



25-26 State Assessments - Elementary Schools

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IMPORTANT NOTE: Dates are subject to change due to inclement weather, local/state emergencies, etc.

DATES	ELEMENTARY SCHOOL STATE ASSESSMENT ADMINISTRATIONS	GRADE
August 1-September 12	GKIDS Readiness Check (first 30 days of school)	K
August 1-May 12	Georgia Kindergarten Inventory of Developing Skills (GKIDS 2.0)	K
Jan 26- March 20	NAEP : (select schools only)	Select
January 7-Feb. 27	ACCESS for English Language Learners (ELL students only)	K-5
March 23-May 1	Georgia Alternative Assessment 2.0 (select Special Education students)	3-5
April 6- May 15**	Georgia Milestones End-of-Grade Assessments	3-5 *

Georgia Milestones Assessments for Grades 3-5 Spring 2026

April 27 5 th ELA 1	April 28 5 th ELA 2/3	April 29 3 rd ELA 1	April 30 3 rd ELA 2/3	May 1 Make Ups
May 4 4 th ELA 1	May 5 4 th ELA 2/3	May 6 5 th Math	May 7 3 rd Math	May 8 Make Ups
May 11 4 th Math	May 12 5 th Science	May 13 Make Ups	May 14 Make Ups	May 15 Make Ups

***Make-Up Sessions** are reserved for students that miss the regularly scheduled test for medical reasons or extenuating circumstances. Each school will offer rolling make-up opportunities after each initial administration.

** Check with your school for exact dates