

**FREDERICK COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
TESTING CALENDAR  
SCHOOL YEAR 2009-2010**

<b>FALL 2009</b>		
<b>TEST DATES</b>	<b>TEST</b>	<b>GRADE</b>
September 1	<b>Alternate Maryland School Assessment</b> Window Opens (dates of mastery on artifacts must be no earlier than this date)	3-8, and 10 designated students
September 1	Begin submission of Mastery Objectives to test contractor for technical adequacy review	
October 16	Deadline for submission of Mastery Objectives to test contractor for technical adequacy review	
October 5 October 6 October 7 October 8	<b>High School Assessments (including MOD)</b> Biology Census Testing, paper exams Algebra I/DA Census Testing, paper exams Government Census Testing, paper exams English 10 Census Testing, paper exams	8-12 repeat test takers
October 14	<b>PSAT</b> Administered by FCPS for the College Board	9-11 (recommended grades) FCPS pays for all grade 10 students

<b>WINTER 2010</b>		
<b>TEST DATES</b>	<b>TEST</b>	<b>GRADE</b>
January 11 January 12 January 13 January 14	<b>High School Assessments (including MOD)</b> Biology Census Testing, paper exams Algebra I/DA Census Testing, paper exams Government Census Testing, paper exams English 10 Census Testing, paper exams	9-12 students enrolled in designated courses 8-12 repeat test takers

<b>SPRING 2010</b>		
<b>TEST DATES</b>	<b>TEST</b>	<b>GRADE</b>
February 22	<b>Alternate Maryland School Assessment</b> Window Closes, FCPS collection date	3 - 8, and 10 designated students
March 8	<b>Maryland School Assessment (including MOD)</b> Reading, Day 1, paper exams Math, Day 1, paper exams	3 and 4 6, 7, and 8
March 9	Reading, Day 1, paper exams Reading, Day 2, paper exams Math, Day 2, paper exams	5 3 6, 7, and 8
March 10	Reading, Day 2, paper exams	4 and 5

<b>SPRING 2010</b>		
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March 11	<b>Maryland School Assessment (continued)</b> Math, Day 1, paper exams Reading, Day 1, paper exams	3 and 4 6, 7, and 8
March 12		5 3 6, 7, and 8
March 15		4 and 5
April 7 April 8	<b>Stanford Achievement Test – 10</b> Reading Mathematics and Environment	2 (all students)
April 12 April 13 April 14 April 15	<b>High School Assessments – Senior Admin</b> Biology Census Testing Algebra I/DA Census Testing Government Census Testing English 10 Census Testing	Open only to seniors and early graduating 11 <sup>th</sup> graders who have met all graduation requirements except for having passed one or more HSA exams, or who have not reached the combined score option-- application & approval required
April 21-May 11 April 21 April 22	<b>Maryland School Assessment</b> Science – Online Version Science – Day 1, paper exam Science – Day 2, paper exam	5 and 8 (all students)  Paper exam for special accommodations only
May 17 May 18 May 20 May 21	<b>High School Assessments (including MOD)</b> Biology Census Testing, paper exams Algebra I/DA Census Testing, paper exams Government Census Testing, paper exams English 10 Census Testing, paper exams	7-12 students enrolled in designated courses and repeat test takers

<b>SUMMER 2010</b>		
<b>TEST DATES</b>	<b>TEST</b>	<b>GRADE</b>
August 2 August 3 August 4 August 5	<b>High School Assessments (including MOD)</b> Biology Census Testing Algebra I/DA Census Testing Government Census Testing English 10 Census Testing	7-12 students enrolled in designated courses and repeat test takers

<b>HIGHLY RECOMMENDED NATIONAL TESTS NOT ADMINISTERED BY THE TESTING OFFICE</b>			
<b>SAT and Subject Tests</b> October 10, 2009 November 7, 2009 December 5, 2009 January 23, 2010 March 13, 2010 (SAT only) May 1, 2010 June 5, 2010	<b>PSAT</b> October 14, 2009* October 17, 2009  *FCPS offers this test at no cost to all tenth grade students.	<b>ACT</b> September 12, 2009 October 24, 2009 December 12, 2009 February 6, 2010 April 10, 2010 June 12, 2010	<b>Advanced Placement**</b> May 3 – 7, 2010 May 10 – 14, 2010  **It is the expectation that students enrolled in AP courses will take the corresponding exam.