

## 2023-2024 Kansas Assessment Program Overview

All tests are delivered in Kite® Student Portal (except HGSS) and include multiple-choice and technology-enhanced items. KELPA speaking and writing assessments are human scored. All other assessments are machine-scored. Interim and 2<sup>nd</sup> grade assessments are optional. General summative, Kansas English Language Proficiency Assessment (KELPA), History, Government, and Social Studies (HGSS), and Dynamic Learning Maps® (DLM®) assessments are mandatory.

Assessment Type	Subject	Grades	Estimated Time to Complete <sup>1</sup>	Testing Window	Need Not Test Date <sup>2</sup>	Recently Arrived in U.S. Exemption Date <sup>3</sup>
Classroom-based Assessment	HGSS	4, 7, and either 10, 11, or 12*	Varies	Submit Scores in KIDS EOYA Collection	4/19/24	N/A
General Summative Assessments	Mathematics	3–8, 10	Two sessions, 45–60 mins each	Students testing at a Brick & Mortar School March 18-April 19 <sup>7</sup>  <b>Full Time Virtual Student testing remotely April 22-May 3<sup>7</sup></b>	Enrolled on or after 3/18/2024	Recently Arrived student required to take math.
	English Language Arts	3–8, 10	Two sessions, 45–60 mins each			Arrived after 3/18/23 exempted from ELA. Must take KELPA.
	Science	5, 8, 11	Two sessions, 45 mins each			Recently Arrived student required to take science.
Interim Predictive Assessments <sup>4</sup>	Mathematics	3-8 10 (no test available)	One session, 45–60 mins	10/02/23 to 10/13/23 12/04/23 to 12/15/23 1/29/24 to 2/09/24	N/A	N/A
	ELA	ELA 3–8, 10				
Dynamic Learning Maps Alternate Assessments <sup>5</sup>	Mathematics, English Language Arts	3-8, 10	Varies	<b>Fall</b> 9/11/23 to 12/22/23  <b>Spring</b> 2/05/24 to 4/26/24	3/18/2024	Recently Arrived student required to take math. Arrived after 3/18/23 exempt from ELA. Must take Alt ELP Assessment (TBA).
Dynamic Learning Maps Alternate Assessments <sup>5</sup>	Science	5, 8, 11	Varies	2/05/24 to 4/26/24	3/18/2024	Recently Arrived student required to take science.
KELPA Assessments <sup>6</sup>	Four domains: reading, speaking, listening, writing	K–12	Varies. Refer to Kansas Assessment Examiner’s Manual	1/29/24 to 3/08/24  Human scoring completed by 3/29/24 <sup>7</sup>	N/A	No exemption. Required for all identified EL students.
cPass	Comprehensive Agriculture, Plant Systems, Animal Systems	9–12	Varies	<b>Fall</b> 11/27/23 to 12/15/23  <b>Spring</b> 3/18/24 to 4/19/24	N/A	N/A
2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade Assessment	Optional 2 <sup>nd</sup> grade assessment	2	Two sessions, 25-30 mins each	March 18-April 19 <sup>7</sup>	N/A	N/A
AMOSS Data Check	All assessment data	K–12	N/A	07/05/24–07/19/24 <sup>8</sup>	N/A	N/A

### Notes

<sup>1</sup> Time estimates are for scheduling purposes only. Kansas Assessments are *untimed*. Please provide adequate time for students to finish.

<sup>2</sup> Date on or after which student entered the district.

<sup>3</sup> First entry by an ESOL student in a U.S. school.

<sup>4</sup> Teacher-assembled interim mini tests, which may be tailored to specific curriculum as needed, are available 9/05/23 and vary in length. Find more information at [ksassessments.org](http://ksassessments.org).

<sup>5</sup> Headphones required.

<sup>6</sup> Headphones with microphone required.

<sup>7</sup> Testing and/or Scoring completed by end of day.

<sup>8</sup> AMOSS data check – *tentative*

\* HGSS- the district determines one grade, either 10, 11, or 12, to administer and report CBA scores in EOYA Collection.

# 2023-2024 Assessment Activity Timeline



<b>August</b>	3	Required DLM test administrator training opens for teachers. Complete by September 5.
	7	DTCs make sure all personnel needing Educator Portal accounts have them.
	7	DTCs update Educator Portal accounts, deactivate accounts for personnel no longer in the district or no longer involved with assessments.
	8	DTC/BTC Virtual Training Webinar @ 1:00 p.m.
	31	Enroll and roster students eligible for DLM.
<b>September</b>	5	Order materials for PreACT 8/9. Deadline October 20.
	5	Submit TASC records for interim mini-tests and predictive interims.
	5	Interim mini-tests available for ELA and mathematics.
	8	DLM test administrators complete First Contact Surveys and enter PNPs. First Contact Survey must be submitted prior to creating instructional plans.
	11	DLM Instruction and Assessment Planner opens. Teachers must enter instructional plans for ELA and mathematics for each student. Teachers provide instruction on the EE and assess when the student is ready. Blueprint coverage must be completed by December 22.
	12	DTC/BTC Virtual Training Webinar @ 1:00 p.m.
<b>October</b>	2	PreACT 8/9 for <b>grade 9</b> students opens. Closes November 10.
	2	Interim predictive assessment window opens. Closes October 13.
	4	WorkKeys paper administration Window 1.
	4	WorkKeys Online testing for windows 1 & 2 open. Closes November 13.
	4	WorkKeys w/accommodations Window 1: October 4-6, 9-13, 16.
	10	DTC/BTC Virtual Training Webinar @ 1:00 p.m.
<b>November</b>	1	WorkKeys paper administration Window 2.
	1	WorkKeys w/accommodations Window 2: November 1-3, 6-10, 13.
	14	DTC/BTC Virtual Training Webinar @ 1:00 p.m.
	27	Fall cPass testing window opens. Closes December 15.
	30	Last day to submit TEST records and enter PNP for students needing Braille.
<b>December</b>	4	Interim predictive assessment window opens. Closes December 15.
	12	DTC/BTC Virtual Training Webinar @ 1:00 p.m.
	22	Last day to complete fall DLM for ELA and mathematics. Instruction and Assessment Planner closed until February 5, 2024.
	15	Fall cPass testing window closes.
<b>January</b>	3	DTCs ensure all personnel administering or scoring KELPA have Educator Portal accounts.
	3	Submit TEST records and enter PNPs for students taking KELPA.
	3	KELPA Administration, scoring manuals, and online training available.
	9	DTC/BTC Virtual Training Webinar @ 1:00 p.m.
	26	Test Security and Ethics Training must be completed by <i>all</i> personnel administering KELPA.
	29	Interim predictive assessment window opens. Closes February 9.
	29	KELPA test window opens. Closes March 8.
	29	KELPA <b>scoring</b> window opens. Closes March 29.
	31	TTS Nonvisual/Nonreader Accommodation documentation due to <a href="mailto:TTNonvisual@ksde.org">TTNonvisual@ksde.org</a>

<b>February</b>	5	DLM spring window opens for ELA, math, and science. Blueprint coverage must be completed by April 26.
	13	DTC/BTC Virtual Training Webinar @ 1:00 p.m.
	26	Submit TEST records for ELA, math, science, and update PNPs.
	26	Submit TASC records for second grade reading assessment ( <i>optional</i> ).
	26	Last day to enter PNPs in Kite for students that have been pre-approved for TTS Nonvisual/Nonreader. Must be entered in Kite by 5:00 pm to complete approval process.
	27	Paper administration of state paid ACT for <b>juniors</b> . Window 1.
	27	ACT Online Window: February 27-29, March 1 & March 4-8.
	27	ACT w/ accommodations Window 1: February 27-29, March 1 & March 4-8.
	28	WorkKeys paper administration Window 3.
	28	WorkKeys Online testing for windows 3 & 4 open. Closes April 8.
	28	WorkKeys w/accommodations Window 3: February 28-29, March 1, March 4-8, and 11.
<b>March</b>		
	5	DTC/BTC Virtual Training Webinar @ 1:00 p.m.
	8	KELPA testing window closes.
	8	Test Security & Ethics Training must be completed by <i>all</i> personnel administering KAP assessments.
	18	Assessment window opens for ELA, math, and science. Closes April 19 (Brick & Mortar).
	18	Spring cPass testing opens. Closes April 19.
	18	2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade Reading Assessment ( <i>optional</i> ) testing window opens. Closes April 19.
	26	Paper administration of state paid ACT for <b>juniors</b> . Window 2.
	26	ACT Online Window 2: March 26-29, April 1-5
	26	ACT w/accommodations Window 2: March 26-29, April 1-5
	27	WorkKeys paper administration Window 4.
	27	WorkKeys w/accommodations Window 4: March 27-29, April 1-5, 8.
	29	KELPA scoring window closes. Last day to upload writing booklets & scores to Kite.
<b>April</b>		
	8	WorkKeys Online closes for windows 3 & 4.
	9	DTC/BTC Virtual Training Webinar @ 1:00 p.m.
	19	Assessment window closes for KAP: ELA, math, and science (Brick & Mortar).
	19	Last day to enter SC codes for KAP assessments. Must enter for each subject.
	19	Spring cPass testing closes.
	22	Assessment window opens for full time virtual students testing remotely. Closes May 3.
	23	Paper administration of state paid ACT for <b>juniors</b> . Window 3.
	23	ACT Online Window 3: April 23-26, April 29-30, May 1-3.
	23	ACT w/accommodations Window 3: April 23-26, April 29-30, May 1-3.
	26	Assessment window closes for DLM assessments.
	26	Last day to enter SC codes DLM. Must enter for each subject.
<b>May</b>		
	3	Assessment window closes for full time virtual students testing remotely. Last day to enter SC Codes for virtual students testing remotely.
	14	DTC/BTC Virtual Training Webinar @ 1:00 p.m.
	TBD	Student score reports available for KAP assessments.
<b>June</b>		
	11	DTC/BTC Virtual Training Webinar @ 1:00 p.m.
	14	DLM reports available.
<b>July</b>		
	5-19*	Tentative Dates to check assessment data in KSDE Authenticated Web Application-AMOSS.

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