

FSA & EOC Testing FAQs:

- I was a 10th grader during the 2019-2020 school year, do I need to take the 10th grade ELA FSA this school year?
 - Since the State canceled testing at the end of last school year, and the 10th grade ELA FSA is a graduation requirement, students must either take the 10th grade ELA FSA retake or earn a concordant score on the SAT or ACT.
- I took Algebra I during the 2019-2020 school year, do I need to take the Algebra 1 EOC this school year?
 - Since the State canceled testing at the end of last school year, and the Algebra I EOC is a graduation requirement, students must either take the Algebra I EOC retake, pass the Geometry EOC this year, or earn a concordant score on the PSAT 10, SAT or ACT.
- I took Geometry, US History, 9th grade ELA, and/or Biology during the 2019-2020 school year, do I need to take any of these FSA/EOCs this school year?
 - Since the State canceled testing at the end of last school year, and these EOCs are not graduation requirements, there is no need for students to make up these assessments. The only exception would be if a student failed one of these courses in 2019-2020. Since these assessments count for 30% of the final grade, a passing score can change the student's overall grade from failing to passing.
 - Students who are enrolled in these courses during the 2020-2021 school year will be required to take these assessments and they will count for 30% of the final grade in the course.
- What testing is required for me to take this school year (2020-2021)?
 - All students enrolled in English 1 (Honors) or English 2 (Honors) must take the FSA Writing assessment to receive a score on the FSA.
 - All students enrolled in English 1 (Honors) will take the 9th grade ELA FSA
 - All students enrolled in English 2 (Honors) will take the 10th grade ELA FSA (graduation requirement)
 - All students enrolled in Algebra 1 (not Algebra 1-A) will take the Algebra 1 EOC (graduation requirement)
 - All students enrolled in Geometry will take the Geometry EOC (30% of the final grade)
 - All students enrolled in Biology will take the Biology EOC (30% of the final grade)
 - All students enrolled in US History (and AP US History) will take the US History EOC (30% of the final grade)
- Will testing be virtual or in person?
 - All State testing will be in person as required by the State.
- What are the dates of the assessments for the 2020-2021 school year?
 - Specific dates have not yet been schedule. We will post a testing schedule soon. The testing windows are as follows:
 - FSA Writing: April 5 – April 9
 - All FSA and EOC assessments: May 3 – May 28
 - AP Exams: May 3 – May 14
- How can I earn a concordant score for the FSA or EOC?
 - Concordant score for the 10th grade ELA FSA:
 - SAT (EBRW): 430, SAT Reading Subtest: 24 (480), ACT Reading: 19
 - Concordance score for the Algebra I EOC:
 - PSAT 10 NMSQT: 430, SAT Math: 420, ACT Math: 16, Pass the Geometry EOC with at least a level 3 (only for students who took Algebra I in 2019-2020)
- How am I going to take the assessment?
 - Since DA is moving to one-to-one all students will be required to bring their district issued laptop, fully charged, for each testing day.