

**Gaston County Schools**  
**2024-2025 Test Administration Dates for State-Mandated Tests and Local Assessments**

<b>Test</b>	<b>Grades</b>	<b>Administration Dates</b>	<b>Assessment Type</b>	<b>Platform</b>
WIDA Screener Placement Test	K-12	Aug. 14, 2024-May 21, 2025	State-Mandated	DRC Insight
NC Early Learning Inventory (NC ELI) Preliminary Rating	Kindergarten	Aug. 14-Sept. 27, 2024	State-Mandated	TS GOLD
AMC BOY Math Assessment	Kindergarten	Aug. 14-Sept. 30, 2024	Local Assessment	AMC
iReady BOY Math Diagnostic	Grades 1-5	Aug. 19-Sept. 6, 2024	Local Assessment	iReady.com
mClass BOY Reading Benchmark Assessment	K-3; 4*	Aug. 21-Sept. 12, 2024	State-Mandated	Amplify
Houghton Mifflin Harcourt (HMH) Growth Measure-Reading	Grades 4 & 5	Aug. 21-Sept. 12, 2024	Local Assessment	HMH Ed
Beginning of Grade 3 Reading Test (BOG3)	Grade 3	August 28, 2024	State-Mandated	NCTest
NC Early Learning Inventory (NC ELI) Final Checkpoint	Kindergarten	Sept. 28-Nov. 15, 2024	State-Mandated	TS GOLD
NC Check-Ins 2.0 Reading-A	Grades 3-5	Sept. 30-Oct. 10, 2024	Local Assessment	NCTest
NC Check-Ins (Biology, English II, NC Math 1, NC Math 3)	Grades 9-12	Sept. 23-27, 2024	Local Assessment	NCTest
Credit By Demonstrated Mastery (Fall)	Grades 9-12	September 25, 2024	State-Mandated	NCTest
PSAT-NMSQT	Grades 10 & 11	October 16, 2024	Local Assessment	Bluebook
NC Check-In Biology (Molecular)	Grades 9-12	Oct. 21-25, 2024	Local Assessment	NCTest
Read to Achieve Test for Transitional 4th Graders	Grade 4	October 23, 2024	State-Mandated	NCTest
PreACT	Grade 10	Oct. 28-Nov. 8, 2024	State-Mandated	ACT TestNav
College & Career Readiness Alternative Assessment (CCRAA; PreACT alternative)	Grade 10	Oct. 28-Nov. 8, 2024	State-Mandated	NCTest
NC Check-Ins (Biology, English II, NC Math 1, NC Math 3)	Grades 9-12	Nov. 12-18, 2024	Local Assessment	NCTest
NC Check-Ins 2.0 Math-A	Grades 3 & 4	Nov. 12-25, 2024	Local Assessment	NCTest
ACT WorkKeys for Early/December Graduates	Grade 12	Nov. 18-26; Dec. 2-6, 2024	State-Mandated	ACT Online
NC Check-Ins 2.0 Reading-B	Grades 3-5	Dec. 2-13, 2024	Local Assessment	NCTest

NC Check-Ins 2.0 Math-C	Grade 5	Dec. 2-13, 2024	Local Assessment	NCTest
NC Check-Ins Science (Physical Science)	Grade 5	Dec. 2-13, 2024	Local Assessment	NCTest
AMC MOY Math Assessment	Kindergarten	Dec. 2-19, 2024	Local Assessment	AMC
iReady MOY Math Diagnostic	Grades 1-5	Dec. 2-19, 2024	Local Assessment	iReady.com
NC Check-Ins 2.0 Reading-A	Grades 6-8	Dec. 9-13, 2024	Local Assessment	NCTest
NC Check-Ins 2.0 (6&7) Math-A; (Gr8) Math-B; NC Math 1 (Gr8) #1	Grades 6-8	Dec. 9-13, 2024	Local Assessment	NCTest
End-of-Course Tests (Early Colleges)**	Grades 9-12	Dec. 11-17, 2024	State-Mandated	NCTest
End-of-Course Tests (Traditional High Schools)**	Grades 9-12	Dec. 13-19, 2024	State-Mandated	NCTest
Houghton Mifflin Harcourt (HMH) Growth Measure-Reading	Grades 4 & 5	Jan. 6-27, 2025	Local Assessment	HMH Ed
mClass MOY Reading Benchmark Assessment	K-3; 4*	Jan. 6-27, 2025	State-Mandated	Amplify
WIDA ACCESS for ELLs Tests	K-12	Jan. 13-March 13, 2025	State-Mandated	DRC Insight
NC Check-Ins (Biology, English II, NC Math 1, NC Math 3)	Grades 9-12	Feb. 10-14, 2025	Local Assessment	NCTest
PreACT 8/9	Grade 8	February 10-14, 2025	Local Assessment	ACT TestNav
NC Check-Ins 2.0 Reading-C and Math-B	Grades 3-5	Feb. 10-24, 2025	Local Assessment	NCTest
ACT WorkKeys Spring Administration	Grade 12	Feb. 18-28, 2025	State-Mandated	ACT Online
Credit By Demonstrated Mastery (Spring)	Grades 9-12	February 25, 2025	State-Mandated	NCTest
ACT Test Window #1	Grade 11	March 11-12 and 17-21, 2025	State-Mandated	ACT TestNav
NCEXTEND1 for Grade 11 (ACT Alternate) Window #1	Grade 11	March 11-12 and 17-21, 2025	State-Mandated	NCTest
College & Career Readiness Alternative Assessment for Grade 11 (CCRAA for Grade 11; ACT alternative) Window #1	Grade 11	March 11-12 and 17-21, 2025	State-Mandated	NCTest
NC Check-Ins Biology (Molecular Biology)	Grades 9-12	March 24-28, 2025	Local Assessment	NCTest
NC Check-Ins 2.0 Math-C	Grades 3 & 4	March 24-April 4, 2025	Local Assessment	NCTest
NC Check-Ins 2.0 Math-A	Grade 5	March 24-April 4, 2025	Local Assessment	NCTest
NC Check-Ins: Science (Life Science & Earth Science)	Grade 5	March 24-April 4, 2025	Local Assessment	NCTest

ACT Test Window #2	Grade 11	March 25-28, 31,& April 1-4, 2025	State-Mandated	ACT TestNav
NCEXTEND1 for Grade 11 (ACT Alternate) Window #2	Grade 11	March 25-28, 31,& April 1-4, 2025	State-Mandated	NCTest
College & Career Readiness Alternative Assessment for Grade 11 (CCRAA for Grade 11; ACT alternative) Window #2	Grade 11	March 25-28, 31,& April 1-4, 2025	State-Mandated	NCTest
CogAT (IQ Test)	Grade 2	March 31-April 11, 2025	Local Assessment	Riverside Insights
NC Check-Ins 2.0 (Gr.6&8) Reading-C; (Gr.7) Reading-B	Grades 6-8	April 7-11, 2025	Local Assessment	NCTest
NC Check-Ins 2.0 (Gr. 6&7) Math-B; (Gr8) Math-C; NC Math 1 (Gr8) #2	Grades 6-8	April 7-11, 2025	Local Assessment	NCTest
NC Check-Ins: Science (Life & Physical Science)	Grade 8	April 7-11, 2025	Local Assessment	NCTest
iReady EOY Math Diagnostic	Grades 1-5	April 7-17, 2025	Local Assessment	iReady.com
Houghton Mifflin Harcourt (HMH) Growth Measure-Reading	Grades 4 & 5	April 7-17, 2025	Local Assessment	HMH Ed
ACT Test Window #3	Grade 11	April 8-11 and 14-18, 2025	State-Mandated	ACT TestNav
NCEXTEND1 for Grade 11 (ACT Alternate) Window #3	Grade 11	April 8-11 and 14-18, 2025	State-Mandated	NCTest
College & Career Readiness Alternative Assessment for Grade 11 (CCRAA for Grade 11; ACT alternative) Window #3	Grade 11	April 8-11 and 14-18, 2025	State-Mandated	NCTest
NC Check-Ins (Biology, English II, NC Math 1,NC Math 3)	Grades 9-12	April 11-17, 2025	Local Assessment	NCTest
mClass EOY Reading Benchmark Assessment	Grade 3	April 28-May 8, 2025	State-Mandated	Amplify
mClass EOY Reading Benchmark Assessment	K-2; 4*	April 28-May 16, 2025	State-Mandated	Amplify
EOY Math Summative Assessment	K-2	April 28-May 20, 2025	State-Mandated	NC DPI
NCEXTEND1 for Grades 3-8 and 10	Grades 3-8 & 10	May 8-21, 2025	State Mandated	NCTest
End-of-Grade (EOG) Reading Test	Grades 3-8	May 8, 2025	State-Mandated	NCTest
End-of-Course Tests (Early Colleges)**	Grades 9-12	May 12-16, 2025	State-Mandated	NCTest
End-of-Grade (EOG) Math Test and NC Math 1 EOC (Gr8)	Grades 3-8	May 13, 2025	State-Mandated	NCTest
End-of-Grade (EOG) Science Test	Grades 5 & 8	May 15, 2025	State-Mandated	NCTest
End-of-Course Tests (Traditional High Schools)**	Grades 9-12	May 15-21, 2025	State-Mandated	NCTest
Grade 3 Reading EOG Retest	Grade 3	May 16, 2025	State-Mandated	NCTest

Summer Program EOC Retests (Early Colleges)	Grades 9-12	May 20-21, 2025	Summer Program	NCTest
Summer Program Reading EOG Retest	Grades 4-8	May 23, 2025	Summer Program	NCTest
Summer Program Math EOG Retest and NC Math 1 (Gr8)	Grades 3-8	May 27, 2025	Summer Program	NCTest
Summer Program Science EOG Retest	Grades 5 & 8	May 28, 2025	Summer Program	NCTest
Summer Program EOC Retests (Traditional High Schools): Biology, NC Math 1, and NC Math 3	Grades 9-12	May 27-29, 2025	Summer Program	NCTest
Summer Program EOC Retests (Traditional High Schools): English II	Grades 9-12	May 27-30, 2025	Summer Program	NCTest
Read to Achieve Test Summer Reading Camp	Grade 3	June 24, 2025	State-Mandated	NCTest

<b>Notes</b>	<p>* = <i>Students designated as Transitional 4th Graders under the Read to Achieve legislation</i></p> <p>** = <i>Final exam schedules to be determined by GCS Board of Education</i></p>
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