

Wisconsin Virtual Academy
Destinations Career Academy
Insight School of Wisconsin



- **11th Grade Students:** ACT Test on Tuesday March 11, 2025
- **3-8th Grade Students:** Forward Testing—Begins March 17, 2025
 - Testing does not take place over spring Break (March 24-28, 2025)
 - Testing window closes April 25th
- **9-10th Grade Students:** Pre-ACT Secure Testing—Begins March 17, 2025
 - Testing does not take place over spring Break (March 24-28, 2025)
 - Testing window closes April 25th

Dear Learning Coaches,

Welcome to the 2024-2025 school year!

We are so excited you have chosen to be part of our school organization. We need you to know that as a public school in Wisconsin, our students will be expected to take the state tests listed above according to your child's grade level. As part of our charter, Wisconsin Virtual Academies **MUST** support all of our families in this **mandated testing schedule**, outlined by the Department of Public Instruction (DPI).

Our students also complete diagnostic assessments that support our teachers in personalized learning for each child. For the upcoming 2023-2024 school year K-5 students will complete the FastBridge test three times a year and 6th-11th graders will complete STAR testing requirements. Wisconsin Virtual Academies need to test 95% of our students.

We are currently in the process of arranging our testing sites for spring and will message out the exact dates of the cities and sites as soon as we are able. For Learning Coaches in grades 3rd-8th and 9th-11th, we will be requesting confirmation of your child's testing site starting in December (11th grade) and January (3-8th and 9th-10th). We try our best to find a site that works for you.

Our testing program determines which site is closest to your home and will assign you to that site. You may be able switch to change your testing location to another site that are available to our students, with notification. It is critical that you confirm as soon as you receive the confirmation email so we can ensure appropriate staffing at each site.

At any time, please feel free to email me. I serve as the Data and Assessment Coordinator for all of our schools, and I look forward to meeting your family throughout the school year. We are excited to be partnering with you in your child's educational journey.

Sincerely,

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Grades	Assessment	Testing Location	Testing Window
Kindergarten - 5	FastBridge	Adaptive Online Assessment (Directions for log in will be sent by your students' HR teacher)	Sept Jan May
Grades 6 th - 12 th Grade	STAR Reading/ STAR Math	Adaptive Online Assessment (K-5 Directions for log in will be sent by your students' HR teacher; 6-12 watch for the link to be embedded within your English and Math course)	Sept January May
State Mandated - Late Fall Testing			
Identified students in Grade K-12	ACCESS for English Language Learners	ACCESS for ELLs is designed to measure English language proficiency and ensure progress in achieving full English proficiency. The assessment is used for planning and instructional purposes. Other: Alternate ACCESS Field Test	December 2, 2024— January 31, 2025
State Mandated - Spring Testing			
Grade 11	ACT Plus Writing Assesses ELA, math and writing	Paper/pencil; students test for one day throughout the state	March 11, 2025
Grades 3–8	Wisconsin Forward ELA/Math 3-8 grades Social Studies/Science 4 th and 8 th	Computer based; students test for one day in various cities in Wisconsin	March 17, 2024—April 25, 2025



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Identified Students in Grades 3rd-11th	Dynamic Learning Maps	Alternative Assessment for students with significant special needs as determined by an IEP	March 17, 2024—April 25, 2025
Grade 9 Grade 10	PreACT Secure measures what students have learned in the areas of English, Reading, Mathematics, and Science	Computer based; students test for one day in various cities in Wisconsin	March 17, 2024—April 25, 2025
GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS			
Graduation requirement	WI Civics Test	All students graduating from a Wisconsin high school must pass a 100-question Civics Test WI Act 55 (2015) (Section 3266R, 118.33(1m)(a)1.)	For 10 th grade students at the end of the US History course. For 11 th and 12th grade students, watch for information from your school counselor on how to fulfill this requirement.

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