

2019-2020 Dolores School District Testing Windows*

Time of Year	Assessment	Content Area	Grades	Testing Windows
Fall	NWEA***	ELA, Math, Science, Reading	1-11	Aug 27-Sept 10
Fall	DIBELS***	Reading	K-6	Aug 19-29
Fall	TS Gold***	Whole Child	Preschool/K	Aug 10-Sept 25
Winter	NWEA***	ELA, Math, Science, Reading	K-11	Dec 3-19
Winter	DIBELS***	Reading	K-6	Dec 3-13
Winter	Wida*-ACCESS for ELLs (ELLs only)	Reading, Math and Reasoning	K-12	Jan 13-Feb14 (English Language Learners only)
Winter	TS Gold***	Whole Child	Preschool/K	Oct 26-Feb 7
Spring	PSAT*		9th 10th	Grade 9 April 15th Grade 10 April 16 April 28 or 29 Make up tests April 14-21 PSAT Accommodations Window
Spring	SAT**		11th	April 14 initial test date, April 28 or 29 Make up test April 14-17 SAT Accommodations Window
Spring	CMAS* and CoALT	ELA and Math	3rd-8th	April 6-24 (CDE window)
Spring	CMAS * and CoALT	Science	5th, 8th and 11th	April 6-24 (CDE window)
Spring	CMAS* and CoALT	Social Studies	4th, and 7th	April 6-24 (CDE window)
Spring	NWEA	Reading, Math, Language, Science	K-11	April 6-24 (NWEA window)
Spring	DIBELS***	Reading	K-6	April 27-May 6
Spring	TS Gold**	Whole Child	Preschool/K	Feb 8-May 15
<p>NWEA-Northwest Evaluation Association DIBELS-Dynamic Indicators of Basic Early Literacy Skills CMAS-Colorado Measures of Academic Success PSAT-Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test SAT-Scholastic Aptitude Test TS Gold-Teaching Strategies WIDA- World-class Instructional Design and Assessment</p>				
Approximate Testing Time	NWEA- Approximately 1.5 hours a day per subject, DIBELS-3-5 minutes 3x a year, TS Gold-Observation checklist, WIDA-1-2 hours 2 x a year, CMAS- 1-2 hours per subject x 3-4 days, PSAT - 2 hour and 45 min window, SAT-3 hour and 15 minute window			
Assessments are used for state and district data collection. Information is used to inform instruction for maximum student growth.				
*Required by Colorado		*Dates are subject to change based on weather and/or state requirements		
**Required by Colorado and Federal Law				
*** Allowed by Colorado Law				