



2016-17 Assessment Dates for Elementary

August

5	Bass DRA window opens (until Sept. 16)
19	LCS DRA window opens (until Sept. 30)
25	Grades 3-5 Writing Benchmark Prompt window (until Sept. 2)
29	Grades 1-3 PALS window opens (choose a two week window)

September

2	Student half day/Writing Benchmark window closes
23	Grades 1-3 PALS window closes
26	Kindergarten PALS window opens
29	STC training 1:30 at ITC (for STC & backup)

October

5-14	Bass Benchmark testing
14	Half day
	Kindergarten PALS window closes
17-19	Optional Intervention Days (fall break all week)

November

1-11	Benchmark Testing
7-8	Professional Development Days
10	STC training 1:30 at ITC (for STC & backup)
14-18	American Education Week
23-25	Thanksgiving break

December

5-9	Stanford 10 (grade 2)
16	Quarter 2 ends & last day until Jan. 2 (students return Jan. 3)

January

2	Professional Development Day & midyear PALS window opens
3	Students return
9	Online WIDA Access for ELLs testing window opens
12-20	Grades 3-5 Writing Benchmark Prompt window
16	MLK Day-Schools Closed
27	Mid-year PALS window closes
30	NNAT one-day testing (grade 1 through Feb. 3)

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February

3	NNAT testing ends
16	STC Meeting at 1:30 location TBD (for STC & backup)
17	NAEP Testing for Bedford Hills grade 4
24	Half day for students
27-28	Optional Intervention (break week all week)

March

1	Last day of Optional Intervention (break all week)
9	NAEP Testing at Sheffield grade 4
10	NAEP Testing at RS Payne grade 4
20-30	Elementary Benchmark testing
23	STC training 1:30 location TBD (for STC & backup)
21	WIDA Access for ELLs testing window ends
31	End of Quarter 3/Half day

April

6-7	ITC Open Lab days for STCs & their backups 8:30-3:00
3-28	DRA testing window
10-14	Spring Break

May

1-26	Spring PALS window opens (choose a two week window)
2 OR 3	Reading 4 (1 day CAT)
4 OR 5	Reading 5 (1 day CAT)
9-10	Reading 3 CAT SOL-parts 1 & 2 (2 day CAT)
11	VA Studies SOL (grade 5)
15	Reading and history data upload for retakes

Reading and History Remediation, Retakes, and Makeups

18	Grade 5 Math (1 day CAT)
19	Grade 4 Math (1 day CAT)
23	Grade 5 Science
24	Grade 3 Math (1 day CAT)
26	Math and science data upload for retakes
29	Memorial Day-schools closed
30	Begin math and science retakes

Math and Science Remediation, Retakes, and Makeups

June

1-2	SOL math and science remediation, retakes, & makeups (through June 8 if needed)
8	Last day for students
9	Teacher work day