



# SY2017-2018 Testing Dates Calendar

## Idaho Comprehensive Assessment Program

### IDAHO ASSESSMENT BY DATE

Dates	Assessments	Dates
August 7, 2017 - March 14, 2018	Interim Assessment (Optional)	Optional Comprehensive and Block Assessments Grade 3-8 and HS
August 21 - September 29, 2017	Idaho Reading Indicator (IRI), Fall	Fall Reporting via ISEE, October 16, 2017.
October 11, 2017	PSAT	State-wide Optional Sophomore Administration (state funded).
January 1 – March 31, 2018	ISAT Alternate Science (IPASS Portfolio Submission)	Required for Grades 5, 7, and 10. IPASS Closing March 31, 2018 at midnight (12:00 am MST).
January 29 – March 9, 2018	NAEP	NAEP will administer social studies, science, mathematics and reading assessments to students in grades 4, 8 and 12.
January 29 – March 9, 2018	WIDA – ACCESS 2.0 Idaho’s English Language Proficiency Assessment	ACCESS 2.0 for ELs (Assessing Comprehension and Communication in English State-to-State for English Language Learners) is the English language proficiency assessment given to Kindergarten through 12th graders who have been identified as English Learners (ELs).

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Assessments</b>	<b>Dates</b>
February 26 – May 18, 2018	End-of-Course Science (Biology and Chemistry)	The EOC is a component of the Comprehensive Assessment Program. The High School End-of-Course assessments in Biology or Chemistry are administered in the spring to students in grades 10-12.
March 5 – May 25, 2018	ICILS	International assessment of computer and information literacy given to a small sample of students in Grade 8.
March 19 – May 18, 2018	ISAT – ELA & Math	Required for Grades 3-8 and 10 (Grades 9 & 11 are optional).
March 19 – May 18, 2018	ISAT – Science	Required for Grades 5 and 7.
March 19 – May 18, 2018	ISAT Alternate Assessment ELA & Math by NCSC	Required for Grades 3-8 and 11 for eligible students.
April 16 – May 18, 2018	Idaho Reading Indicator (IRI), Spring	Spring Reporting via ISEE, closes June 29, 2018. Scores can be uploaded in the May or June ISEE upload.
April 10, 2018  April 24, 2018	SAT – School Day Administration  SAT (Make-up)	11 <sup>th</sup> Grade, state funded college entrance exam.  Make-up date intended for students registered for, but not in attendance on school day administration.
District/School Determines	Civics	Students must demonstrate knowledge and understanding of the fundamentals of United States history and the principles and form of United States government. Districts provide their own assessment.  Law requires students to take the 100 questions from the United States Citizenship and Immigrations Services

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		Naturalization Test. A school district or public charter school shall document on the student's transcript that the student passed with a passing threshold.
No Testing School Year 2017-2018	PIRLS	International comparative study of the reading literacy of young students. PIRLS studies the reading achievement and reading behaviors and attitudes of 4 <sup>th</sup> grade students in the U.S. and participating countries.
No Testing School Year 2017-2018	PISA	International assessment that measures 15-year-old students' reading, mathematics and science literacy every three years.

## DEFINITION OF ASSESSMENT

Assessments	Definition
Assessment Monitoring	Provide districts an opportunity to self-evaluate and improve assessment programs – required under federal and state law (ESSA)
EOC	End of Course Assessment (Biology or Chemistry) all students are required to participate once during high schools years
ICILS	International Computer and Information Literacy Study
ISAT Alternate Assessment ELA and Math by NCSC	Idaho National Center and State Collaborative Alternate Assessment Consortium – for eligible students
IRI	Idaho Reading Indicator

Assessments	Definition
ISAT – Alternate Science	Idaho Standards Achievement Tests Alternate Assessment (ePortfolio version for students that meet the criteria for participation on the alternate assessment)
ISAT	Idaho Standards Achievement Tests
NAEP	National Assessment of Educational Progress
PIRLS	Progress in International Reading Literacy Study - No testing during School Year 2017-2018
PISA	Program for International Student Assessment – No testing during School Year 2017-2018
PSAT	Comprehensive assessment that provides students with an array of data and resources and prepares students for SAT – 10 <sup>th</sup> grade option
SAT	College Entrance Exam – 11 <sup>th</sup> grade requirement
WIDA – ACCESS 2.0	Idaho’s annual English language proficiency assessment for English Language Learners

## IDAHO ASSESSMENT BY GRADE

Idaho Assessments	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
ISAT by Smarter Balanced Math & ELA	○	○	○	□	□	□	□	□	□	Ω	□	Ω	○
ISAT Alternate Assessment Math & ELA by NCSC	○	○	○	□	□	□	□	□	□	○	○	□	○

Idaho Assessments	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
ISAT – Alt Science (ePortfolio)	○	○	○	○	○	◻	○	◻	○	○	◻	○	○
ISAT – Science	○	○	○	○	○	◻	○	◻	○	○	○	○	○
EOC Biology, Chemistry	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	☆	☆	☆
IRI	◻	◻	◻	◻	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
Interim Assessment (Optional)	○	○	○	Ω	Ω	Ω	Ω	Ω	Ω	Ω	Ω	Ω	Ω
PSAT	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	Ω	○	○
NAEP	○	○	○	○	🖥️	○	○	○	🖥️	○	○	○	🖥️
WIDA – ACCESS 2.0	◻	◻	◻	◻	◻	◻	◻	◻	◻	◻	◻	◻	◻
Civics	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	🌀	🌀	🌀	🌀	🌀	🌀
College Entrance Exam	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	◻	○
• PISA	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	🖥️	○	○
• PIRLS	○	○	○	○	🖥️	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○
• ICILS	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	🖥️	○	○	○	○

## Idaho Assessments by Grade Legend

- ☐ Tested
- Not Tested
- Ω Offered but NOT required
- ☻ Offered and required within one of the listed grades for graduation
- ★ Required to participate at least once
- 📄 Pattern indicates the test is only administered to a sample; not all schools or students participate
- PISA is administered to 15-year-old student in randomly selected school once every 3 years.
- PIRLS
- ICILS

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