

LCHS Standardized Testing Dates

LCHS offers a variety of required and/or optional testing opportunities for students. Below is a list of testing opportunities available to our students. To see our school report card for testing results information: <https://www.illinoisreportcard.com/>

Optional

PSAT/NMSQT - Sophomores/Juniors

The Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test is a multiple choice test that measures developed verbal and mathematical reasoning abilities important for academic performance in college. This exam also allows students to participate in the National Merit Scholarship competitions.

Test Date: October 21, 2025

ASVAB - Sophomores - Seniors

Every fall the Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB) test is administered free of charge to students. The Armed Services requires this test for those students planning to enlist. This test is aimed to find your natural tendencies or inclinations in career fields. The ASVAB can provide a boost in your career decision making process. See your guidance counselor for more information.

Test Date: Nov 13, 2025

AP Language and Composition

Students taking the AP Language and Composition class have the opportunity to sign-up for the paid test event at the end of the class. This exam is scored on a 5-point scale. 5 is considered the highest possible score and 3 or higher is generally considered passing. Colleges may offer credit or placement opportunities based on their identified score requirements.

Test Date: May 13, 2026

AP Literature and Composition

Students taking the AP Literature and Composition class have the opportunity to sign-up for the paid test event at the end of the class. This exam is scored on a 5-point scale. 5 is considered the highest possible score and 3 or higher is generally considered passing. Colleges may offer credit or placement opportunities based on their identified score requirements.

Test Date: May 6, 2026

Required

PreACT Secure - Freshmen/Sophomores

The ACT assessment consists of academic tests that measure educational development.

Test Date: March 25, 2026

ACT with Writing - Juniors

The ACT assessment consists of academic tests that measure educational development.

Test Date: March 25, 2026

ACCESS - Freshman-Seniors

ACCESS for ELLs is a standards-based, criterion referenced English language proficiency test designed to measure English language learners' social and academic proficiency in English. It assesses social and instructional English as well as the language associated with language arts, mathematics, science, and social studies within the school context across the four language domains.

Testing Window: January 14 - March 3, 2026