

Lafayette High School				
Date	Test/Subject	Grade Level	Purpose	Time
September 17th, 2025	(Armed Services Vocational Aptitude B	Grade 11-12 (optional)	Career Exploration	3 hours
March 10th, 2026	ACT	Grade 11 (optional)	Provide Information to career and college representatives	4.5 hours
April 6th- 10th, 2026	MTAS	Individualized	(see below)	varies by student
April 9th, 2026	MCA Reading (online)	Grade 7,8,10	(see below)	2-3.5 hours
April 8-14, 2026	MCA Reading (online) Make-Ups	Grade 7,8,10	(see below)	2-3.5 hours
April 15th, 2026	MCA Math (online)	Grade 7,8,11	(see below)	1.5-3 hours
April 15-21, 2026	MCA Math (online) Make-Ups	Grade 7,8,11	(see below)	1.5-3 hours
April 29th, 2026	MCA Science (online)	Grade 8, 10	(see below)	1.5-2 hours
April 30-May 5, 2026	MCA Science (online) Make-Ups	Grade 8, 10	(see below)	1.5-2 hours

Schoolwide Local Assessments				
Date	Test/Subject	Grade Level	Purpose	Time
September 22nd-October 15th 2025	Fastbridge Reading (online)	Grades 7-12	(See Below)	1-2 Hours
January 5th-30th 2026	Fastbridge Reading (online)	Grades 7-12	(See Below)	1-2 Hours
May 4th- May 15th	Fastbridge Reading (online)	Grades 7-12	(See Below)	1-2 Hour
February 3rd- February 13, 2026	CAPTI- Read Basix	Grades 7-12	(See Below)	1 Hour

ACT: American College Test

MCA: Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments MTAS: Minnesota Test of Academic Skills

The Purpose of the MCA and MTAS Assessments is (Minnesota Statutes 120B.30 and MCS):

1. To measure achievement towards meeting the Minnesota Academic Standards and to measure progress towards meeting Minnesota's Standards for English Language Development.
2. To measure academic progress of students over time.

As represented from the armed services will interpret ASVAB results with students approximately 3 weeks following the test. ACT test results will be mailed to students within 6-8 weeks following the exam.

MCA and MTAS Individual Student Test Results will be mailed to families in late August with back to school information.

Date	Test/Subject	Grade Level	Purpose	Time			
March 16-20, 2026	MTAS	Individualized	(See Below)	Varies by Student			
March 30, 2026- April 10, 2026	MCA Reading (online)	Grades 3-6	(See Below)	1.5-3 hours			
April 13, 2026- April 24, 2026	MCA Math (online)	Grades 3-6	(See Below)	2-3 hours			
April 27-May 1, 2026	MCA Reading/Math (online) Make-Ups	Grades 3-6	(See Below)	Varies by Student			
April 27- May 1, 2026	MCA Science (online)	Grade 5	(See Below)	1.5-2.5 hours			
May 4-7, 2026	MCA Science (online) Make-Ups	Grade 5	(See Below)	Varies by Student			

MCA: Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments

MTAS: Minnesota Test of Academic Skills

The Purpose and Rationale of the MCA and MTAS Assessments is: (Minnesota Statues 120B.30 and ESEA)

1. To measure achievement on the Minnesota Academic Standards and measure progress of students over time.
2. MCA and MTAS Individual Student Test Results will be given to parents during the fall Parent-Teacher Conferences.
3. the Minnesota READ Act (Minnesota Statues 2024, section 120B.12, subdivision 2) requires screening for characteristics of dyslexia in grades 4-12 for those who do not demonstrate mastery of foundational reading skills.

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Date	Test/Subject	Grade Level	Purpose	Time
September 22-October 16, 2025	FAST earlyReading and earlyMath (online)	Grades K-1	(See Below)	1-2 hours
September 22-October 16, 2026	FAST aReading and aMath (online)	Grade 2-6	(See Below)	1-2 hours
January 5, 2026- January 30, 2026	FAST earlyReading and earlyMath (online)	Grades K-1	(See Below)	1-2 hours
January 5, 2026- January 30, 2027	FAST aReading and aMath (online)	Grade 2-4	(See Below)	1-2 hours
April 7, 2026- May 15, 2027	FAST earlyReading and earlyMath (online)	Grades K-1	(See Below)	1-2 hours
April 7, 2026- May 15, 2027	FAST aReading and aMath (online)	Grade 2-6	(See Below)	1-2 hours
February 1, 2026 -Feb-15, 2026	Capti ReadBasix	Grade 4-6	(See Below)	1 hour
May 4, 2026-May 15, 2026	FAST aReading and aMath (online)	Grade 4-6	(See Below)	11 hour

FAST: FastBridge Learning Assessments (<https://www.illuminateed.com/>)

Kindergarten-Grade 1-earlyReading and earlyMath Assessments/Grade 2-Grade 6 aReading and aMath Assessments

The Purpose and Rationale of the FastBridge Learning Assessments:

1. To screen students to detect possible reading and math concerns and provide proper interventions as needed.
2. Individual Assessment results may be shared with parents during fall and spring Parent-Teacher Conferences as determined appropriate.
3. the Minnesota READ Act (Minnesota Statues 2024, section 120B.12, subdivision 2) requires screening for characteristics of dyslexia in grades 4-12 for those who do not demonstrate mastery of foundational reading skills.