

Estimated Student Testing Time for Delaware Mandated Assessments (Spring 2016)

Assessment	Number of Hours per Assessment												
	K	GR 1	GR 2	GR 3	GR 4	GR 5	GR 6	GR 7	GR 8	GR 9	GR 10	GR 11	GR 12
Early Learner Survey	2												
Smarter													
• ELA				3-4	3-4	3-4	3-4	3-4	3-4			****	
• Math				2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5			****	
SAT (ELA, Math and Essay)												4	
DCAS–Science						2-3			2-3		2-3		
DCAS-Social Studies					1.5			1.5				2	
PSAT											2.5		
Total Testing Time (hour)*	2	0	0	5.5-6.5	7-8	7.5-9.5	5.5-6.5	7-8	7.5-9.5	0	4.5-5.5	6	0
NAEP**					1.5				1.5				1.5
ACCESS ***	2-4	2-4	2-4	2-4	2-4	2-4	2-4	2-4	2-4	2-4	2-4	2-4	2-4

*Since most statewide assessments are not timed, the testing time is an estimate.

** NAEP – (National Assessment for Educational Attainment) Not given every year and full duration of test not given to any one student, students take different portions of test in designated years in designated subjects.

*** ACCESS is an English Language assessment for English Language Learners (ELL) according to the Federal requirements.

**** replaced Smarter ELA & Math with SAT

Assessment	K	GR 1	GR 2	GR 3	GR 4	GR 5	GR 6	GR 7	GR 8	GR 9	GR 10	GR 11	GR 12
DCAS Alt1-Reading				1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
DCAS Alt1-Math				1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
DCAS Alt1-Science						1			1		1		
DCAS Alt1-Social Studies					1			1		1			
Total Testing Time DCAS-Alt1*	0	0	0	2	3	3	2	3	3	3	3	2	0
NAEP**					1.5				1.5				1.5
ACCESS ***	2-4	2-4	2-4	2-4	2-4	2-4	2-4	2-4	2-4	2-4	2-4	2-4	2-4
Alt2****													

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DCAS Alt-1 – students with significant intellectual disabilities take DCAS Alt-1. These students do not participate in the general assessments, such as Smarter assessments, thus this time is not in addition to, but instead of the general assessment.

****Alt2 – New portfolio assessment for students with disabilities determined to not have valid results with either standard or alternative assessment despite accommodations and adjustments.

Estimated Student Testing Time for Delaware Mandated Assessments (prior to 2015)

Assessment	Number of Hours per Assessment												
	K	GR 1	GR 2	GR 3	GR 4	GR 5	GR 6	GR 7	GR 8	GR 9	GR 10	GR 11	GR 12
Early Learner Survey	2												
DCAS													
• ELA			1.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5		
• Math			1.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5		
End of Course Algebra II/Integrated Math III										1.5			
End of Course Biology											1.5		
SAT (ELA, Math and Essay)												4	
DCAS–Science						2-3			2-3		2-3		
DCAS-Social Studies					1.5			1.5				2	
PSAT											2.5		
Total Testing Time (hour)*	2	0	3.0	9	10.5	11-12	9	10.5	11-12	10.5	15-16	6	0

Estimated Student Reduction Testing Time for Delaware Mandated Assessments from 2013-14 to 2015-16

Assessment	Number of Hours per Assessment												
	K	GR 1	GR 2	GR 3	GR 4	GR 5	GR 6	GR 7	GR 8	GR 9	GR 10	GR 11	GR 12
Total Testing Time (hour)* 2013-2015	2	0	3.0	9	10.5	11-12	9	10.5	11-12	10.5	15-16	11.5-12.5	0
Total Testing Time (hour)* 2015-16	2	0	0	5.5-6.5	7-8	7.5-9.5	5.5-6.5	7-8	7.5-9.5	0	4.5-5.5	6	0
Total Reduction Testing Time (hour)*	0	0	-3	-3.5 to -2.5	-3.5 to -2.5	-3.5 to -2.5	-3.5 to -2.5	-3.5 to -2.5	-3.5 to -2.5	-10.5	-10.5 to -9.5	-5.5 to -6.5	0