

# 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 15 – September 26	Istation BOY	Spanish Dominant only (Bilingual programming) K-6
September 15 – September 26	IXL Diagnostic BOY – HS Math	Algebra 8 and Algebra I students (First time in the course)
October 6 – October 17	World Language Screener	Grades 5 and 6 (No Bilingual programs)
October 6 – December 5	Brigance Early Childhood Screen	Pre K & Kindergarten only
October 1 – October 17	NMSQT/PSAT 9 Day	Grades 9 and 11
October 1 – October 17	SAT School Day	Grades 12
October 14 – October 28	Common Assessment – BOY (Semester 1 courses at All City and Rochester Early College)	ELA – Grades 9-12 (SEM) Math – Regents (SEM) SS – Global I, Global II, and US (SEM)
October 20 – October 31	Common Assessment – BOY (All schools except All City and Rochester Early College)	ELA – Grades K–12 (FY) SLA – Grades K-5 (FY) Math – Grades K-5 and Regents (FY) SS – 7, 8 Global I, Global II, and US (FY) WL – IC, I, 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		
November 24 – December 12	Common Assessment – EOY (Semester 1 courses at All City and Rochester Early College)	ELA – Grades 9-12 (SEM) Math – Regents (SEM) SS – Global I, Global II, and US (SEM)
January 5 – January 16	IREADY Diagnostic MOY	Grades K - 8
January 5 – January 16	Istation MOY	Spanish Dominant only (Bilingual programming) K-6
January 12 – January 28	Common Assessment – MOY (All schools except All City and Rochester Early College)	ELA – Grades K–12 (FY) SLA – Grades K-5 (FY) Math – Grades K-5 and Regents (FY) SS – 7, 8 Global I, Global II, and US (FY) WL – IC, I, II (FY)
January 12 – January 30	IXL Diagnostic MOY – HS Math	Algebra 8 and Algebra I students (First time in the course)

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January 20 – January 23	January Administration of NYS Regents Exams	Grades 9-12
February 2-6 Elementary Chief Checkpoint with Leadership Team		
February 23 – March 6	Common Assessment – BOY (Semester 2 courses at All City and Rochester Early College)	ELA – Grades 9-12 (SEM) Math – Regents (SEM) SS – Global I, Global II, and US (SEM)
March 2 – March 13	PSAT 10 Day	Grades 10 and 11
March 2 – March 13	SAT School Day	Grade 11
March 9 – June 5	NYS Alternate Assessments in ELA and Math	Grades 3-8; 11 (eligible students with severe disabilities)
April 20 – May 1	Common Assessment – EOY (Semester 2 courses at All City and Rochester Early College)	ELA – Grades 9-12 (SEM) Math – Regents (SEM) SS – Global I, Global II, and US (SEM)
April 20 – May 1	IXL Diagnostic EOY – HS Math	Algebra 8 and Algebra I students (First time in the course)
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 (Bilingual programming) K-6
May 11 – May 22	Common Assessment – EOY (All schools except All City and Rochester Early College)	ELA – Grades K–12 (FY) SLA – Grades K-5 (FY) Math – Grades K-5 and Regents (FY) SS – 7, 8 Global I, Global II, and US (FY) WL – IC, I, II (FY)
June 1-5 Elementary Chief Checkpoint with Leadership Team		
June 9	New English Language Arts New Physical Science: Chemistry	Grades 11
June 10	New Algebra II New Physical Science: Physics	Grade 10, 11, or 12
June 17 – June 25	June Administration of NYS Regents Exams	Grades 9-12