



2022-23 State Assessment Program Testing Schedule

State testing schedules are posted online at www.ride.ri.gov/assessment-schedules. Information on state assessments for test coordinators and others involved in preparing for state assessments can be found at www.ride.ri.gov/tc. Please direct any questions to assessment@ride.ri.gov.

Test	Content Area(s)	Grades	Test Window Opens	Test Window Closes
ACCESS for ELLs	ELP	K-12	Jan. 9, 2023	March 3, 2023
Alternate ACCESS for ELLs	ELP	1-12	Jan. 9, 2023	March 3, 2023
Alternate ACCESS for ELLs: Field Test	ELP	K-12	Feb. 14, 2023	April 17, 2023
RICAS	ELA	3-8	March 27, 2023	April 28, 2023
<i>Rhode Island Common Assessment Program</i> www.ride.ri.gov/ricas	Math	3-8	April 24, 2023	May 26, 2023
DLM	ELA	3-8, 11	April 3, 2023	May 26, 2023
<i>Dynamic Learning Maps: alternate assessments</i> www.ride.ri.gov/DLM	Math	3-8, 11	April 3, 2023	May 26, 2023
	Science	5, 8, 11	April 3, 2023	May 26, 2023
NGSA	Science	5, 8, 11	April 24, 2023	May 26, 2023
<i>Next Generation Science Assessment</i> www.ride.ri.gov/ngsa				
PSAT 10	ELA, math	10	<i>Primary:</i> April 18, 2023	April 19, 2023
			<i>Make-up:</i> April 25, 2023	April 27, 2023
SAT	ELA, math	11	<i>Primary:</i> April 18, 2023	April 19, 2023
			<i>Make-up:</i> April 25, 2023	April 27, 2023

NAEP (*National Assessment of Educational Progress*). The NAEP assessments in reading, math, science, and other content areas are administered in even-numbered years. In odd-numbered years, the Nation Center of Education Statistics (NCES) asks states to administer international assessments to gather information on how students in the United State compare to students in other countries around the world. The chart below shows the international assessments, studies, and NAEP assessment field tests that will be administered in the 2022-23 school year.

Not all schools will be selected to participate in every test. More information will be available at the beginning of the school year. Rhode Island is not expected to participate in the Long-Term Trend but it is included anyway so you know all testing possibilities. More information on NAEP can be found at: www.ride.ri.gov/naep or <https://nces.ed.gov/>.

Test	Content Area(s)	Grades	Test Window Opens	Test Window Closes
PISA* 2022 Main Study	reading, math, science	15-yr-old students	Oct. 3, 2022	Nov. 25, 2022
TALIS* 2024	<i>principals and teachers</i>		February 2023	March 2023
TIMSS* 2023	math and science	4, 8	March 1, 2023	May 31, 2023
ICILS* 2023	computer and information literacy	8	March 1, 2023	May 31, 2023
NAEP Field Trial	reading and math	TBD	Feb. 6, 2023	Feb. 17, 2023
NAEP Field Test	reading and math	TBD	March 20, 2023	April 14, 2023
Long Term Trend	reading and math	13-yr-old students	Oct. 10, 2022	Dec. 15, 2022

* PISA: Program for International Student Assessment
 TALIS: Teaching and Learning International Survey
 TIMSS: Trends in International Mathematics and Science Study
 ICILS: International Computer and Information Literacy Study

BEST PRACTICES FOR SELECTING YOUR SCHOOL AND DISTRICT TESTING WINDOWS

1. Determine how many staff you will need *before* selecting your testing window.
2. Use as much of the state testing window as possible. Even if your school testing window is over, if you're within the state assessment window, you can continue testing.
3. Plan to test 100% of students in each content area.
4. Start as early in the state testing window as possible.
5. Leave the last week of the state testing window for make-up testing.
6. For PSAT and SAT:
 - Schedule your preadministration session *before the primary testing days*. This will help you identify technology issues and familiarizes staff and students with the testing platform.
 - Activities/schedules for non-tested grades may need to be approved by the superintendent so make requests *before* January 2023. This will give you time to develop and get approval for new plans.