

## Revere School District Assessment Calendar

<b>Name of Assessment</b>	<b>Is the test a:  Local or State Test</b>	<b>Is the test:  Required by Federal Law</b>	<b>“Anticipated” calendar year</b>	<b>“Purpose” of the assessment</b>	<b>“Manner” in which the results will be used by the district or CDE (Colorado Department of Education)</b>
NWEA (Northwest Evaluations Association)/ Commonly referred to as MAPS	Local	No	NWEA is given 3 times a year to 1 <sup>st</sup> – 11 <sup>th</sup> grade students and 2 times a year (winter and spring) for K. August/September December/January April/May	NWEA testing consists of one Reading, Math, Language, and Science test, given three times a year.	NWEA helps guide individual student learning growth goals, teacher instruction, and interventions for students of need.
ASVAB: Career Exploration Program	Local	No	ASVAB will be given during the Junior year of High School.	The ASVAB test covers eight areas including science, word knowledge, math, and mechanical comprehension.	The ASVAB assists students with Career Exploration. Students can discover their strengths and aptitude, which can help them make informed decisions regarding their future college and career goals.
CMAS – Science and Social Studies	State	CMAS – Social Studies is NOT required by Federal Law  CMAS – Science IS required by Federal Law	CMAS – Colorado Measures of Academic Success: Science and Social Studies. Grades 4, 7 & 11 will take Social Studies (on a sample basis, on a three year rotation designated by CDE). Grades 5, 8 & 11 will take Science in the spring.	CMAS Science and Social Studies each consist of three tests.	CMAS – Social Studies is required by the State of Colorado and Science is required by the State and Federal government. CMAS is part of the Revere School District’s accreditation process.
CMAS – PARCC - Math and English Language Arts	State	Yes	This assessment is given to 3 <sup>rd</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup> grade students in March or April. Depending on the grade level, students may take up to 3 math tests and 5 English Language tests.	PARCC is given to comply with State and Federal guidelines. Results have not been received and therefore have not been utilized by the Revere School District.	PARCC is required by the State of Colorado and the Federal Government and is part of the Revere School District’s accreditation process.

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ACCESS	State	Yes	This assessment is given to ELL (English Language Learners) students who qualify in January.	ACCESS is designed to assess students' abilities to read, write and understand the English language. This tests includes several parts.	ACCESS is required by the State of Colorado and is part of the school district's accreditation process.
Co-Alt – Science and Social Studies	State	Yes	This assessment is given to students who “qualify” and is given in place of CMAS – Science and Social Studies in March or April.	Co-Alt is designed to assess “qualified” students' abilities to understand science and social studies. This test includes several parts.	Co-Alt Science and Social Studies is required by the State of Colorado and is part of the school district's accreditation process.
DLM – Math and English Language Arts	State	Yes	This assessment is given to students who “qualify” and is given in place of PARCC in April.	DLM is designed to assess “qualified” students' abilities to understand Math and English Language Arts.	DLM is required by the State of Colorado and is part of the school district's accreditation process.
WIDA	State	Yes	This assessment is given to ELL students upon entering a school system.	WIDA is a quick probe test to assess ELL students' abilities to read, write and understand the English Language. Depending on the results, students either move to take ACCESS or test out of this process.	WIDA is required by the State of Colorado.
11 <sup>th</sup> Grade – SAT	State	Yes	This assessment is given to juniors in April.	This test is given to juniors in the spring to assess students' abilities in Math, Reading, Language Usage and Science. This tests student college preparedness.	This test is required by the State of Colorado and is part of the school district's accreditation process.
10 <sup>th</sup> Grade College Preparatory Exam – PSAT	State	Yes	This assessment is given to sophomores in April.	This test is given to sophomores in the spring to assess students' abilities in Math, Reading and Language Usage.	This test is required by the State of Colorado and is part of the school district's accreditation process.
PSAT 8/9	State	Yes	This assessment is given to freshmen in April.	This test is given to freshmen in the spring to assess students' abilities in Math, Reading and Language Usage.	This test is required by the State of Colorado and is part of the school district's accreditation process.

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CogAT (Cognitive Abilities Test)	Local	No	This assessment is given to 2 <sup>nd</sup> and 7 <sup>th</sup> graders once a year, typically in the spring.	CogAT is a screener for gifted identification.	The GT Coordinator reviews scores and visits with teacher teams for programming.
Accuplacer	Local	No	This assessment is optional for students in grades 9, 10, 11 and 12 and is typically taken in April and/or May.	This test consists of three separate tests: Math, Reading and Sentence Skills. It is a college placement test.	The Revere School District uses the Accuplacer to place students into specific concurrent enrollment classes (college and high school courses).

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*What if I don't want my student to take the test?* Parents may excuse their students from any state mandated and/or school based standardized assessments.

### RESOURCES:

<https://www.cde.state.co.us/communications/factsheetsandfags-assessment#factsheets>

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