

**North Carolina Tentative Statewide Testing Calendar
July 1, 2002 - June 30, 2003**

Summer School 2002	NC Alternate Assessment Academic Inventory: Year-Round Schools ³	First month of student participation
	Grade 3 Pretest: Year-Round Schools	First three weeks of school
	NC Alternate Assessment Portfolio: Year-Round Schools ¹	Development begins first three weeks of school
	NC Competency Tests ²	One locally established date during summer school
	NC Computer Skills Test – Multiple Choice	June 3 – July 12, 2002
	NC Computer Skills Test – Performance	June 3 – July 12, 2002 (Retesting for graduating seniors only)
	EOC Multiple-Choice Tests	Last week of session
First Semester 2002	NC Alternate Assessment Academic Inventory ³	First month of student participation
	Grade 3 Pretest	First three weeks of school
	NC Alternate Assessment Portfolio ¹	Development begins first three weeks of school
	NC Competency Tests	One locally established date
	NC Computer Skills Test – Multiple Choice	October 2 – November 15, 2002 (one locally established date within the testing window)
	NC Computer Skills Test – Performance	October 2 - November 15, 2002 (testing window)
	EOC Multiple Choice Tests: 4x4 /Semester ⁴	Last week of course
	Last Month Competency Test ²	Locally established date for seniors graduating at the end of 1 st semester (seniors only)
	Last Month Computer Skills Test – Multiple Choice ²	To be announced by the NCDPI
Last Month Computer Skills Test – Performance ²	To be announced by the NCDPI	
Second Semester 2003	NC Alternate Assessment Academic Inventory ³	Assessors complete interim (mid-year) evaluations
	NC Competency Tests	One locally established date
	NC Computer Skills Test – Multiple Choice	February 5 – March 14, 2003 (one locally established date with the testing window)
	NC Computer Skills Test – Performance	February 5 – March 14, 2003 (testing window)
	NC Writing Assessment at Grades 4, 7, and 10	March 4, 2003
	Last Month Competency Test ²	Locally established date during last month of school (seniors only)
	Last Month Computer Skills Test – Multiple Choice ²	To be announced by the NCDPI
	Last Month Computer Skills Test – Performance ²	To be announced by the NCDPI
	High School Comprehensive Test – Grade 10	(Title I High Schools Only) Last three weeks of April
	EOG Multiple Choice: Grades 3-8 Reading and Mathematics Tests	Last three weeks of school year
	EOC Multiple Choice Tests: Traditional	Last two weeks of course
	EOC Multiple Choice Tests: 4 x 4/Semester	Last week of course
	NC Alternate Assessment Academic Inventory ³	Assessors complete final evaluation during final month of school
NC Alternate Assessment Portfolio ¹	Portfolios completed within the final month of school	

¹NCAAP (North Carolina Alternate Assessment Portfolio) development begins the first three weeks of school for a year long process at grades 3-8.

²Seniors who have failed to meet the requirements must be given an opportunity to retake the test during the last month of school.

³NCAAAI (North Carolina Alternate Assessment Academic Inventory) is conducted three times annually: Once during the first month of student participation, once during the first month of the second semester, and once during the final month of school.

⁴The new EOC test of English I will be available for testing in December 2002.