

**DESOTO COUNTY SCHOOLS**  
**Office of Accountability and Research**  
**2023-2024 Testing Calendar**

**Middle School District and State Assessment Dates**

Test	Date/Window	Description
<b>iReady Diagnostic Test BOY (Beginning of Year) Grades 6-8</b>	8/9/2023– 9/1/2023	<b>Online Assessment of iReady for all 6-8 students</b>
<b>Grades 6-8 Mastery View Predictive Assessments (Case 21) 1<sup>st</sup> Benchmark:</b>	ELA, Math, and Science: 9/27/2023 – 10/3/2023  6-8 Writing Prompt: 10/4/2023 – 10/6/2023  *Make up data will be pulled on 10/6/2023 at 4:30.	<b>Online First-Nine Week Benchmarks for Grades 6-8 Case 21</b>
<b>iReady Diagnostic Test MOY (Middle of Year) Grades 6-8</b>	12/4/2023-1/19/2024	<b>Online Assessment of iReady for all 6-8 students.</b>
<b>Grades 6-8 Mastery View Predictive Assessments (Case 21) 2<sup>nd</sup> Benchmark:</b>	ELA, Math, and Science: 12/7/2023 – 12/13/2023  6-8 Writing Prompt: 12/4/2023 – 12/6/2023  *Make up data will be pulled on 12/15/2023 at 4:30.	<b>Online Second-Nine Week Benchmarks for Grades 6-8 Case 21</b>
<b>English Language Proficiency Test</b>	3/1/2024-4/12/2024	<b>Online English Language Proficiency Assessment for ELs.</b>
<b>Grades 6-8 Mastery View Predictive Assessments (Case 21) 3<sup>rd</sup> Benchmark:</b>	ELA, Math, and Science: 3/4/2024 – 3/8/2024  6-8 Writing Prompt: 3/18/2024 – 3/20/2024  *Make up data will be pulled on 3/20/2024 at 4:30	<b>Online Third-Nine Week Benchmarks for Grades 6-8 Case 21</b>
<b>MAAP-A: ELA, Math, and Science</b>	3/11/2024-5/3/2024	<b>Mississippi Alternate Assessment Program in ELA, Math, and Science for students with Significant Cognitive Disabilities (SCD).</b>
<b>MAAP ELA, Math, and 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Science</b>	4/8/2024-5/17/2024	<b>Online General Education Assessment for Grades 6-8 in MS.</b>
<b>iReady Diagnostic Test EOY (End of Year) Grades 6-8</b>	4/12/2024-5/22/2024	<b>Online Assessment of iReady for all 6-8 students.</b>

Color Key:

Red—Diagnostic Test  
 Blue—Benchmark Assessment  
 Green—MDE State Assessments (other than LBPA)