

**SOUTH MIAMI SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL  
MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
2014 - 2015 TESTING CALENDAR, GRADES 9-12**

The calendar will be updated periodically as additional information is obtained about the district, state, national, and international tests administered to the students in Miami-Dade County Public Schools.

DATE	DESCRIPTION	ABBREVIATION	PARTICIPANTS	MANDATE
November 17 – December 12	<i>Mid-Year Assessments English Language Arts, Algebra 1, Algebra 2, Geometry,</i>	<b>MYA</b>	Grades 9-11, EOC enrolled students	State and District
December 1 – 5	<i>Florida Competency Examination on Personal Fitness</i>	<b>FCEPF</b>	Grades 10-12, <i>Optional</i>	State
December 1 – 19	<i>Florida Next Generation Sunshine State Standards End-of-Course Assessments Algebra 1, Biology 1, Civics, Geometry, and US History CBT*</i>	<b>NGSSS EOC</b>	Grades 6-12, <i>eligible students</i>	Federal and State
August 18-September 30	<i>Florida Standards Assessments English Language Arts – Writing Component Field Test CBT*</i>	<b>FSA</b>	Grades 4 -11, <i>selected schools</i>	State
January 5-March 19	<i>Florida Assessments for Instruction in Reading Assessment Period 2 (AP2)</i>	<b>FAIR-FS</b>	Grades 9-10, Levels 1 & 2; Grades 11-12, Retake **	State
January 6 – February 4	<i>Florida Voluntary Prekindergarten (VPK) Assessment Period 2 (AP2)</i>	<b>VPK</b>	Prekindergarten	State
January 12 - 23	District ELA Writing Post-Test	<b>DWT</b>	Grades 3-11	District
January 20- May 8	<i>Grade 3 Reading Student Portfolio</i>	<b>GTRSP</b>	Grade 3	State
January 26 – February 13	<i>Mid-Year Assessments Biology 1 and United States History</i>	<b>MYA</b>	EOC enrolled students	State and District
January 26 – March 6	<i>National Assessment of Educational Progress Reading, Mathematics, and Science</i>	<b>NAEP</b>	Grades 4, 8, 12, <i>selected schools</i>	Federal
February	<i>Florida's Postsecondary Education Readiness Test</i>	<b>PERT</b>	Grade 11, <i>eligible students</i>	State
February 16 -April 3	<i>Comprehensive English Language Learning Assessment</i>	<b>CELLA</b>	Grades 9-12, <i>all current ELLs and eligible former ELLs</i>	Federal and State
March 2 – 13	<i>Florida Standards Assessments English Language Arts – Writing Component</i>	<b>FSA</b>	Grades 9-11 CBT*	Federal and State
March 2 – April 7	<i>Florida Alternate Assessment</i>	<b>FAA</b>	Grades 9-11***	State
March 16 – April 2	<i>Florida Comprehensive Assessment Test Reading and Mathematics Retakes CBT*</i>	<b>FCAT/FCAT 2.0 RETAKE</b>	Grades 10+, 11, 12, <i>eligible students</i>	State
	<i>Florida Next Generation Sunshine State Standards End-of-Course Assessments Algebra 1 Retake CBT*</i>	<b>NGSSS EOC RETAKE</b>	Grades 9-12, <i>eligible students</i>	Federal and State
April 1 – 30	<i>FITNESSGRAM Posttest</i>	<b>FITNESSGRAM</b>	Grades 9-12, students enrolled in PE courses	District
April 13 – May 8	<i>Florida Standards Assessments English Language Arts CBT*</i>	<b>FSA</b>	Grades 9 – 11	Federal and State
April 13 - May 29	<i>Florida Assessments for Instruction in Reading Assessment Period 3 (AP3)</i>	<b>FAIR-FS</b>	Grades 9-10, Levels 1 & 2; Grades 11-12, Retake **	State
April 20 – May 15	<i>Florida Standards Assessments: End-of-Course Assessments Algebra 1, Geometry, and Algebra 2 CBT*</i>	<b>FSA EOC</b>	Grades 6-12, <i>eligible students</i>	Federal and State
April 20 – May 22	<i>Florida Next Generation Sunshine State Standards End-of-Course Assessments Biology 1, Civics, and US History</i>	<b>NGSSS EOC</b>	Grades 6-12, <i>eligible students</i>	Federal and State
April 21 – May 18	<i>Florida Voluntary Prekindergarten (VPK) Assessment Period 3 (AP3)</i>	<b>VPK</b>	Prekindergarten	State
April 27 – June 12	<i>Cambridge Advanced International Certificate of Education Examinations</i>	<b>AICE</b>	Grades 10 -12, <i>enrolled, registered students only</i>	Internationally offered
May 1 – 5	<i>Florida Competency Examination on Personal Fitness</i>	<b>FCEPF</b>	Grades 10-12, <i>Optional</i>	State
May 4 – 15	<i>Advanced Placement Exams</i>	<b>AP</b>	Grades 9-12, <i>enrolled, registered students only</i>	Nationally Offered
May 11 – June 5	<i>District-Designated End-of-Course</i>	<b>DDEOC</b>	Grades 9-12	State

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<b>TESTS GIVEN ON AN AS-NEEDED BASIS</b>			
<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>ABBREVIATION</b>	<b>PARTICIPANTS</b>	<b>MANDATE</b>
<i>Florida's Postsecondary Education Readiness Test</i> Dual Enrollment Placement, College Placement Testing, Post Remediation, Comparative Score for Algebra 1 EOC	<b>PERT</b>	Grades 10 – 12	State
<i>Aprenda La Prueba de los Logros en Español Segunda Edición</i> Placement decision for Gifted Program, Spanish-speaking ELLs	<b>APRENDA</b>	Grades K-12, <i>eligible ELLs</i>	State
<i>The Iowa Tests (Iowa Tests of Basic Skills and Iowa Tests of Educational Development)</i> Placement decisions for Gifted Program	<b>ITBS/ITED</b>	Grades K-12, <i>eligible students</i>	Federal and State
Exit ESOL Program (six semesters or more)		Grades 9-12, <i>eligible students</i>	
<i>Online Comprehensive English Language Learning Assessment</i> Placement decisions for ESOL/ Extension of services for ESOL Program	<b>On-line CELLA</b>	Grades 9-12, <i>eligible students</i>	Federal and State

<b>COLLEGE ENTRANCE EXAMINATIONS NATIONALLY OFFERED FOR INTERESTED, REGISTERED STUDENTS</b>			
<b>Remaining SAT and SAT Subject Test Dates*</b>		<b>Remaining ACT Test Dates</b>	
November 8, 2014	March 14, 2015 (SAT Only)	December 13, 2014	April 18, 2015
December 6, 2014	May 2, 2015	February 7, 2015	June 13, 2015
January 24, 2015	June 6, 2015		

\*SAT Sunday administrations usually occur the day after each Saturday test date for students who cannot test on Saturday due to religious observance.

Notes:

\*Designates computer-based only, with paper-based accommodations available for eligible students with disabilities.

\*\*The following students in all schools must participate in FAIR or i-Ready, as specified above:

- Grades 4-10, Levels 1 and 2;
- Grades 11-12, Retake eligible\*\*

\*\*\*Only includes ESE students exempted from standardized testing at these grade levels.

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ADVANCED PLACEMENT EXAM SCHEDULE FOR COURSES OFFERED AT SMSH  
\*Times are set by the College Board and Cannot Be Altered\*

Week 1	Morning 8 a.m.	Afternoon 12 noon
Monday, 4-May	Chemistry Environmental Science	Psychology
Tuesday, 5-May	Calculus AB Calculus BC	
Wednesday, 6-May	English Literature and Composition	Physics 1: Algebra-Based
Thursday, 7-May	Computer Science A Spanish Language and Culture	Art History Physics 2: Algebra-Based
Friday, 8-May	United States History	European History
	Studio Art—last day for Coordinators to submit digital portfolios (by 8 p.m. EDT) and to gather 2-D Design and Drawing students for physical portfolio assembly	

Week 2	Morning 8 a.m.	Afternoon 12 noon
Monday, 11-May	Biology Music Theory	Physics C: Mechanics- 12PM, Electricity and Magnetism- 2PM
Tuesday, 12-May	United States Government and Politics	Spanish Literature and Culture
Wednesday, 13-May	English Language and Composition	Statistics
Thursday, 14-May	World History	Macroeconomics
Friday, 15-May	Human Geography	