

## 2025-2026 Assessments

<b>Exact Path Diagnostic</b>	Edmentum Exact Path's adaptive diagnostic assessments focus on understanding where your students should begin learning by creating a comprehensive profile of their individual strengths and needs. These reliable assessments support personalized learning by providing you a valid measure of growth upon each successive administration.
<b>Aimsweb Universal Screener</b>	Aimsweb®Plus screens and monitors the reading skills of PreK–8 students. With its robust set of standards-aligned measures, Aimsweb®Plus is proven to uncover learning gaps quickly, identify at-risk students, and assess individual and classroom growth. AIMS will be used to determine needed interventions, track progress, and increase student opportunities to meet annual achievement requirements.
<b>MSAA Alternative Assessment</b>	The Multi-State Alternate Assessment (MSAA) are assessments in English language arts (ELA) and mathematics designed for students with significant cognitive disabilities in grades 3–8 and grade 11. The MSAA measures student mastery of the Tennessee Academic Standards. While the MSAA covers grade-level content standards at a simplified level.
<b>Schoolnet Math</b>	Cumulative assessment given as a check-point to gauge students' understanding. Questions used are standards-aligned, provided by TDOE. Each grade will take the same check-point. Data collected will be used to drive future instruction or re-teaching.
<b>PSAT</b>	The PSAT is designed to help prime students before they take the SAT. It is also used as the qualifying test to identify National Merit Scholars and determine the recipients of National Merit scholarship money.
<b>ACT</b>	The ACT is an entrance exam used by most colleges and universities to make admissions decisions. It is a multiple-choice, digital test administered by ACT, Inc.

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	The purpose of the ACT test is to measure a high school student's readiness for college, and provide colleges with one common data point that can be used to compare all applicants.
<b>ASVAB (Juniors only)</b>	The Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB) is a heavily researched and well-respected aptitude test developed by the Department of Defense. It measures a young adult's strengths and potential for success in military training and the workforce.
<b>EOC</b>	The EOC tests are designed to assess true student understanding of a subject matter and not just basic memorization and test-taking skills. EOC measures student understanding of our state standards. TCAP EOC assessments are given to help measure how much a student grows academically in a particular content area.
<b>ELPA 21</b>	Educators use ACCESS results, along with other ELPA resources, to make decisions about students' English academic language and to facilitate their language development.
<b>TCAP-ALT (Science and Social Studies)</b>	TCAP Alternate (TCAP-Alt) are assessments in science and social studies designed for students with the most significant cognitive disabilities in grades 3–8 and grade 10 and measure student mastery of the Tennessee Academic Standards. While the TCAP-Alt covers grade-level standards at a simplified level, it also includes many built-in supports, modified materials, and accommodations. The TCAPAlt was developed by Tennessee educators who ensured the assessment questions were aligned to standards and accessible to students with the most significant disabilities.
<b>TCAP Grades 3-8</b>	Provides feedback about students' academic progress and how it aligns with grade-level expectations Gives parents and teachers a big-picture perspective about how a student is progressing compared to peers across the district and state, including a student's strengths and growth opportunities Build confidence and transparency about students' readiness for

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	postsecondary and the workforce among Tennessee colleges, universities, and employers. TCAP helps educators strengthen instruction and reflect on their practice while holding us accountable to serving all students fairly.
<b>AP Exams</b>	AP tests are college-level exams on specific subjects and are administered in May upon the completion of an AP course taken at the students' school. A high enough score will earn the student college credit.