

North Carolina Writing Assessment Total Test Time (Minutes)

Grade 4

The following chart provides the total test time for the North Carolina Writing Assessment at grade 4. The total test time does not include time for the test administrator to read general instructions to students, for students to code the background information, or for students to take scheduled breaks, where appropriate.

Writing Assessment	Total Test Time
Grade 4	75

North Carolina Writing Assessment Test Administration Time at Grade 4

The following chart for the North Carolina Writing Assessment at grade 4 provides the time to assemble students, distribute test materials, and read general instructions, the actual test time, and the time for the scheduled stretch break.

Writing Assessment Grade 4	Minutes
Assemble students, distribute test materials, and read general instructions	15 minutes
Actual test time prior to the stretch break	40 minutes
Three-minute stretch break	3 minutes
Actual test time after the stretch break	35 minutes
Total Time	93 minutes

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