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| **Benchmark Assessment System (BAS) Calendar** | | | | |
| **September 26 – Oct. 7** | **November** | **February/March** | **May 1 -16** | **Purpose and Testing Length** |
| Grades 1-6  (All students) | **Grade K Benchmark** Window– Nov. 1-15  **Grades 1-6**  Nov. 14-23 (Students below grade level) | Feb. 21 – March 3  Grades K-6  (Below grade level) | Grades K-6  All Students | Purpose: Classroom Instruction for reading |
| Fall Grade level goals  K – Pre A  1 - D  2- J  3- M  4- P  5- S  6- V | K – B  1 – F  2 – K  3 – N  4 – Q  5 – T  6 - W | K – C  1 – H  2 – L  3 – O  4 – R  5 – U  6 - X | Spring Grade level goals  K - D  1 - J  2 - M  3 - P  4 - S  5 - V  6 - Y | Approximately 20 minutes per student |

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| **Star, Fastbridge & MCA Assessment Calendar** | | | | |
| **Dates** | **Grade Level** | **Assessments** | **Purpose** | **Testing Time Length** |
| September 6 & 7 | K | LN, LS, and Onset Sounds  *Concepts of Print will be done by Kelly and Ashley during the first couple of weeks in September (10 minutes per child)* | Reading well by 3rd grade indicators  Reading Corp. identification | 10 minutes |
| September 6 & 7 | 1st grade | Sentence Reading  Nonsense Words  Word Segmenting  Sight Words (150) | Reading well by 3rd grade indicators  Reading Corp. identification | 10 minutes |
| **Dates** | **Grade Level** | **Assessments** | **Purpose** | **Testing Time Length** |
| September 6 & 7 | 2 -6 | Reading CBM Benchmarking | Reading well by 3rd grade indicators  Reading Corp. identification  (grades 2 & 3)  Grades 4-6 fluency check | 2 minutes |
| September 8-30 | 1st Grade | aReading  aMath | Reading well by 3rd grade indicators | 40 minutes for both |
| September 8-30 | 2-6 | Star Reading  Star Math | Reading well by 3rd grade indicators  MCA indicator | 50 minutes per assessment |
| October 3-7 | K | LN & LS | Strategic monitoring for growth | 2 minutes |
| October 3-7 | 1st | NW & sight words (150) | Strategic monitoring for growth | 2 minutes |
| October 3-7 | 2-6 | Reading CBM | Strategic monitoring for growth | 2 minutes |
| November 4-11 | K | LN & LS | Strategic monitoring for growth | 2 minutes |
| November 4-11 | 1st | NW & sight words (150) | Strategic monitoring for growth | 2 minutes |
| November 4-11 | 2-6 | Reading CBM | Strategic monitoring for growth | 2 minutes |
| **Dates** | **Grade Level** | **Assessments** | **Purpose** | **Testing Time Length** |
| December 1- 22  *Benchmarking* | K & 1 | aReading  aMath | Reading well by 3rd grade indicator | 40 minutes for both |
| December 1-22  *Benchmarking* | 2-6 | Star Reading  Star Math | Reading well by 3rd grade indicator | 50 minutes per assessment |
| January 9-13  *Benchmarking* | K | Onset Sounds  Letter Sounds  Word Segmenting  Nonsense Words | Reading well by 3rd grade indicators  Reading Corp. identification | 10 minutes |
| January 9-13  *Benchmarking* | 1 | Word Segmenting  Nonsense words  Sight Words (150)  CBM Reading | Reading well by 3rd grade indicators  Reading Corp. identification | 10 minutes |
| January 9-13  *Benchmarking* | 2-6 | CBM Reading | Reading well by 3rd grade indicators  Reading Corp. identification  (grades 2 & 3)  Grades 4-6 fluency check | 2 minutes |
| February 6-10 | K | LN & LS | Strategic monitoring for growth | 2 minutes |
| February 6-10 | 1st | NW & sight words (150) | Strategic monitoring for growth | 2 minutes |
| **Dates** | **Grade Level** | **Assessments** | **Purpose** | **Testing Time Length** |
| February 6-10 | 2-6 | Reading CBM | Strategic monitoring for growth | 2 minutes |
| March 1-23  *Benchmarking* | K & 1 | aReading  aMath | Reading well by 3rd grade indicator | 40 minutes for both |
| March 1-23  *Benchmarking* | 2-6 | Star Reading  Star Math | Reading well by 3rd grade indicator | 50 minutes per assessment |
| March 3-9 | K | LN & LS | Strategic monitoring for growth | 2 minutes |
| March 3-9 | 1st | NW & Sight words (150) | Strategic monitoring for growth | 2 minutes |
| March 3-9 | 2-6 | Reading CBM | Strategic monitoring for growth | 2 minutes |
| April 3-7 | K | LN & LS | Strategic monitoring for growth | 2 minutes |
| April 3-7 | 1st | NW & sight words (150) | Strategic monitoring for growth | 2 minutes |
| April 3-7 | 2-6 | Reading CBM | Strategic monitoring for growth | 2 minutes |
| April 10 -12 | 3-6 | MCA Reading | State Mandated | 3.5 hours |
| April 19 - 21 | 3-6 | MCA Reading | State Mandated | 3.5 hours |
| April 24 – May 1 | 3-6 | MCA Math | State Mandated | 2 hours |
| May 2 & 3 | 3-6 | MCA Math and Reading Make-up | State Mandated | 2 hours |
| May 4 -8 | 5th | Science MCA | State Mandated | 1.75 hours |
| May 1-5  *Benchmarking* | K | Letter Sounds  Word Segmenting  Nonsense Words  Sight Words (50) | Reading well by 3rd grade indicators  Reading Corp. identification | 10 minutes |
| **Dates** | **Grade Level** | **Assessments** | **Purpose** | **Testing Time Length** |
| May 1-5  *Benchmarking* | 1st | Sight Words – (150)  CBM Reading  Word Segmenting  Nonsense Words | Reading well by 3rd grade indicators  Reading Corp. identification | 10 minutes |
| May 1-5  *Benchmarking* | 2-6 | CBM Reading | Reading well by 3rd grade indicators  Reading Corp. identification  (grades 2 & 3)  Grades 4-6 fluency check | 2 minutes |
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