

SY 2020 – 2021 Assessment Calendar

Idaho Comprehensive Assessment Program – Assessments by Date

*Indicates most recent changes



When	Assessment	Grades	Comments
08/10/2020 – 10/09/2020*	IRI – Fall Idaho Reading Indicator	K - 3	Administered to all K-3 students.
08/24/2020 – 03/10/2021	ISAT – Idaho Standards Achievement Test – Interim Assessment	3 – 8, and High School	Recommended as part of the balanced assessment system.
09/23/2020 & 10/14/2020 (primary) 10/27/2020 (makeup)	Class of 2021 SAT School Day	12	State funded college entrance exam for the Class of 2021 enrolled in at least one class in a public high school at time of exam.
10/14/2020 or 10/17/2020 10/29/2020 (makeup) 01/26/2021	PSAT/NMSQT*	10	Optional to sophomores enrolled in public schools. State will pay for sophomores to participate. *Juniors may participate in the NMSQT at their own expense.
01/25/2021 – 03/12/2021	NAEP reading, mathematics, civics, US history	4, 8	State and national results for grades 4 and 8 reading and math. National results for grade 8 civics and US history
01/25/2021 – 03/05/2021	ACCESS - Idaho English Language Proficiency Assessment	K -12	Administered to students identified as English learners.
02/01/2021 – 05/14/2021	LCI – Learner Characteristics Inventory	3 – 8, 10, and 11	Completed by teacher for students taking IDAA. Must complete before student takes test.
02/15/2021 – 03/31/2021	Student Engagement Survey	3 - 12	These surveys are components of the ESSA plan.
02/15/2021 – 03/31/2021	Parent Engagement Survey	All parents	These surveys are components of the ESSA plan.
02/15/2021 – 03/31/2021	Staff Engagement Survey	All staff	These surveys are components of the ESSA plan.
03/15/2021 – 05/14/2021	IDAA - Idaho Alternate Assessment – English Language Arts & Math	3 – 8, and 10	Administered to students with significant cognitive impairments who meet participation criteria.
03/15/2021 – 05/14/2021	ISAT – Idaho Standards Achievement Test – English Language Arts & Math	3 – 8, and 10	Grades 9 and 11 are optional and covered under the state contract.
03/15/2021 – 05/14/2021	ISAT – Idaho Standards Achievement Test - Science	5, 8, and 11	New assessment aligned to new standards (No scores reported in 2021)
03/15/2021 – 05/14/2021	IDAA - Idaho Alternate Assessment - Science	5, 8, and 11	New assessment aligned to new standards. (No scores reported in 2021).
08/01/2020 – 5/30/2021	Idaho English Language Proficiency Assessment – WIDA Screener / K W-APT	K – 12	Administered to provisional English learners to determine English language support services eligibility
04/13/2021 (primary) 04/27/2021 (makeup)	SAT School Day for the Class of 2022	11	State funded college entrance exam for the Class of 2022 enrolled in at least one class in a public high school at time of exam.
05/03/2021 – 05/28/2021	IRI – Spring Idaho Reading Indicator	K - 3	Administered to all K-3 students.
05/25/2021 – 07/14/2021	ISAT – Idaho Standards Achievement Test – Interim Assessment Summer Window	3 – 8, and High School	Recommended as part of the balanced assessment system.
LEA Determined	Civics Assessment	LEA Determined	Based on U.S. Citizenship Test.

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