

**TRI COUNTY SCHOOLS
ACADEMIC ASSESSMENT CALENDAR
2016-17 SCHOOL YEAR**

Test Name	Date	Subject	Rationale	Length
OLPA MATH GRADE 3	Feb. 6-7	MATH	District Initiative. Guidance for MCA testing and student progress.	1-1.5 HOURS
OLPA MATH GRADE 4	Feb 6-7	MATH	District Initiative. Guidance for MCA testing and student progress.	1-1.5 HOURS
OLPA MATH GRADE 5	Feb 6-7	MATH	District Initiative. Guidance for MCA testing and student progress.	1-1.5 HOURS
OLPA MATH GRADE 6	Feb 9-10	MATH	District Initiative. Guidance for MCA testing and student progress.	1-1.5 HOURS
OLPA MATH GRADE 7	Feb 6-7	MATH	District Initiative. Guidance for MCA testing and student progress.	1-1.5 HOURS
MCA READING 3	April 12-13	READING	Required by State to assess growth and school impact	2-2.5 HOURS

MCA READING 4	April 11-12	READING	Required by State to assess growth and school impact	2-2.5 HOURS
MCA READING 5	April 11-12	READING	Required by State to assess growth and school impact	2-2.5 HOURS
MCA READING 6	April 12-13	READING	Required by State to assess growth and school impact	2-2.5 HOURS
MCA READING 7	April 20-21	READING	Required by State to assess growth and school impact	2-2.5 HOURS
MCA READING 8	April 20-21	READING	Required by State to assess growth and school impact	2-2.5 HOURS
MCA MATH 3	April 24-25	MATH	Required by State to assess growth and school impact	2 HOURS
MCA MATH 4	April 26-27	MATH	Required by State to assess growth and school impact	2 HOURS
MCA MATH 5	April 26-27	MATH	Required by State to assess growth and school impact	2 HOURS
MCA MATH 6	April 24-April 25	MATH	Required by State to assess growth and school impact	2 HOURS
MCA MATH 7	April 25-26	MATH	Required by State to assess growth and	2 HOURS

			school impact	
MCA MATH 8	April 27-28	MATH	Required by State to assess growth and school impact	2 HOURS
MCA READING 10	April 3-4	READING	Required by State to assess growth and school impact	2-2.5 HOURS
MCA MATH 11	April 24-25	MATH	Required by State to assess growth and school impact	2 HOURS
MCA SCIENCE 5	April 19-20	SCIENCE	Required by State to assess growth and school impact	1.75 hours
MCA SCIENCE 8	May 3-4	SCIENCE	Required by State to assess growth and school impact	1.75 hours
MCA SCIENCE 10	May 1-2	SCIENCE	Required by State to assess growth and school impact	1.75 hours
ACT	April 18	ACT Plus Writing	Optional for students and at no expense.	2.5-3 Hours
ACCUPLACER	May 17	Math/Reading	Optional for students who wish to have postsecondary options such as OCHS or CIHS	1-2 Hours
Instructional Unit Assessments	ALL	Throughout the year	Discretion of the instructor to measure academic performance	1 hour

			and objective attainment	
STAR EARLY LITERACY ASSESSMENTS	PRESCHOOL	NOV/FEB	Measures student readiness for K	30 MIN
STAR EARLY LITERACY K-2	K-2	Beginning of the year and end of each quarter.	Measures student proficiency in reading and reading fluency	30 MIN
STAR READING	3-8	Beginning of year and end of each quarter.	Measures student proficiency in reading	30 MIN
STAR MATH	3-8	Beginning of each year and end of each quarter.	Measures student proficiency in math.	30 MIN