

Minnesota Math & Science Academy

2020 – 2021 TESTING CALENDAR

Vendor Assessments

NWEA MAP

Purpose Universal Screener
Grade levels K-8
Subject Reading, Math, & Science

Fall Sep. 28 – Oct. 2, 2020
 Winter * Jan. 11 – 15, 2021
 Spring May 17 – 25, 2021

STAR Assessment by Renaissance

Purpose Continuous Progress
Grade levels K-8
Subject Reading & Math

September Due by Sep. 25
 October Due by Oct. 28
 November Due by Nov. 25
 January Due by Jan. 27
 February Due by Feb. 25
 March Due by Mar. 26

College Readiness

ACT Practice Exams

Grade levels 11
 Fall Sep. 29, 2020
 Winter Dec. 3, 2020
 Spring Mar. 4, 2021

Pre-ACT

Grade levels 10
 Fall Sep. 29, 2020

ACT Exam

Grade levels 11/12
 Fall ** Dec. 12, 2020
 Spring April 10, 2021

Advanced Placement

Grade levels 9-12
 Spring May 4 – 15, 2021

*Optional

** For Seniors only

State-Mandated Assessments

MN Civics

Oct. 26 – 30, 2020

ACCESS 2.0 for ELLs

Jan. 25 – Mar. 19, 2021

Purpose English Language Proficiency
Grade levels K-12

MCA / MTAS

Grade levels 3-12
 Reading & Math Apr. 19 – May 7, 2021
 Science Apr. 19 – May 14, 2021

District / End of Course Assessments

District Assessment by Concept

Purpose Monitor annual growth
Grade levels 5-8

Fall Sep. 21 – 25, 2020
 Spring May 24 – 28, 2021

End of Course Assessment by Concept

Purpose Monitor annual growth
Grade levels 9-12

Fall Sep. 21 – 25, 2020
 Winter * Dec. 7 – 18, 2020
 Spring May 24 – 28, 2021

Mid-Term (End of Semester 1) / Final Exams

Grade levels HS

Mid-Term Jan. 11 – 15, 2021
 Final Jun. 1 – 4, 2021

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1ST QUARTER / 1ST SEMESTER

September 8 – November 6, 2020

Sep. 28 – Oct. 2	NWEA MAP*
Sep. 29	Pre ACT
Sep. 29	ACT Practice I
Sep. 21 – 25	District Assessment (DA)
by Sep. 25	STAR Assessment I
Sep. 21 – 25	End of Course Assessment (EOC)
by Oct. 26	STAR Assessment II
Oct. 26 – 30	MN Civics

2ND QUARTER / 1ST SEMESTER

November 9, 2020 – January 22, 2021

by Nov. 25	STAR Assessment III
Dec. 3	ACT Practice II
Dec. 7 – 18	End of Course Assessment (EOC)
Dec. 12	ACT (<i>for seniors only</i>)
Jan. 11 – 15	NWEA MAP (<i>Optional</i>)
Jan. 11 – 15	Mid-Term Exam (<i>End of S1</i>)

3RD QUARTER / 2ND SEMESTER

January 25 – March 26, 2021

Jan. 25 – Mar. 19	ACCESS 2.0 for ELLs
Mar. 4	ACT Practice III
by Jan. 27	STAR Assessment IV
by Feb. 25	STAR Assessment V
by Mar. 27	STAR Assessment VI

4TH QUARTER / 2ND SEMESTER

March 29 – June 11, 2021

Apr. 10	ACT
Apr. 19 – May 7	MCA
May 4 – 15	Advanced Placement
May 17 – 25	NWEA MAP
May 24 – 28	District Assessment (DA)
May 24 – 28	End of Course Assessment (EOC)
Jun. 1 – 4	Final Exam/Summer Planning
Jun. 7 – 11	Final Make-up/Summer Planning
