

# 2016-2017 State Test Dates

## Bemidji Area Schools

**OLPA** = Optional Local Purpose Assessment for Math Grades 3-8 and 11 online practice up to two times and Reading Grades 3-8 and 10 for one time.

**ACT Plus Writing** = College & Career Ready test available to all 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> graders who have not had the opportunity to take it in a school setting free. The school chooses online or paper format.

**Other State Tests** = Includes all required state English Language Learner and Special Education alternative tests.

**MCA** = Minnesota Comprehensive Assessments:

**Reading** required for All Students in Grades 3-8 & 10

**Math** required for All Students in Grades 3-8 & 11

**Science** required for All Students in Grades 5, 8 & HS (upon completion of biology)

**MAP** = NWEA Measures of Academic Progress - District computerized tests, Grades 2-9, fall & spring

**AIMSweb** = District Reading and Math Benchmark probes for Grades K-1 and Progress Monitoring

	Date	Test	Grade Level
<b>OLPA</b>	Oct 17 - Feb 10, 2016-2017	OLPA Math (online)	<i>Optional</i> up to two times to Grades 3-8 <i>Optional</i> one time Grade 11
		OLPA Reading (online)	<i>Optional</i> one time for Grades 3-8 & 10
<b>ACT</b>	April 19, 2017	ACT Plus Writing	Available for Grade 11 & 12 students who have not taken it in the school setting
	May 3, 2017	ACT Plus Writing Make up	
<b>Other State Tests</b>	Jan 30-Mar 24, 2017	ACCESS for ELLs (online)	Required all Limited English Proficient students
	March 6-May 5, 2017	MTAS Math, Reading & Science	Alternate for Special Education students
<b>MCA</b>	Mar 6-May 5, 2017	MCA Math (online)	All Grades 3-8 & 11 students
		MCA Reading (online)	All Grades 3-8 & 10 students
	Mar 6-May 12, 2017	MCA Science (online)	All Grade 5, 8 & HS Biology students
<b>MAP</b>	Sep 26-Oct 19, 2016	MAP Reading and Math	All Grade 2-9 students
	Jan 9-27, 2017	MAP Reading and Math	Available for all students, <i>optional</i>
	May 8-31, 2017	MAP Reading and Math	All Grade 2-9 students
<b>AIMSweb</b>	Sep 12-23, 2016	AIMSweb Reading & Math	All Grade K-1 students
	Jan 6-20, 2017	AIMSweb Reading & Math	All Grade K-1 students
	May 15-26, 2017	AIMSweb Reading & Math	All Grade K-1 students

# Bemidji Area Schools 2016-2017 Testing Calendar

## SEPTEMBER 2016

- 12-23 District AIMSweb Reading & Math for Grades K & 1
- 26 District MAP Reading & Math Online begins for Grades 2-9

## OCTOBER 2016

- 17 OLPA (Optional Local Purpose Assessment) Reading Grades 3–8, 10 and Mathematics Grades 3–8, 11 Online begins.
- 19 District MAP Reading & Math Online for Grades 2-9 ends

## NOVEMBER 2016

- 11 District Test Security Training for OLPA at District Board Room 1:30-3:00

## JANUARY 2017

- 6-20 District AIMSweb Reading & Math for Grades K & 1
- 9-27 Winter MAP Reading & Math available, *optional*
- 30 ACCESS for ELLs 2.0® and Alternate ACCESS for ELLs® Online begins

## FEBRUARY 2017

- 10 OLPA (Optional Local Purpose Assessment) Reading Grades 3–8, 10 and Mathematics Grades 3–8, 11 Online ends.
- 10 District Test Security Training for MCA at District Board Room 1:30-3:00

## MARCH 2017

- 6 MCA Reading Grades 3–8, 10 and Mathematics Grades 3–8, 11 Online begins  
MCA Science Grades 5, 8 & HS Online begins  
MTAS Reading, Mathematics, and Science begins
- 24 ACCESS for ELLs 2.0® and Alternate ACCESS for ELLs® Online ends

## APRIL 2017

- 19 ACT Plus Writing Grades 11 & 12 for students who have not had the opportunity

## MAY 2017

- 3 ACT Plus Writing Grades 11 & 12 make-up date
- 5 MCA Reading Grades 3–8, 10 and Mathematics Grades 3–8, 11 Online ends  
MTAS Reading, Mathematics, and Science ends
- 8-31 District MAP Reading & Math Online for Grades 2-9
- 12 MCA Science Grades 5, 8 and High School Online ends
- 15-26 District AIMSweb Reading & Math for Grades K & 1