# 2020-2021 LOUISIANA ASSESSMENT CALENDAR

## BIRTH–GRADE 8

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| Birth–Pre-K    | GOLD or department-approved alternate assessment | Teacher | Fall Checkpoint Finalized: October 30  
Winter Checkpoint Finalized: February 26  
Spring Checkpoint Finalized: May 28 |
| K              | Kindergarten Entry Assessment DRDP or GOLD | Teacher | Administer within first 30 school days  
Data Submission Deadline: October 30 |
| K–3            | K–3 Literacy Assessment DIBELS, STEP, or STEEP | PBT or CBT | Administer within first 30 school days  
Data Submission Deadline: October 30 |
| 3–8            | LEAP 2025 | PBT: grades 3–4*  
CBT: grades 3–8 | PBT Window: ELA/Math April 28–30  
Science/Social Studies May 3–4  
CBT Window: April 26–May 26 |
| 6–8 (Participating Sites) | LEAP Humanities | CBT | Window 1: October 19–30  
Window 2: January 25–February 5  
Window 3: March 29–April 30 |

## GRADES 9–12

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| 9–12 as applicable | LEAP 2025 | CBT | Fall Window: December 1–December 18 or January 6–26*  
*Note: School systems must select one of two windows.  
Spring Window: April 15–May 14  
Summer Window: June 21–25 |
| 11             | ACT        | PBT*     | Initial Standard Time: March 9  
Initial Accommodated Window: March 9–12, March 15–19  
Makeup Standard Time: March 23  
Makeup Accommodated Window: March 23–26, March 29–31, April 1–2  
CBT* Initial Standard Time and Accommodated Window: March 9–11, 16–18  
Makeup Standard Time and Accommodated Window: March 23–25, March 30–31, April 1 |
| 11 as applicable | WorkKeys (optional) | CBT | Online Testing: Open window from October 6–April 30  
**Please note that policy requires 30 days between WorkKeys test administrations to provide for meaningful remediation.  
Fall Window 1 Accommodated: October 7–16, 2020  
Fall Window 2 Accommodated: November 4–13, 2020  
Spring Window 3 Accommodated: February 24–March 8, 2021  
Spring Window 4 Accommodated: March 17–March 29, 2021  
Spring Window 5 Accommodated: April 21–May 3, 2021  
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*School systems will select CBT or PBT during the enrollment windows.*

### Small Populations

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**Key**

**ACT:** American College Test  
**AP:** Advanced Placement, depends upon courses offered  
**CBT:** Computer Based Test  
**CLEP:** College Level Examination Program, depends upon courses offered  
**ELPS:** English Language Proficiency Screener  
**ELPT:** English Language Proficiency Test  
**NAEP:** National Assessment of Educational Progress  
**Open Window:** A flexible range of days with a deadline for use in accountability  
**PBT:** Paper Based Test  
**Window:** A flexible range of days during which school systems or schools may choose the time and date(s) for assessment scheduling