



PINE BLUFF SCHOOL DISTRICT



2023 – 2024 District Testing Calendar Elementary Grades K – 6

TEST	TESTING DATE/WINDOW	GRADE LEVELS
ELPA21 – Screener **	Upon Arrival to the District	Kindergarten – 6 th Grades (Newly enrolled in the district)
Initial and Diagnostic Screeners *	August 16 – September 29, 2023	Kindergarten – 2 nd Grades
State Renaissance STAR Pre-Test Instructions and Practice (Grades K-2) *	August 28 – September 1, 2023	Kindergarten – 2 nd Grades
Fall Renaissance STAR State Assessment (Grades K-2)	September 5 – September 29, 2023	Kindergarten – 2 nd Grades
STAR Reading and Math – Fall	September 5 – September 29, 2023	3 rd – 6 th Grades
Dynamic Learning Maps – ELA & Math *(Science – Required by District) (Instructionally Embedded Window – Fall)	September 11 – December 15, 2023	3 rd – 6 th Grades (Qualifying Students) Alternate Assessments
ATLAS – Trial Run – ELA Practice*	October 9 - 13, 2023	3 rd – 6 th Grades
ATLAS – Trial Run – Math Practice*	December 4 - 8, 2023	3 rd – 6 th Grades
Winter Renaissance STAR State Assessment (Grades K-2)	January 8 – February 2, 2024	Kindergarten – 2 nd Grades
STAR Reading and Math – Winter	January 8 – February 2, 2024	3 rd – 6 th Grades
National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP)*	February 1, 2024	Thirty-Fourth Avenue Elementary School – 4th Grade Only*
Dynamic Learning Maps – ELA & Math *(Science – Required by District) (Instructionally Embedded Window – Spr.)	February 5 – May 17, 2024	3 rd – 6 th Grades (Qualifying Students) Alternate Assessments
ATLAS – Trial Run – Science Practice *	February 12 - 16, 2024	3 rd – 6 th Grades
ATLAS SUMMATIVE STATE ASSESSMENT ~ WRITING ONLY!!!		
ATLAS Summative State Assessment***	March 4 – 15, 2024	3rd – 6th Grades
ELPA21 Summative Assessment	March 4 – April 12, 2024	Kindergarten – 6 th Grades (English Language Learners)

Alt ELPA21 Summative Assessment	TBD	Kindergarten – 6 th Grades (Qualifying English Language Learners) Alternate Assessments
ATLAS – Trial Run – ELA Practice*	April 2 - 5, 2024	3 rd – 6 th Grades
ATLAS SUMMATIVE STATE ASSESSMENTS ~ ELA, MATH, & SCIENCE!!!		
ATLAS Summative State Assessment***	April 15 – May 17, 2024	3rd – 6th Grades
Spring Renaissance STAR State Assessment (Grades K-2) – *In Classrooms*	May 1 – 10, 2024	Kindergarten – 2 nd Grades
STAR Reading and Math – Spring	May 13 – 24, 2024	3 rd – 6 th Grades
KEY: ** = Newly enrolled students must be tested upon enrolling. ** = Potential ELL students must be tested 14 days after enrollment, if enrolling after the beginning of the school year. *** = All students enrolled, or enrolling, must take the state summative assessments up until the DESE window closes May 17, 2024.		