

## **Courses for Credit Requiring an End-of-Course Test 2011–12**

Students enrolled in courses that result in credit for 2009 Integrated Mathematics I, Algebra I, OCS Algebra I, Integrated Mathematics II (2003), Biology, OCS Biology, English I, and OCS English I are required to participate in the end-of-course (EOC) tests. Students may drop a course with an EOC assessment within the first 10 days of a block schedule or within the first 20 days of a traditional schedule. Students who are enrolled for credit after the 10/20 days, regardless of how the course is delivered (e.g., through the NC Virtual Public School, Community College System), must participate in the appropriate EOC assessment (i.e., standard administration with or without accommodations). Students shall take the appropriate EOC assessment at the end of the course regardless of the grade level in which the course is offered.

*Advanced Placement Courses:* Each student must take the appropriate EOC assessment the first time the student takes the course even if the course is an honors or Advanced Placement (AP) course. Students enrolled in AP courses, who have previously taken a non-AP course of the same subject and have received credit, are not eligible to take the EOC test. Students who are exempt from final exams by local board of education policy must not be exempt from EOC assessments. Students, who are identified as failing a course for which an EOC assessment is required, must take the appropriate EOC assessment.

*Courses within a Series:* Students enrolled in courses that are a part of a series of the same course (i.e., Algebra IA and IB, Biology CC–Part I and Biology CC–Part II) must take the appropriate EOC test at the end of the second course regardless of the final course taken to complete the series. Schools must provide a system of documentation that facilitates monitoring student enrollment in the parts of a series of the same course for the purpose of local and state accountability. Documentation must identify students enrolled in each part of the series and those who are eligible to take the appropriate EOC test. For additional information related to Algebra IA/IB and mathematics graduation requirements, go to the following link:  
<http://www.ncpublicschools.org/docs/gradrequirements/resources/math/optionschart.pdf>.

*Integrated Mathematics:* For the 2011–12 school year, students being taught the 2003 Integrated Mathematics curriculum must take the Algebra I EOC test at the end of Integrated Mathematics II. Students being taught the 2009 Essential Standards Integrated Mathematics curriculum must take the Algebra I EOC test at the end of Integrated Mathematics I.

*Students Identified as Limited English Proficient (LEP):* Students identified as LEP who score below Level 4.0 Expanding on the state-identified English language proficiency reading placement test and are in their first year in U.S. schools are not eligible to be assessed on the English I EOC test. Students are required, however, to participate in the administration of the Algebra I and Biology EOC tests.

For additional information regarding testing requirements for students repeating an entire course for credit or taking a credit recovery course, contact the Regional Accountability Coordinator (RAC) or visit the following website: <http://www.ncpublicschools.org/accountability/testing/eoc/>.

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See the chart below for a list of course codes that require the administration of the appropriate end-of-course assessment at the completion of the course.

<b>Course Code (first 4 or 5 characters)</b>	<b>Name of Course</b>	<b>Assessment Required</b>
1021	English I	English I
9210	OCS English I	English I
2022	Algebra I B	Algebra I
2023	Algebra I	Algebra I
2052	Integrated Mathematics II (2003) <sup>1</sup>	Algebra I
2055	2009 Integrated Mathematics I <sup>2</sup>	Algebra I
9221	OCS Algebra I	Algebra I
3020K, 30208	Biology CC-Part I, International Baccalaureate Biology	<i>No Assessment Required</i>
3020L	Biology CC-Part II	Biology
3020	Biology	Biology
3021	Biology II, AP Biology	Biology
9232	OCS Biology	Biology

<sup>1</sup>Students being taught based on the 2003 Integrated Mathematics curriculum must take the End-of-Course Test of Algebra I at the completion of Integrated Mathematics II (2003).

<sup>2</sup>Students being taught based on the 2009 Essential Standards Integrated Mathematics curriculum must take the End-of-Course Test of Algebra I at the completion of 2009 Integrated Mathematics I.