

GRAND PEAK ACADEMY
2021 - 2022 School Assessment Calendar



Assessment Name	Date/s	Explanation	Approximate Testing Time
Star 360 (K - 8) Local	Aug. 2 - Aug. 27 Dec. 6 - Jan. 14 Apr. 18 - May 12	Benchmark and progress monitoring assessment measuring the acquisition of reading and math standards and skills	Approximately 20 minutes per benchmark period plus time for ongoing progress monitoring (may vary)
Acadience Reading (K - 5) State, Local	Aug. 6 - Aug. 20 Dec. 3 - Dec. 17 Apr. 28 - May 12	Benchmark and progress monitoring assessment measuring the acquisition of basic early literacy skills	Approximately 10 minutes per benchmark period plus time for ongoing progress monitoring (may vary)
TS Gold (K) State	Aug. 6 - Oct. 6 Mar. 28 - May 13	Assessment informing school readiness. Begins to identify kindergarten student's strengths and goals in developmental and academic areas	Assesses normal classroom activity within the context of a routine day
Access for ELLs (K - 8) State, Federal	Jan. 10 - Feb. 11	Assesses kindergarten through 12th grade students on progress in acquiring academic English. Test is only for English language learners	Approximately 2 hours, 30 minutes
CMAS: ELA, Math (3 - 8) State, Federal	Apr. 4 - Apr. 29	Assesses students in grades 3 - 8 on mastery of Colorado Academic Standards in English language arts and math	ELA (English language arts) - approximately (3) 90-minute units for 3rd - 5th graders. (3) 110-minute units for 6th - 8th graders. Math - (3) 65 minute units
CMAS: Science (5 and 8) State, Federal	Apr. 11 - Apr. 29	Assesses students in grades 5 and 8 on mastery of grade level Colorado Academic Standards in science	Approximately 3 hours
CogAt (3 and 6) State	Sep. 1 - Sep 30	Assesses students in grades 3 and 6 on gifted and talented identifiers	Approximately 3 hours
NAEP (8) State, Federal	Feb. 10	Assesses a sample of students in grade 8 on math and reading	Approximately 3 hours