

2025-2026 District 96 Assessment Calendar



PROGRESS REPORTS	WINDOW/INSTRUCTIONAL DAYS	DUE TO ADMIN	REPORT CARDS/PROGRESS REPORTS DISTRIBUTED
TRIMESTER 1	August 20 – November 21 /65 days	End of Day Wednesday, December 3	Monday, December 8
TRIMESTER 2	November 24 – March 4 / 56 days	End of Day Tuesday, March 10	Friday, March 13
TRIMESTER 3	March 5 – May 29 (Assessment ends May 22) / 51 days assessed – 55 days in the window	End of Day Friday, May 29 (Last day of School)	Wednesday, June 3

Universal Screening Tools By Grade Level

	Fall		Winter		Spring	
Grade	Reading	Math	Reading	Math	Reading	Math
K	FastBridge Early Reading	FastBridge Early Math	FastBridge Early Reading	FastBridge Early Math	FastBridge Early Reading	FastBridge Early Math
1	FastBridge Early Reading	FastBridge Early Math & Automaticity	FastBridge Early Reading	FastBridge Early Math & Automaticity	FastBridge Early Reading	FastBridge Early Math & Automaticity
2	MAP Reading; FastBridge Reading CBM	MAP Math; FastBridge Math Process	MAP Reading; FastBridge Reading CBM	MAP Math; FastBridge Math Process	MAP Reading; FastBridge Reading CBM	MAP Math; FastBridge Math Process
3	MAP Reading; FastBridge Reading CBM	MAP Math; FastBridge Math Process & Automaticity	MAP Reading; FastBridge Reading CBM	MAP Math; FastBridge Math Process & Automaticity	MAP Reading; FastBridge Reading CBM	MAP Math; FastBridge Math Process & Automaticity
4	MAP Reading; FastBridge Reading CBM	MAP Math; FastBridge Math Process & Automaticity	MAP Reading; FastBridge Reading CBM	MAP Math; FastBridge Math Process & Automaticity	MAP Reading; FastBridge Reading CBM	MAP Math; FastBridge Math Process & Automaticity
5	MAP Reading; FastBridge Reading CBM	MAP Math; FastBridge Math Process	MAP Reading; FastBridge Reading CBM	MAP Math; FastBridge Math Process	MAP Reading; FastBridge Reading CBM	MAP Math; FastBridge Math Process
6	MAP Reading	MAP Math	MAP Reading	MAP Math	MAP Reading	MAP Math
7	MAP Reading	MAP Math	MAP Reading	MAP Math	MAP Reading	MAP Math
8	MAP Reading	MAP Math	MAP Reading	MAP Math	MAP Reading	MAP Math

Note: Progress monitoring occurs with Tier 2 & 3 students at HJH using appropriate assessment tools. Specialists may administer additional diagnostic assessments to new students or students receiving MTSS when more data is needed to develop an instructional program.

Trimester	ASSESSMENT TOOL	GRADE	TESTING WINDOW
Beginning Of The Year	ACCESS Screener	K-8 New Second Language Students	As needed based on the Home Language Survey
Aug/Sept	MAP Reading and Math	Grades 2-8	Friday, August 22 - Tuesday, September 2 (Make-up testing 9/3 - 9/4)
	FastBridge	Grades K-5	Friday, August 22 - Tuesday, September 2
	iReady Math Diagnostic	Grades K-5	Friday, August 22 - Thursday, September 4
	KIDS Assessment Observations	Kindergarten	Continuous Assessment through Friday, October 17 (Day 40)
	FALL BENCHMARK DATA ENTRY DEADLINE	Grades K-5	Thursday, September 4 (End of Day)
October	Renaissance Screener	Grades 2-8	October 6 - October 17
	KIDS Assessment Observations	Kindergarten	Continuous Assessment through Friday, October 17 (Day 40) Data Entry Window - Friday, October 10 - Friday, October 24
	PROGRESS MONITORING Tier 2 & Tier 3 DATA ENTRY DEADLINE	Grades K-5	Tuesday, October 28 (End of Day)
November	ACT Explore Assessment	Grade 8	Tuesday, November 4, Wednesday, November 5, or Thursday, November 6 (During School)
January	MAP – Reading & Math	Grades 2-8	Monday, January 5 - Tuesday, January 13 (Make-up testing 1/14 - 1/15)
	FastBridge	Grades K-5	Monday, January 5 - Tuesday, January 13
	iReady Math Diagnostic	Grades K-5	Monday, January 5 - Thursday, January 15
	WINTER BENCHMARK DATA ENTRY DEADLINE	Grades K-5	Thursday, January 15 (End of Day)
January/ February	ACCESS	Grades EC-8 (EL Students)	Wednesday, January 14 - Tuesday, March 3
February	CogAT	Grades 3 & 5	Monday, February 2 - Thursday, February 12
	Renaissance Screener (formerly PASS)	Grades 2-8	Monday, February 9 - Friday, February 20
March	PROGRESS MONITORING Tier 2 & Tier 3 DATA ENTRY DEADLINE	Grades K-5	Wednesday, March 11 (End of Day)
March/April	IL Assessment of Readiness (IAR)	Grades 3-8	Monday, March 16 - Friday, March 27 (Tuesday, April 7 - Thursday, April 9 for make-up testing)
	DLM	Grades 3-8	Wednesday, March 11 - Wednesday, May 6
April	IL Science Assessment (ISA)	Grades 5 & 8	Tuesday, April 7 - Friday, April 17
April/May	ELA & Math Curriculum-Based Assessment	Grades 3-8	Monday, April 20 - Friday, May 8
May	MAP – Reading and Math	Grades 2-8	Monday, May 11 - Tuesday, May 19 (Make-up Testing 5/20 & 5/21)
	FastBridge	Grades K-5	Monday, May 11 - Tuesday, May 19
	iReady Diagnostic *(No 3rd-5th)	Grades K-2	Monday, May 11 - Thursday, May 21
	SPRING BENCHMARK DATA ENTRY DEADLINE	Grades K-5	Thursday, May 21 (End of Day)