**Sumner County—Tennessee Comprehensive Assessment Program Calendar (2019.20SY)**

Scheduled dates show windows (specific days of subjects within windows will be determined later):

**TNReady End of Course:** used as a measure of student skills in subjects; student score provides a raw score that is used to calculate course grade for report cards [currently 15% of 2nd 9 weeks’ grade] **December 02-December 19, 2019**

- Algebra I
- Algebra II
- Geometry
- English 9
- English 10
- Biology
- U S History

*Individual subparts of each content are scheduled throughout the test window.*

All students are expected to participate in all tests mandated in federal regulations and/or state law. **Projected** data return timeline from the Fall, 2019 administration: raw scores for use in report card grade calculation are expected to be available in Dec/Jan 2019/20.

Individual Profile Reports (IPRs) for End of Course subjects are scheduled to be posted online for schools by late January, 2020, with paper copies distributed to districts by TDOE for dissemination to students’ homes later. Testing is scheduled to be paper and pencil.

**TNReady Achievement:** used as a measure of student skills in subjects; student score provides a raw score that is used to calculate course grade for report cards [currently 15% of 2nd semester grades (grades 3-5) & 15% of 2nd semester grades (grades 6-8)] **April 13 - May 8, 2020**

- Reading/Language Arts
- Mathematics
- Science
- Social Studies

*Individual subparts of each content are scheduled throughout the test window.*

**Projected** data return timeline from the Spring, 2020 administration:

- raw scores for use in report card grade calculation are expected to be delivered in May
- Individual Profile Reports (IPRs) for Achievement are to be posted online for schools date TBD, 2020, and distributed to districts by TDOE for dissemination to students’ homes later.
  - Testing is scheduled to utilize PAPER/PENCIL **April 13 - May 08, 2020**
  - Testing is scheduled to be online in grades 5-8

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**Trends in International Mathematics and Science Study (TIMSS):** Selected this year for participation **TBA**

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Tuesday, May 29, 2018
**National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP):** a national assessment of students’ skills  
(reading & science in grade 4; mathematics, reading, & science in grade 12)  

January 28—March 15, 2020  
Students are randomly selected for NAEP in schools that have also been randomly selected to represent demographic diversity across the state of Tennessee.  
Tennessee Department of Education requires participation by school systems.  
Communication is made to parents of selected students, and parents may request non-participation with no penalty.  
Since testing has random student participation, all data feed into a statewide and nationwide compilation, but NO student, school, or system data reports are available.  
Participating this year: TBA  
[TDOE notice indicates that other schools may be added.]

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**TCAP-Alt (NCSC):** Alternative assessments are available to students with disabilities for whom participation in regular state assessment is inappropriate, even with the use of extensive accommodations.  
All grades, all subjects dates in the Spring term, **March 16 May 8, 2020 (tentative)**  
Projected data reporting is by end of school year with parents informed through IEP procedures.

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**WIDA ACCESS for ELLs:** [computer based] used for measuring English language proficiency [formerly used English Language Development Assessment (ELDA) to assess these students]; tests require 2½-3 hours. Dates in the Spring term, **Feb. 17 - April 3, 2020 (tentative)** Projected data return timeline is to be by mid-June, 2019, with parental availability of scores after that date.

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**ACT:** used as a college entrance requirement, scholarship funding, and scores developed for English, Mathematics, Science, and Reading are used as a projection of skills in the respective college-level classes in English Composition, College Algebra, College Biology, and Social Sciences; testing requires approximately 3-3½ hours  
*SENIOR RE-TAKE* Fall 2020 TBA  
Spring Juniors ACT 2020  
[in school paper/pencil] Standard (paper): April 21  
Accommodations (paper): April 21–24 and April 27–May 1

*Other national testing days are offered by ACT on Saturdays throughout the calendar year with an application to  
ACT [see below] (applications available in HS counselors’ offices)

[NOTE:] *Per Tennessee State Board of Education action, beginning in 2017.18SY ALL students enrolled in public schools must complete ACT (or SAT) prior to graduation. The April 2020, date meets this mandate during a school day.*
NOTE: For 19/20 SY [as funded annually]—TN Dept of Education has authorized current 2019.20 Seniors, who as Juniors took ACT, will be allowed to re-take testing.

Students interested in re-test should contact their school’s counselor to pursue application process. These results should be available to parents and schools within 6 weeks of test administration date. Projected data return timeline from the March administration is by mid-April 2020. [NOTE: Scoring is not used in calculating grades for report cards.] Individual Student Reports for should be made available to schools by late-April 2020

2019-2020 Test Dates (National)

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ACT online: http://www.act.org/content/act/en/contact-act.html
(319) 337-1270 M-F 8:00 AM to 8:00 PM (Central Time) + Test Weekends
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2019-2020** SAT Test Dates (U.S.)

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[NOTE: all following specific dates are TENTATIVE as of 6.15.19]

**EasyCBM Universal Screener**: administered to measure foundational reading and mathematics skill progress in grades K-8; testing requires up to 30 minutes in grades K-8

*Projected* data reporting is immediately following testing to parents for student scoring at or below 25%ile  
All DATES TENTATIVE as of 5/15/2019

**Elementary School Benchmarks**:  
TENTATIVE as of 06/15/2019

*Projected* data reporting is for parents to receive results immediately following testing:

fall  winter  spring
**Middle School Benchmarks:**  TBA

fall spring

**TBD: End of Course Formative Assessments:** administered online during the 90-minute block in which the student has the EOC class to aid determination of mastery of standards addressed in the initial 9 weeks of each semester.


*1st term* *2nd term*

Projected data reporting is within the next week following assessments.

The Tennessee Department of Education has updated information about state-mandated assessments on its website:

https://www.tn.gov/education/assessment.htm

**HOME SCHOOL Students:**

Home school students are permitted to take Advanced Placement [AP] & Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test / National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test [PSAT/NMSQT] exams in public schools where they are administered. Publication of dates of the administration are to be posted on school websites where applicable. [TCA 49-6-3050(f)]

Independent home school students who are in grade 5 or 7 can take TN Ready achievement tests at the public school for which they would normally be zoned. Contact is normally made in early second semester of the school year using current database lists obtained from the Sumner County Attendance Department, where home school registrations are made. That contact relates procedural guidelines to be followed by parents. [TCA 49-6-3050(b)5(A&B)]

Independent home school students who are in grade 9 taking Algebra I and/or English I [specifically named courses] can take TN Ready end-of-course tests at the public school for which they would normally be zoned during the spring testing window. Contact is normally made in early second semester of the school year using current database lists obtained from the Sumner County Attendance Department, where home school registrations are made. That contact relates procedural guidelines to be followed by parents. [TCA 49-6-3050(b)5(A&B)]