

Germantown Municipal School District 2018-2019 Assessment Calendar

Assessment	Required By	Date(s)	Participants	Tested Subjects	Purpose	Format	Notification of Results
Senior ACT Retake	TDOE	October 16, 2018	Seniors	English, Math, Reading, and Science	To measure college readiness and Hope Scholarship eligibility and Graduation Requirement for Class of 2018	Paper/Pencil	Online reports are available 3-8 weeks after test administration.
PSAT/NMSQT	Optional	October 24, 2018	11 th Graders for NMSQT Program Open to 9 th -10 th graders to register for practice	Reading, Writing and Language, Math	SAT Practice Test Determine eligibility and qualification for National Merit Scholarship Program	Paper/Pencil	Students access scores 2-4 weeks after testing.
Citizenship Test	TDOE	Fall 2018 and Spring 2019	Grade 12	U.S. Government & Civics; AP Comparative Government; AP US Government & Politics	State-Mandated Assessment and Graduation Requirement for Class of 2018	Paper/Pencil	Students will receive scores within 2 weeks of testing.
ACCESS for English Learners	TDOE	Feb 19- April 5, 2019	English Language Learners	Listening, Speaking, Reading, and Writing	State-Mandated Assessment that measures English Language proficiency	Online	Students/parents receive scores in August of the following year. Results are not used for grading.
TCAP Alternate Assessments (MSAA & ALT PA)	TDOE	March 18- May 3, 2019	Select Special Education Students Only (Grades 2-11)	Reading, Math, Science, and Social Studies	State-Mandated assessment for students unable to complete the regular TCAP assessment, even with the use of extensive accommodations	MSAA: Online ALT PA: Paper	Student reports are distributed to students/parents in August. Results are not used for grading.
ACT	TDOE	April 2, 2019	Grade 11	English, Math, Reading, and Science	To measure college readiness and Hope Scholarship eligibility and Graduation Requirement for Class of 2018	Paper/Pencil	Online reports are available 3-8 weeks after test administration.

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TCAP Grades 3-8	TDOE	April 15- May 3, 2019	Grades 3-8	Reading/Language Arts, Math, Science, Social Studies	State-Mandated summative assessment	Paper/Pencil	Scores (Quick Scores) will count as 15% of students' final grade. Student reports will be available Fall of 2019.
TCAP End of Course	TDOE	April 15- May 3, 2019	High School (students in grades 7-12 enrolled in high school EOC courses)	Algebra I, Algebra II, Geometry, English I, English II, Biology, US History	State-Mandated summative assessments for students enrolled in applicable course(s).	Online	Scores (Quick Scores) will count as 15% of students' final grade. Student reports will be available Fall of 2019.
2 nd Grade Assessment Grade 2 ALT	TDOE	April 15- May 3, 2019 March 18- May 3, 2019	Grade 2	Reading, Language, Math	Summative assessment for 2 nd grade	Paper/Pencil	Scores will be provided to parents in the fall of 2019.
TIMSS Houston Middle School	TDOE	May 8, 2019	Grade 8 (Small sample of randomly selected students)	Math/Science	Only a small sample of Tennessee fourth and eighth graders will take this test. Results from TIMSS are used by researchers and policymakers to chart national progress against international standards and other countries around the world, informing national discussions about international competitiveness.	Online	No student level reports are provided.

Advanced Placement Exams	For College Credit	See Schedule Below	Grades 9-12	Students enrolled in specific AP courses	This test is administered to students enrolled in AP courses. Scores can be used to reward credit or determine placement upon entering college.	Paper/Pencil	Scores are available online in July of each year. Scores are not used for grading.
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AP Courses

Date	Morning 8:00 a.m.	Afternoon 12:00 p.m.
5/6/19	United States Government and Politics	
5/7/19		Physics 1: Algebra-Based
5/8/19	English Literature and Composition	European History
5/9/19	Chemistry	French Language and Culture German Language and Culture
5/10/19	United States History	Computer Science Principles
5/10/19	Studio Art- last day for coordinators to submit digital portfolios (by 8 p.m. EDT) and to gather 2-D Design and Drawing students for physical portfolio assembly. Teachers should have forwarded students' completed digital portfolios to Coordinators before this date.	
5/13/19	Biology	
5/14/19	Calculus AB Calculus BC	Human Geography
5/15/19	English Language and Composition	Macroeconomics
5/16/19	Comparative Government and Politics	Statistics

5/17/19	Microeconomics Music Theory	Computer Science A Latin
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For a more detailed listing of AP courses, visit the College Board's site: http://apcentral.collegeboard.com/apc/public/exam/dates_fees/index.html

- ❖ Houston High School also offers AP Research, which has a performance-based assessment – Timeline:
- ❖ Mid April: Students present their Presentation of Oral Defense of their research paper.
- ❖ By April 30: Students will finalize and upload their completed research paper and the teacher will score and finalize the students' scores for the Presentation of Oral Defense.

Benchmark Assessments

Assessment	Required By	Date(s)	Participants	Tested Subjects	Purpose	Format
Star Early Literacy	GMSD	August 13- August 31 December 3- December 19 May 1- May 15	Kindergarten & First Grade	Foundational Literacy Skills	Benchmark test that identifies students' areas of strength and weakness in essential foundational reading skills	Online
Easy CBM	TDOE	Fall 9/24-10/5 Winter 1/3- 1/25 Spring 4/30-5/23	Grades K-8	Reading, Math	Easy CBM is a component of our universal screener process used to help evaluate students' math and reading skills.	Online
Case 21	GMSD	September 17- September 21 December 3- December 7 February 25- March 1	Grades 2-8	Reading, Math, Science, Social Studies	Benchmark test that identifies standards that students have/have not mastered	Online
Case 21	GMSD	September 17- September 21 December 3- December 7	Grades 9-11 (EOC Courses)	English I, English II, English III, Algebra I, Algebra II, Geometry, Biology 1, Chemistry, US History	Benchmark test that identifies standards that students have/have not mastered	Online

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