

Birch Grove Community School Testing Calendar 23-24

District local assessments:

K-5th grade NWEA MAP Fall test:

Reading: K, 1, 2: 9/12/23

3, 4, 5: 9/13/23

Math: K, 1, 2: 9/14/23

3, 4, 5: 9/15/23

Make-up day: 09/15/23

K-5th grade NWEA MAP winter test:

Reading: K, 1, 2: 01/16/24

3, 4, 5: 01/17/24

Math: K, 1, 2: 01/18/24

3, 4, 5: 01/19/24

Make-up day: 01/19/24

K-5th Grade NWEA MAP spring test:

Reading: K, 1, 2: 05/07/24

3, 4, 5: 05/08/24

Math: K, 1, 2: 05/09/24

3, 4, 5: 05/10/24

Make-up day: 05/10/24

3rd-5th Grade MCA test:

Reading: 04/23/24

Math: 04/24/24

5th Grade MCA Science test: 04/25/24

Make-up day: 04/25/24

MCA Purpose: To measure achievement on the Minnesota Academic Standards

MCA Rationale: section 120B.30 and ESEA

Source of the Requirement: Minnesota Statutes 120B.30 ESSA
(<https://www.revisor.mn.gov/statutes/cite/120b.30>)

NWEA Purpose: To measure student progress and growth over the school year. NWEA is a universal screener to measure student progress on academic standards, determine programmatic needs, and identify students who may need extra support or enrichment.

NWEA Rationale: Local requirements

Estimated Time Testing:

Kindergarten:

- NWEA MAP yearly: 2-4 hours

1st Grade:

- NWEA MAP yearly: 2-4 hours

2nd Grade:

- NWEA MAP yearly: 2-4 hours

3rd Grade:

- NWEA MAP yearly: 2-5 hours
- Reading MCA: 1-2.5 hours
- Math MCA: 1-2.5 hours

4th Grade:

- NWEA MAP yearly: 2-5 hours
- Reading MCA: 1-2.5 hours
- Math MCA: 1-2.5 hours

5th grade:

- NWEA MAP yearly: 2-5 hours
- Reading MCA: 1-2.5 hours
- Math MCA: 1-2.5 hours
- Science MCA: .5-1.5 hours

Final MCA and NWEA assessment results will be mailed home no later than fall conferences of the following year.