



2009-10 Systemwide Testing Schedule

Elementary School Testing Dates

Sep. 1, 2009-Mar 19, 2010	Georgia Alternate Assessment (GAA) – ongoing portfolio collection	Grades K-5
September 21-25, 2009	Iowa Tests of Basic Skills (ITBS)**	TBD
January 19-Feb. 26, 2010	ACCESS for ELLs	Grades K-5
March 3, 2010	Georgia Writing Assessment	Grade 5
March 15-26, 2010	Georgia Writing Assessment	Grade 3
April 15-20, 2010	Georgia Criterion-Referenced Competency Tests (CRCT)	Grades 1 and 2
April 15-22, 2010	Georgia Criterion-Referenced Competency Tests (CRCT)	Grades 3-5
Ongoing	GKIDS Assessment	Grade K

Middle School Testing Dates

Sep. 1, 2009-Mar 19, 2010	Georgia Alternate Assessment (GAA)	Grades 6-8
September 21-25, 2009	Iowa Tests of Basic Skills (ITBS)**	TBD
January 20, 2010	Georgia Writing Assessment	Grade 8
January 19-Feb. 26, 2010	ACCESS for ELLs	Grades 6-8
April 15-22, 2010	Georgia Criterion-Referenced Competency Tests (CRCT)	Grades 6-8
April 29, 2010	Georgia End-of-Course Tests (EOCT)	Grades 7-8

High School Testing Dates

July 15, 2009	Georgia High School Writing Retest (GHSWT)	Grade 12
July 13-17, 2009	Georgia High School Graduation Retest (GHSGT)	Grade 12
Sep. 1, 2009-Mar 19, 2010	Georgia Alternate Assessment (GAA)	Grade 11
September 14, 2009	Georgia High School Graduation Retest (GHSGT) Sc/ELA	Grade 12
September 15, 2009	Georgia High School Graduation Retest (GHSGT) SS/Math	Grade 12
September 14-25, 2009	Differential Aptitude Test/Career Interest Inventory (DAT/CII)	Grade 9
September 30, 2009	Georgia High School Writing Test (GHSWT)	Grade 11
October 14, 2009	PSAT	Grades 9-11
November 9, 2009	Georgia High School Graduation Retest (GHSGT) Sc/ELA	Grade 12
November 10, 2009	Georgia High School Graduation Retest (GHSGT) SS/Math	Grade 12
December 7-10, 2009	Georgia End-of-Course Tests (EOCT)	Grades 9-12
January 19-Feb. 26, 2010	ACCESS for ELLs	Grades 9-12
February 24, 2010	Georgia High School Writing Retest (GHSWT)	Grades 11 and 12
March 15-19, 2010	Georgia High School Graduation Test (GHSGT)*	Grade 11
March 29-April 2, 2010	State-Required Remedial Testing	Grades 9 and 10
April 26-30, 2010	Georgia End-of-Course Tests (EOCT)	Grades 9-12
May 3-14, 2010	Advanced Placement (AP) Exams	AP students

*GHSGT must be given in the following order: English Language Arts, Math, Science, Social Studies. Individual schools must follow the system schedule. Schedule subject to change based on state requirements.

**The ITBS is the state provided norm referenced test. The same test will be used as last year with updated 2005 Norms. The grade levels to be assessed have not been determined yet.

Please call (404) 763-5600, ext. 143 if you have any questions about this testing schedule.