

# APR 2020

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		<b>March 24</b>	<b>01</b>	<b>02</b>	<b>03</b>	<b>04</b>
		<b>ACT</b>				
<b>05</b>	<b>06</b>	<b>07</b>	<b>08</b>	<b>09</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>
<b>Week 1</b>		5 <sup>th</sup> & 6 <sup>th</sup> Rdg 10 <sup>th</sup> Rdg	5 <sup>th</sup> & 6 <sup>th</sup> Rdg 10 <sup>th</sup> Rdg	5 <sup>th</sup> & 6 <sup>th</sup> Rdg 10 <sup>th</sup> Rdg	X No school	
		<b>ACT Make-Up</b>				
<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>
<b>Week 2</b>	X No school	3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Rdg 8 <sup>th</sup> Math 7 <sup>th</sup> Rdg	3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Rdg 8 <sup>th</sup> Math 7 <sup>th</sup> Rdg	3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Rdg 8 <sup>th</sup> Math 7 <sup>th</sup> Rdg	3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Rdg** 8 <sup>th</sup> Math** 7 <sup>th</sup> Rdg**	
<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>
<b>Week 3</b>		3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Math 7 <sup>th</sup> Math 8 <sup>th</sup> Rdg	3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Math 7 <sup>th</sup> Math 8 <sup>th</sup> Rdg	3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Math 7 <sup>th</sup> Math 8 <sup>th</sup> Rdg	3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Math**	
<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>May 1</b>	<b>02</b>
<b>Week 4</b>		5 <sup>th</sup> & 6 <sup>th</sup> Math 8 <sup>th</sup> Science 11 <sup>th</sup> Math	5 <sup>th</sup> & 6 <sup>th</sup> Math 8 <sup>th</sup> Science 11 <sup>th</sup> Math	5 <sup>th</sup> & 6 <sup>th</sup> Math 8 <sup>th</sup> Science 11 <sup>th</sup> Math	5 <sup>th</sup> & 6 <sup>th</sup> Math** 8 <sup>th</sup> Science** 11 <sup>th</sup> Math**	
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<b>Week 5</b>		5 <sup>th</sup> Science HS Science	5 <sup>th</sup> Science HS Science	5 <sup>th</sup> Science HS Science	5 <sup>th</sup> Science** HS Science**	

\*\*= testing day if needed

Grades 3-6 Test on Chromebooks 8:40-9:55 AM in classrooms

Grades 7, 8, HS Test on 1:1 devices, 9:55-11:25 AM (modified schedule)

## **Rothsay School District Assessments 2019-20**

### **Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments (MCAs): State exam**

The Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments (MCA) and alternate assessment Minnesota Test of Academic Skills (MTAS) are the state tests that help districts measure student progress toward Minnesota's academic standards and meet federal and state legislative requirements. Students take one test in each subject. Most students take the MCA, but students who receive special education services and meet eligibility requirements may take the alternate assessment MTAS instead.

Minnesota's statewide tests are objective, standardized measures of student achievement on academic or proficiency standards. Students, families, teachers and administrators use statewide test results as part of a comprehensive system for evaluating learning.

The list below shows tests by subject along with the grades they are given in parentheses behind each subject.

**Reading:** MCA or MTAS (grades 3-8, 10)

**Mathematics:** MCA or MTAS (grades 3-8, 11)

**Science:** MCA or MTAS (grades 5, 8, and high school)

Tests are given each spring, March-May (Computer delivered).

Questions are primarily multiple choice with expectations for students to apply knowledge and demonstrate higher-level thinking.

Students taking online / computerized tests are presented with information visually on a computer monitor and via audio headphones; they respond using a keyboard and a mouse.

More information about MCAs can be in the Minnesota Department of Education website:

<https://education.mn.gov/MDE/dse/test/>

### **2019-20 MCA TESTING DATES (Specific schedules coming at later date)**

April 07-May 01 – Grades 3-8; 10 MCA READING (3.5-5 hours –Computerized)

April 14-May 01 –Grades 3-8, 10, 11 MCA MATH (1.5-3.5 hours – Computerized)

April 28-May 08 –Grades 5, 8 MCA SCIENCE (1-2 hours –Computerized)

March 5-April –Qualified students receiving special education services Grades 3-11 MTAS (1 hr. per test Paper/pencil)

**ASVAB --11<sup>th</sup> grade -- November, 2019, 8:30-11:30 a.m.**

**PreACT – 10<sup>th</sup> grade -- December, 2019, 8:30-11:30 a.m.**

### **ACT**

Jan/Feb – 11<sup>th</sup> Grade ACT Prep and Practice (John Baylor Prep)

March 24 (Make-up Date April 07) – 11<sup>th</sup> Grade ACT with writing (Paper/pencil)

## Rothsay Public School Assessments by Grade 2019-20

GRADE	TEST	Test DATES/Window
KINDERGARTEN	<p><b>Benchmark Assessments:</b> FAST earlyReading (Formative Assessments for Teachers) FAST early Math</p> <p>FAST aReading and aMath (Winter and Spring only)</p> <p>ESGI Assessment</p>	<p><b>Benchmark Assessments:</b></p> <p>FALL: September 3-October 15</p> <p>WINTER: January 2-Feb 20</p> <p>SPRING: April 24-May 22</p>
Grade 1	<p><b>Benchmark Assessments:</b> FAST CBM, FAST earlyReading (Formative Assessments for Teachers) FAST early Math</p> <p>FAST aReading and aMath</p> <p>ESGI Assessment</p>	<p><b>Benchmark Assessments:</b></p> <p>FALL: September 3-October 15</p> <p>WINTER: January 2-Feb 20</p> <p>SPRING: April 24-May 22</p>
Grade 2	<p><b>Benchmark Assessments:</b> FAST CBM (Formative Assessments for Teachers) - computerized</p> <p>FAST aReading and aMath - computerized</p> <p>STAR Reading and STAR Math - computerized</p>	<p><b>Benchmark Assessments:</b></p> <p>FALL: September 3-October 15</p> <p>WINTER: January 2-Feb 20</p> <p>SPRING: April 24-May 22</p>
Grade 3	<p><b>Benchmark Assessments:</b> FAST CBM (Formative Assessments for Teachers) - computerized</p> <p>FAST aReading and aMath - computerized</p> <p>STAR Reading and STAR Math - computerized</p> <p><b>MN State Standardized Assessments</b> MCA Math – Computerized test MCA Reading – Computerized test</p>	<p><b>Benchmark Assessments:</b></p> <p>FALL: September 3-October 15</p> <p>WINTER: January 2-Feb 20</p> <p>SPRING: April 24-May 22</p> <p><b>MCA Reading:</b> April 14-17 <b>MCA Math:</b> April 21-24</p>

<p>Grade 4</p>	<p><b>Benchmark Assessments:</b> FAST CBM (Formative Assessments for Teachers) - computerized</p> <p>FAST aReading and aMath - computerized</p> <p>STAR Reading and STAR Math - computerized</p> <p><b>MN State Standardized Assessments</b> MCA Math – Computerized test MCA Reading – Computerized test</p>	<p><b>Benchmark Assessments:</b></p> <p>FALL: September 3-October 15</p> <p>WINTER: January 2-Feb 20</p> <p>SPRING: April 24-May 22</p> <p><b>MCA Reading:</b> April 14-17 <b>MCA Math:</b> April 21-24</p>
<p>Grade 5</p>	<p><b>Benchmark Assessments:</b> FAST CBM (Formative Assessments for Teachers) - computerized</p> <p>FAST aReading and aMath - computerized</p> <p>STAR Reading and STAR Math - computerized</p> <p><b>MN State Standardized Assessments</b> MCA Math – Computerized test MCA Reading – Computerized test MCA Science</p>	<p><b>Benchmark Assessments:</b></p> <p>FALL: September 3-October 15</p> <p>WINTER: January 2-Feb 20</p> <p>SPRING: April 24-May 22</p> <p><b>MCA Reading:</b> April 7-10 <b>MCA Math:</b> April 28-May 1 <b>MCA Science:</b> May 5-8</p>
<p>Grade 6</p>	<p><b>Benchmark Assessments:</b> FAST CBM (Formative Assessments for Teachers) - computerized</p> <p>FAST aReading and aMath - computerized</p> <p>STAR Reading and STAR Math - computerized</p> <p><b>MN State Standardized Assessments</b> MCA Math – Computerized test MCA Reading – Computerized test</p>	<p><b>Benchmark Assessments:</b></p> <p>FALL: September 3-October 15</p> <p>WINTER: January 2-Feb 20</p> <p>SPRING: April 24-May 22</p> <p><b>MCA Reading:</b> April 7-10 <b>MCA Math:</b> April 28-May 1</p>

Grade 7	<p><b>Benchmark Assessments:</b></p> <p>STAR Reading and STAR Math - computerized</p> <p><b>MN State Standardized Assessments</b>  MCA Math – Computerized test  MCA Reading – Computerized test</p>	<p><b>Benchmark Assessments:</b></p> <p>FALL: September 3-October 15  WINTER: January 2-Feb 20  SPRING: April 24-May 22</p> <p><b>MCA Reading:</b> April 14-17  <b>MCA Math:</b> April 21-April 24</p>
Grade 8	<p><b>Benchmark Assessments:</b></p> <p>STAR Reading and STAR Math - computerized</p> <p><b>MN State Standardized Assessments</b>  MCA Math – Computerized test  MCA Reading – Computerized test  MCA Science - Computerized</p>	<p><b>Benchmark Assessments:</b></p> <p>FALL: September 3-October 15  WINTER: January 2-Feb 20  SPRING: April 24-May 22</p> <p><b>MCA Reading:</b> April 21-24  <b>MCA Math:</b> April 14-April 17  <b>MCA Science:</b> April 28-May 1</p>
Grade 9	<p><b>Benchmark Assessments:</b></p> <p>STAR Reading and STAR Math - computerized</p>	<p><b>Benchmark Assessments:</b></p> <p>FALL: September 3-October 15  WINTER: January 2-Feb 20  SPRING: April 24-May 22</p>
Grade 10	<p><b>MN State Standardized Assessments</b>  MCA Reading – Computerized test  MCA Science – Computerized</p> <p><b>PreACT</b></p>	<p><b>MCA Reading:</b> April 7-9  <b>MCA Science:</b> April 28-May 1</p> <p><b>PreACT:</b> December</p>
Grade 11	<p><b>ASVAB</b></p> <p><b>MN State Standardized Assessments</b>  MCA Math – Computerized test</p>	<p><b>ASVAB</b></p> <p><b>MCA Math:</b> April 28-May 1</p>

	<b>ACT Plus Writing Assessment</b> (*District administered- a nationally recognized college entrance exam must be available during the school day for grade 11 students who wish to participate) – Paper/pencil	<b>ACT:</b> April 1
Grade 12		