

Skyline Math and Science Academy's Assessment Plan 2024-2025

Assessment	Grade Levels	Purpose	Date Range
WIDA Screener	New kindergarten students and new students without any previous ACCESS scores	WIDA Screener is a brief English language proficiency assessment given to new students who do not have previous ACCESS scores. The screener helps educators quickly identify whether or not they are English language learners (ELLs).	September 9-13
WIDA Access	Grades K-6	Administered to English learners to measure progress toward meeting the WIDA English Language Development Standards adopted by Minnesota.	January 27 - March 7
NWEA	Grades K-6	NWEA assessments are designed to target a student's academic performance in mathematics, reading, language usage, and science. These tests are tailored to an individual's current achievement level. This gives each student a fair opportunity to show what he or she knows and can do.	2 times/ year: September 16-27 May 19-30
Minnesota Comprehensive Assessment (MCA III) • Reading • Math • Science	Grades 3-6 - Grade 3 Reading & Math - Grade 4 Reading & Math - Grade 5 Reading, Math, Science - Grade 6 Reading & Math	The Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments Series III (MCA III's) are reading, mathematics, writing, and science tests that help schools and districts measure student progress toward the state's academic standards.	April 21 - May 2
Grade Level Formative & Summative Assessments	Grades K-6	Assess student performance with respect to the curriculum and Minnesota state standards.	Formative Assessments • Daily/Weekly Summative Assessments • At the end of each unit

