

2026 Elementary MCA Testing Schedule

State assessments are used to measure learning of Minnesota Academic Standards

January 26th- March 20th Access and Alternative Access for ELL

March 2nd- May 1st MCA, MTAS, Alt. Science & Reading MCA

Tentative Schedule/Dates & Times may change

Grade 3 Reading

Mrs. Scrobeck- Rm 204

March 24th 8:45-10:45

March 25th 12:30-2:30

March 26th 8:45- 10:45

Mr. Sloan-Rm 203

March 24th 8:45-10:45

March 25th 9:30-10:45

March 26th 8:45-10:45

Grade 3 Math

Mrs. Scrobeck-Rm 204

April 20th 8:45-10:45

April 21st 8:45-10:45

April 22nd 12:30-2:30

Mr. Sloan- Rm 203

April 20th 8:45-10:45

April 21st 8:45-10:45

April 22nd 9:30-10:45

Grade 4 Reading

Mrs. Burns- Rm 206

Ms. Nelson-Rm 202

March 30th-April 1st 12:30-2:30

Grade 4 Math

Mrs. Burns- Rm 206

Ms. Nelson-Rm 202

April 21st - April 23rd 12:30-2:30

Grade 5 Science

Mrs. Kennedy Rm 104

March 10th – March 13th

9:15- 10:10 Mrs. Kennedy

10:10- 11:05 Ms. O’Connell

Grade 5 Reading

Mrs. Kennedy-Rm 102

March 30th- April 2nd 12:20-1:20

Ms. O’Connell- Rm 102

March 30th 1:30-2:30

March 31st- April 2nd 1:30-2:10

Grade 5 Math

Ms. O’Connell - Rm 104

April 21st - 24th 12:15-1:20

Mrs. Kennedy- Rm 104

April 21st -24th 1:30-2:15

Grade 6 Reading

Mrs. Andring Rm 106

March 30th-April 2nd 8:25-9:25

Mr. Anderson Rm 108

March 30th- April 2nd 9:25- 10:25

Grade 6 Math

Mr. Anderson- Rm 108

April 21st- 24th 8:25-9:25

Mrs. Andring- Rm 108

April 21st- 24th 9:25- 10:25

MCA Estimated Testing Times

Grade 3-5 Reading 1.5-2 hours

Grade 3-5 Math 1.5-2 hours

Grade 5 Science 1.5-2 hours

***Final results will be available at fall conferences or mailed home with report cards.**

Rationale and Source of Requirement: Minnesota Statutes, Section 120B.30

<https://www.revisor.mn.gov/statutes/cite/120B.30> and ESSA <https://www.ed.gov/esea>

MDE State Testing page: <https://education.mn.gov/MDE/dse/test/>