

Le Sueur-Henderson Public Schools District Assessment Calendar 2023-2024

While the Minnesota Department of Education and Le Sueur-Henderson Public Schools strive to ensure this testing schedule remains unaltered, it is subject to change.

- All scheduled assessments are required as listed. Other testing outside of the dates below can be provided on an as needed basis, not to exceed the annual state testing time limits of 10 hours in grades K-6, and 11 hours in grades 7-12.
- Parents/Guardians may request their student assessment results at any time by contacting the building principal or the District Assessment Coordinator.
- Minnesota State Testing Window Reading/Math MCA/MTAS : March 4th- May 3rd; Science MCA ends May 10th

AUGUST/SEPTEMBER 2023

Dates	Grade(s)	Assessment	Purpose	Source/ Rationale	Time Length
8/24-9/15	K-11	FASTBridge Testing: Reading & Math	Benchmarking of Reading and Math Skills	District Decision/ MDE Approved Screener	45 minutes

OCTOBER 2023

Dates	Grade(s)	Assessment	Purpose	Source/ Rationale	Time Length
10/10	11 (Optional)	PSAT (Pre-SAT): Reading, Writing, Math	Qualifies students for the National Merit® Scholarship Program	College Board	45 minutes

JANUARY / FEBRUARY / MARCH 2024

Dates	Grade(s)	Assessment	Purpose	Source/ Rationale	Time Length
1/2-1/31	K-11	FASTBridge Testing: Reading & Math	Benchmarking of Reading and Math Skills	District Decision/ MDE Approved Screener	45 minutes
1/29-3/22	K-12	ACCESS for English Language Learners: Listening, Reading, Writing, Speaking	To measure progress towards meeting the WIDA English Language Development Standards	Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA)	4 hours
3/12	11 (Optional)	American College Testing (ACT): English, Reading, Math, Science, Writing	College and Career Readiness Assessment	ACT	4 hours

APRIL 2024

Dates	Grade(s)	Assessment	Purpose	Source/ Rationale	Time Length
4/9-4/11	6-8 10	Minnesota Comprehensive Assessment (MCA/MTAS): Reading	To measure learning of the Minnesota Academic Standards	Minnesota Statutes, section 120B.30 and Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA)	1.5-2.5 hours
4/16-4/17	3-5	Minnesota Comprehensive Assessment (MCA/MTAS): Reading	To measure learning of the Minnesota Academic Standards	Minnesota Statutes, section 120B.30 and Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA)	1.5-2.5 hours
4/22-4/25	3-8 11	Minnesota Comprehensive Assessment (MCA/MTAS): Mathematics	To measure learning of the Minnesota Academic Standards	Minnesota Statutes, section 120B.30 and Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA)	1.5-2.5 hours

MAY 2024

Dates	Grade(s)	Assessment	Purpose	Source/ Rationale	Time Length
4/29-5/2	5, 8 10	Minnesota Comprehensive Assessment (MCA/MTAS): Science	To measure learning of the Minnesota Academic Standards	Minnesota Statutes, section 120B.30 and Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA)	1.5-2 hours
5/6-5/17	K-11	FASTBridge Testing: Reading & Math	Benchmarking of Reading and Math Skills	District Decision/MDE Approved Screener	45 minutes