

# DEPARTMENT OF ASSESSMENT AND TESTING

## ROCHESTER CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

### 2025-2026 K – 12 Assessment Calendar

■ RCSD District Assessments

■ Mandatory State Assessments

Dates	Assessment	Grade-Level(s)
August 19 – August 20	August Administration of NYS Regents Exams	Grades 9-12
September 15 – September 26	IREADY Diagnostic BOY	Grades K–8
September 22 – October 3	IXL Diagnostic BOY – HS Math	Algebra 8 and Algebra I students (First time in the course)
October 1 – October 17	Istation BOY	Spanish Dominant only K-6 (Bilingual)
October 1 – October 31	NMSQT/PSAT 10/PSAT 9	Grades 9, 10, and 11
October 1 – October 31	SAT School Day	Grades 12
October 6 – December 5	Brigance Early Childhood Screen	Pre K & Kindergarten only
	Common Assessment – BOY (Semester 1 courses at All City and Rochester Early College)	ELA – Grades 9-12 (SEM) Math – Algebra I, II, and Geometry (SEM) SS – Global I, Global II, and US (SEM) Science - Biology, Earth & Space Science(SEM)
	Common Assessment – BOY (All schools except All City and Rochester Early College)	ELA – Grades K–12 (FY) SLA – Grades K-8 (FY) Math – Grades K-8, Algebra I, II, and Geometry (FY) SS – 7-8, Global I, Global II, and US (FY) Science - K-8,Biology, Earth & Space Science, Chemistry, and Physics (FY) WL – IC, IP, I, and II (FY)
October 27 – November 7	LAS Links (Speaking and Listening only)	Grades 1-12 (ELL students in all programming and Never ELLs in Bilingual programming)
Nov. 17-21 Elementary Chief Checkpoint with Leadership Team		
	Common Assessment – MOY (Semester 1 courses at All City and Rochester Early College)	ELA – Grades 9 - 12 (SEM) Math – Algebra I, II, and Geometry (SEM) SS – Global I, Global II, and US (SEM) Science - Biology and Earth & Space Science (SEM)
January 5 – January 16	IREADY Diagnostic MOY	Grades K - 8
January 5 – January 16	Istation MOY	Spanish Dominant only K-6 (Bilingual)

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January 12 – January 30	IXL Diagnostic MOY – HS Math	Algebra 8 and Algebra I students (First time in the course)
January 20 – January 23	January Administration of NYS Regents Exams	Grades 9-12
February 2-6 Elementary Chief Checkpoint with Leadership Team		
	Common Assessment – BOY (Semester 2 courses at All City and Rochester Early College)	ELA – Grades 9-12 (SEM) Math – Algebra I, II, and Geometry (SEM) SS – Global I, Global II, and US (SEM) Science - Biology and Earth & Space Science (SEM)
March 2 – March 27	SAT School Day	Grade 11
March 9 – June 5	NYS Alternate Assessments in ELA, Math, and Science	Grades 3-8; 11 (eligible students with severe disabilities)
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April 20 – May 1	IXL Diagnostic EOY – HS Math	Algebra 8 and Algebra I students (First time)
April 7 – April 16	NYS 3-8 ELA Test (Computer-Based)	Grades 3,4,5,6,7,8
April 20 – April 30	NYS 3–8 Math Test – (Computer-Based)	Grades 3,4,5,6,7,8
April 6 – May 22	NYSESLAT (Speaking Sessions)	Grades K-12
May 4 – May 15	AP Testing	Grades 9-12
May 11 – May 15	NYS 5 and 8 Science (Computer-Based)	Grades 5 and 8
May 4 – May 22	NYSESLAT (Listening, Reading, Writing)	Grades K-12
May 4 – May 22	IREADY Diagnostic EOY	Grades K - 8
May 4 – May 22	Istation EOY	Spanish Dominant only K-6 (Bilingual)
	Common Assessment – EOY (All schools except All City and Rochester Early College)	ELA – Grades K–10 and 12 (FY) SLA – Grades K-8 (FY) Math – Grades K-8 and Algebra I (FY) SS – 7-8, Global I, Global II, and US (FY) Science - K-8,Biology, Earth & Space Science, Chemistry, and Physics (FY)
June 1-5 Elementary Chief Checkpoint with Leadership Team		

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<b>June 9</b>	<b>New English Language Arts New Physical Science: Chemistry</b>	<b>Grades 11</b>
<b>June 10</b>	<b>New Algebra II New Physical Science: Physics</b>	<b>Grade 10, 11, or 12</b>
<b>June 17 – June 25</b>	<b>June Administration of NYS Regents Exams</b>	<b>Grades 9-12</b>