



## 2025–2026 Final Testing Calendar

Test/Vendor	Testing Window	Grade(s)
The ACT	<p><b>Test Window 1</b>            Paper: February 24, 2026            Accommodated (Paper): February 24-27, March 2-6, 2026            Online (Standard and Accommodations): February 24-27, March 2-6, 2026</p> <hr/> <p><b>Test Window 2</b>            Paper: March 10, 2026            Accommodated (Paper): March 10–13 &amp; March 16–20, 2026            Online (Standard and Accommodations): March 10–13 &amp; 16–20, 2026</p> <hr/> <p><b>Test Window 3</b>  <b>Makeup only (no initial cohort testing)</b>            Paper: April 7, 2026            Accommodated (Paper): April 7–10 &amp; April 13–17, 2026            Online (Standard and Accommodations): April 7–10 &amp; April 13–17, 2026</p>	11
ACT WorkKeys	<p><b>Fall Window:</b> September 22–December 5, 2025  <b>Spring Window:</b> February 17–May 8, 2026</p> <p>All students in Grades 10-12 shall be given the opportunity before they graduate to take a single administration of the WorkKeys assessment which consists of Applied Math, Graphic Literacy, and Workplace Documents.</p>	10–12
PSAT/NMSQT (online only)	October 1–October 31, 2025 (Districts that opt in to the state provided PSAT/NMSQT must agree to give it to all 10th graders)	10
Arkansas Civics Exam	July 1, 2025–June 30, 2026 All students must pass with a score of 60% or better prior to receiving a high school diploma or high school equivalency diploma.	9–12
ELPA21 Summative	March 2–April 17, 2026	English Learners K–12
ALT ELPA Summative	February 2–April 3, 2026	
ATLAS Interims 3-10 & EOCs (optional)	<b>Interims 1 &amp; 2</b> Fall: August 4, 2025 - November 21, 2025 Spring: December 1, 2025 - March 20, 2026	3–HS

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<b>ATLAS EOC Fall Summative</b>	December 1–December 19, 2025 Students who have completed at least 75% of an EOC eligible course (Algebra I, Geometry, or Biology). If these students do not test during this window, they will be expected to test during the spring ATLAS Summative 3-10 & EOCs test window.	Qualifying students enrolled in eligible EOCs
<b>ATLAS Summative 3-10 &amp; EOCs</b>	April 13–May 22, 2026	3–HS
<b>Dynamic Learning Maps (DLM)</b>	<b>Fall Instructionally Embedded Window</b> September 8–December 19, 2025  <b>Spring Instructionally Embedded Window</b> February 2–May 1, 2026	Qualifying students in 3–10 (math & ELA); and 3–8 & 10 (science)
<b>K-3 ATLAS Literacy Screener</b>	<b>Beginning of Year (BOY):</b> August 4, 2025– December 31, 2025 Schools should screen during the first 30 days of school or within 30 days of the screener being available.  <b>Middle of Year (MOY):</b> January 5, 2026 - March 27, 2026 New and indicated students only	K-3
<b>K-2 ATLAS Beginning of Year Math Screener</b>	August 4, 2025– March 27, 2026 Schools should screen during the first 30 days of school or within 30 days of the screener being available.	K-2
<b>K-2 ATLAS Assessment for Reading and Math</b>	<b>K-2 Interim:</b> December 1, 2025 - February 27, 2026 Students will have one Interim opportunity for each subject  <b>K-2 Summative:</b> April 13–May 22, 2026	K-2
<b>Grade 3 Summative Retake ELA Only</b>	May 26, 2026 - June 30, 2026 3rd Grade Promotion Purposes Only	Grade 3
<b>Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB) (schools must offer)</b>	<b>To request an exam date, contact:</b> Mr. Jason Speer, Test Control Officer <a href="mailto:jason.m.speer.civ@army.mil">jason.m.speer.civ@army.mil</a> 501-263-3455 <a href="#">Reservation Form</a>	10-12

**Spring Break March 23-27, 2026**