

GUILFORD COUNTY SCHOOLS

2019-2020 ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TESTING CALENDAR

AUGUST 2019

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

SEPTEMBER 2019

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				

OCTOBER 2019

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
	1	2	3	4
7	8	9	10	11
14	15	16	17	18
21	22	23	24	25 GP 43
28	29	30	31	

NOVEMBER 2019

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
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4	5	6	7	8
11	12	13	14	15
18	19	20	21	22
25	26	27	28	29

DECEMBER 2019

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	31			

JANUARY 2020

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
		1	2	3
6	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17 GP 45
20	21	22	23	24
27	28	29	30	31

FEBRUARY 2020

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

MARCH 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 GP 46	27
30	31			

APRIL 2020

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
		1	2	3
6	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17
20	21	22	23	24
27	28	29	30	

MAY 2020

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
				1
4	5	6	7	8
11	12	13	14	15
18	19	20	21	22 EOG
25	26	27	28	29

JUNE 2020

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
1	2	3	4	5 GP 43
8	9	10	11	12
15	16	17	18	19
22	23	24	25	26
29	30			

<input type="checkbox"/> Workday	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mandated Workday
<input type="circle"/> Vacation	<input checked="" type="triangle"/> Holiday
N Schools/Offices closed	
I Will become student days if other days are missed due to inclement weather. Makeup days will be taken in the order indicated.	

NCEExtend1: May 22 – June 5, 2020

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 26 – September 24	WIDA	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>
September 10 - 16	BOG3	Beginning-of-Grade 3 English Language Arts/Reading Test <i>This test is a part of the North Carolina Read to Achieve Program.</i>
October 2 - 4	CogAt	Cognitive Abilities Test™ <i>This test appraises the cognitive development of students from kindergarten through grade 12. In Guilford County Schools, this test is administered to students in Grade 3.</i>
October 22 – 25	RtA*	Read to Achieve (Grade 4 Transitional Students Only) <i>This test is a part of the North Carolina Read to Achieve Program. In the Fall, this assessment is administered to fourth grade students who have not met the third grade reading proficiency standards set forth in the Read to Achieve legislation.</i>
January 27 – March 6	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>
Spring 2020	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>
May 22 – June 5	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>
May 22 – June 5	EXT1	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>
June 2 – 3	RtA**	Read to Achieve (Grade 3 Only) <i>This test is a part of the North Carolina Read to Achieve Program. In the Spring, this assessment is administered to third grade students who have not met the third grade reading proficiency standards set forth in the Read to Achieve legislation.</i>