

Junior High School Benchmark Assessment Dates 2016-2017

| Content/Grade | District Benchmark #1 | District Benchmark #2 | State Assessments |
|---|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|
| Math/Gr. 7 | Nov. 7 – 18 | Feb. 6 – 17 | May 8 STAAR Math |
| Math/Gr. 8 | Nov. 7 – 18 | Feb. 6 - 17 | Mar. 28 STAAR Math |
| ELA/Grade 7 Writing | Oct. 10 – Nov. 11 | Jan. 17 – Feb. 3 | Mar. 28-29 STAAR Writing |
| ELA/Grade 7 Reading | Oct. 24 – Nov. 11 | Feb. 20 – Mar. 3 | May 9 STAAR Reading |
| ELA/Grade 8 Reading | Oct. 24 – Nov. 11 | Jan. 17 – Feb. 3 | Mar. 29 STAAR Reading |
| ELA/Grade 8 Writing | Oct. 24 – Dec. 15 | | |
| Science/Grade 7 | Nov. 29 – Dec. 9 | May 8 – May 26 | |
| Science/Grade 8 | Nov. 29 – Dec. 9 (optional) | Mar. 20 – Mar. 24 | May 10 |
| Social Studies/Gr. 7 | | Dec.5 – Dec. 15 | May 8 – May 19 |
| Social Studies/Gr. 8 | Oct. 31 – Nov. 11 | Feb. 27 – Mar. 10 | May 11 STAAR* |
| Math Universal Screening – Grades 7 & 8 | Aug. 29 – Sep. 9 Sept. 18 | Jan. 3 – Jan. 13 Jan. 20 | |
| Language Arts Universal Screening – Grades 7 & 8 | Aug. 29 – Sep. 9 Sept. 18 | Jan. 3 – Jan. 13 Jan. 20 | |
| <i>*The State of Texas Assessments of Academic Readiness (STAAR) are annual state mandated assessments administered in the particular grade level and content area indicated.</i> | | | |