

Cedar Grove Public Schools

2024 - 2025 ASSESSMENT SCHEDULE TO PARENTS AND GENERAL PUBLIC

| Assessment/Subject Area | Administration Date/Time | Grades Covered | Testing Mode and approximate Allotted Time | Requirement (State and/or Federal) | Results Available to District |
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| Link It! Benchmark Form A, B, C - ELA | Fall (September 9 - 27, 2024) Winter (Jan. 6 - Jan. 20, 2025) Spring (May 12 - May 23, 2025) | Grades 1 - 8 | Computer - 1 hour | N/A | Immediate |
| enVision Mathematics Screener* and Diagnostic *Screener fall only **Screener winter only | Fall (September 11 - 27, 2024) Winter (Jan. 6 - Jan. 20, 2025) Spring (May 12 - May 23, 2025) | Grades 1 - 8 (Fall)* Grade K**-8 (Winter/Spring) | Computer in mins. Screener 20-25 Diagnostic 45-60 | N/A | Immediate |
| Quarterly Assessments - cumulative assessments beginning with Grade 9 ELA, Math, Science and Social Studies; Grade 8 Accelerated Math | Last week of each Marking Period for MP1, MP2, MP3 | Grade 8 Accelerated Math, Grade 9 (all students) | Computer - 45 minutes | N/A | Immediate |
| Running Records - a detailed record of reading behaviors and capabilities. | Fall (September, 2024) Winter (January, 2025) Spring (May-June, 2025) | Grades 1-4 | Teacher administered | N/A | October February June |
| STAR - is an online adaptive assessment program for students typically in grades K-2. The program uses a series of questions to assess a student's early literacy and numeracy skills. | Fall (Sept –Oct., 2024) Winter (Jan. – Feb., 2025) Spring (May, 2025) | Grades K – 2 | Computer - 25-30 mins. | N/A | Mid-October, Mid-February, Mid - May |
| DIBELS - a literacy assessment that measures essential skills, such as phonics and phonemic awareness, for proficient reading. | Winter (January, 2025) Spring (May, 2025) | Grade K | TBD | N/A | Early February Early June |
| The ACT is a standardized test used for college admissions in the United States. It is a curriculum-based education and career planning tool for high school students that assesses the mastery of college readiness standards. The ACT covers four academic skill areas: English, mathematics, reading and science reasoning. It also offers an optional direct writing test. <i>CGHS will not be offering a school-based test.</i> | October, 2024 | Grade 12 | Computer and/or Pencil/Paper | N/A | 2 – 8 weeks after administration |
| Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test (PSAT) - is a rehearsal for students who plan to take the SAT, which is the test most colleges require for admission. | October, 2024 | Grades 10, and 11 | Computer and/or Pencil/Paper | N/A | 6 – 8 weeks after administration |
| ACCESS Testing - Standardized Assessment to evaluate progress of ESL students | February - April 2025 | Grades K - 12 | Computer and/or Pencil/Paper | State | Summer 2025 |
| NJGPA Graduation Requirement for Grade 11 students only | March 10 - 14, 2025 | Grade 11. For more information on graduation requirements visit: | Computer - Time TBD | State and Federal | Summer 2025 |

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| | | https://www.nj.gov/education/assessment/docs/GradReq.pdf | | | |
| CogAT - Used as a metric for eligibility for gifted and talented instruction, CogAT provides detailed information on students' Verbal, Quantitative, and Figural (Nonverbal) reasoning through multiple, engaging measures that reflect student potential for learning. | May, 2025 (specific dates TBD) | Grades 2 and TBD | Computer | | TBD |
| NJSLA End-of-Year Assessments English Language Arts & Mathematics | April 28, 2025 – May 23, 2025 | Grades 3 – 9 For more information visit: https://nj.mypearsonsupport.com/reporting/ForParent/ | Computer - Time TBD | State and Federal | Summer 2025 |
| Advanced Placement Exams | May 2025 | Grades 10 – 12 For more information visit: https://www.collegeboard.org/ | Computer and/or Pencil/Paper | N/A | Summer 2025 |
| New Jersey Student Learning Assessment – Science (NJSLA-S) | April 28 - May 23, 2025 | Grades 5, 8, 11 For more information visit: https://nj.mypearsonsupport.com/reporting/ForParent/ | Computer - Time TBD | State | Summer 2025 |
| Grade 6 Math Placement - Readiness Assessment as one of several factors for placement on accelerated track in Grade 7 Mathematics | April/May 2025 | Grade 6 only | Pencil/Paper | N/A | Immediate |