Jackson County Public Schools Testing Calendar
August 22, 2022 – June 8, 2023

(Testing dates will be adjusted as make-up days are added to the calendar for inclement weather or amended by North Carolina Department of Public Instruction)

JCPS - First Semester (Fall) - August 22, 2022 – December 21, 2022

Assessment	Testing Window	Format: Online Paper/Pencil	State or local requirement
WIDA ACCESS Placement test (W-APT) (Kindergarten) WIDA Online Screener (Grades 1-12)	Initial assessment required within 30 calendar days of enrollment at the beginning of the school year.	Paper/Pencil & Online	State
Beginning-of-Grade 3 English Language Art/Reading test	Administered between days 1-15 (Aug. 31)	Online	State
Credit by Demonstrated Mastery (CDM) Phase I Assessments	September 19 – 30, 2022	Online	
PreACT at Grade 10	October 17 – December 16, 2022	Paper/Pencil	State
College and Career Readiness Alternate Assessment at Grade 10	October 17 – December 16, 2022	Online	State
Read to Achieve – Grade 3	Locally determined date by November 1, 2022	Online	State
ASVAB at Grade 11	October	Online	Local
ACT WorkKeys	November 14 – December 9, 2022	Online	State
End-of-Course (EOC) Assessments – Biology, English II, NC Math 1 and NC Math 3	Final 5 instructional days of the semester	Online	State
CTE Post Assessments	Final 5 instructional days of the semester (4 x 4 semester courses)	Online	State
NC CheckIns: ELA – grades 3-8, Math – grades 3-8 & NC math 1, Science grades 5 & 8	Check-In #1 – November 2022	Online	Local
NC CheckIns EOCs: NC Math 1 & 3, English II, Biology	October & December 2022	Online	Local
i-Ready Screener (Math K-8, ELA 4-8)	August 22 – September 16, 2022 November 28 – December 16, 2022	Online	Local

Specific test dates will be determined within the specified testing windows. Dates may vary among schools. View JCPS webpage calendar for specific dates for each school.

SAT and ACT exams are scheduled and coordinated at the school level. Information regarding other exams/assessments required for college admittance is available at the school level. Please contact the Guidance Department of local high school for specific times and dates.

JCPS – Second Semester (Spring) - January 9 – June 8, 2023

Assessment	Testing Window	Format: Online Paper/Pencil	State or local requirement
WIDA ACCESS Placement test (W-APT) (Kindergarten) WIDA Online Screener (Grades 1-12)	Initial assessment required within 30 calendar days of enrollment at the beginning of the school year.	Paper/Online	State
ACCESS for ELs 2.0	January 23 – March 10, 2023	Online	State
ACT WorkKeys	February 21 – March 24, 2023	Online	State
Credit by Demonstrated Mastery (CDM) Phase I Assessments	February 18 - 28, 2023	Online	
The ACT – Online Window	March 7-9 & 14-16, 2023	Online	State
College and Career Readiness Alternate Assessment at Grade 11	March 7-10 & 13-17, 2023	Online	State
NCEXTEND 1 – Alternate Assessment – Grade 11	March 7-10 & 13-17, 2023	Paper/Pencil	State
NCEXTEND 1 – Alternate Assessment – Grades 3 – 8 Math and English/Language Arts/Reading, Grades 5 & 8 Science	Final 10 instructional days of the school year	Online	State
NCEXTEND 1 – Alternate Assessment – Biology, English II and Math I	Final 10 instructional days of the school year	Online	State
End-of-Course (EOC) Assessments – Biology, English II, NC Math I and NC Math 3	Final 5 instructional days of the semester	Online	State
End-of-Grade (EOG) Assessments – Grades 3 – 8 Math and English Language Arts/Reading and Grades 5 & 8 Science	Final 10 instructional days of the school year	Online	State
Read to Achieve Test – Grade 3	Final 10 instructional days of the school year	Online	State
Grade 3 End-of-Grade (EOG) English Language Arts/Reading Retest	Final 10 instructional days of the school year	Online	State
CTE Post Assessments	Final 5 instructional days of the semester (4 x 4 semester courses) Final 10 instructional days of the school year (yearlong courses)	Online	State
NC CheckIns: ELA – grades .-8, Math – grades 3-8 & NC math 1, and Science grades 5 & 8	Check-In # 2 – February 2023 Check-In #3 – May 2023	Online	Local
NC CheckIns EOCs: NC Math 1 & 3, English II, Biology	March & May 2023	Online	Local
i-Ready Math Screener	April 2023	Online	Local
Naglieri Nonverbal Ability Test – grade 3	April 2023	Online	Local