

Delaware System of Student Assessments (DeSSA): 2017-2018 Calendar

August 2017

January 2018

June 2018

Required State Assessment Resources

SAT • **Grade 12 skippers*:**
Oct 11

DCPS Nov 27 – Dec 15
• Portfolio Gr 3-8, 10 & 11
• Math Task Gr 3-8, 11

DCPS Jan 15 – Feb 2
• Portfolio Gr 3-8, 10, 11
• ELA Task Gr 3-8, 11

DCPS Feb 19 – Mar 9
• Portfolio Gr 3-8, 10 & 11
• Science Task Gr 5, 8, 10

Smarter ELA & Mathematics
• Grades 3–8: Mar 7 – May 31
• *P/P: April 25 – May 11

****DeSSA/DCAS Science**
• Grades 5, 8, & 10: Mar 7 – May 31
• *P/P: April 10 – Apr 26
• Field Test – May 7-June 1

DeSSA Social Studies • Field Test -Grades 4, 7, & 11:
April 16- June 1

PSAT 10 • Grade 10 : Feb 26 – Apr 27

SAT School Day
• Grade 11: April 10
• Makeup Day: April 24

DeSSA-Alt
ELA & Math: Grades 3–8, 11: Mar 12–May 18
Science: Grades 5, 8, 10: Mar 12–May 18

ACCESS • Feb 1 – Mar 23

** 12th graders who didn't take SAT in Grade 11*

Optional Assessment Resources

Smarter Digital Library • Grades K–12: Available entire school year

Smarter Interim Assessments • Grades 3–12: Aug 28- end of school year

PSAT/NMSQT • Grade 11:
Oct 11

PSAT 8/9 • Grades 8/9: Sept 25 – Jan 26

PSAT 8/9 • Grades 8/9: Feb 26 – Apr 27

> Spring Break: April 1, 2018