reading, science, writing, the arts, civics, economics, geography, U.S. history, or Technology and Engineering Literacy (TEL). Randomly selected schools' 4th and 8th graders participate each year.</i>
February 22 – April 23	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>
May 20 – June 3	EOG	End-of-Grade Assessments for English Language Arts/Reading, Math and Science <i>All students in membership at grades 3 – 8 are expected to participate in the EOG Assessments for English Language Arts/Reading (ELA) and Math. All students in membership at grades 5 and 8 are expected to participate in the End-of-Grade Assessments for Science. For students in third grade, in order to prepare for the Spring administration of the RtA Assessment, the EOG for ELA and Math should be administered in the first 4 days of the testing window.</i>
Fall: January 11 – 15 Spring: May 20 – June 3	EOC	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>
May 20 – June 3	EXT 1	NCEXTEND1 <i>This test is designed for students who have a significant cognitive disability as documented in the student's Individual Education Program (IEP). At grades 3 – 8 and 10, this test serves as an alternate assessment to the End-of-Grade and End-of-Course assessments. In North Carolina, at grade 11, this test serves as the state-developed, alternate assessment to The ACT® Test.</i>