

### McFarland School District Assessment Calendar 2023-24

Assessment	Grade	When	Use of Data
ACCESS for ELLs	K-12 ELLs only	12/4/23 - 2/2/2024	An English language proficiency assessment used to help teachers modify curriculum to meet the needs of ELLs
Fountas and Pinnell Running Records	K-5	9/11/23-10/13/23, 1/2/24-1/25/24, 4/22/24-5/24-24	Determine individual reading levels in order to inform instruction. Teachers will use running record levels from the previous spring to place students and begin instruction, making adjustments to groupings through observation and informal running records, as needed.
FastBridge	4K - 8	9/11/23-9/27/23, 10/12/24-11/4/24 (4K only) 1/8/24-1/24/24 (K-5), /24/24-5/26/24 5/13/24 - 5/24/24 (K-5)	Inform instruction, create flexible groups, identify students for services or interventions, and student placement as well as provide ongoing progress monitoring for students receiving interventions
Dynamic Learning Maps	3-11 identified students	3/18/24-4/26/24	Alternative Assessment to ACT Aspire for students with cognitive disabilities
Forward Exam Science and Social Studies	4, 8, 10 (SS only at 10)	3/18/24-4/26/24	Item analysis of student performance informs instruction and ensures curriculum alignment to state standards (Science and Social Studies only)
PreACT Secure	9&10	4/17/24	Show preparation for ACT assessment, summative accountability standards and reporting, ensuring curriculum alignment to standards
ACT	11	3/12 makeup day 3/26)	Summative accountability standards and reporting, support College or IHE entrance
AP Exams	9 , 10 , 11 , 12	5/6/24 - 5/24/24	Demonstrate mastery of advanced placement coursework and can impact College or IHE entrance and placement
PSAT (NMSQT)	10, 11 (optional)	10/10/2023	