2023 - 2024 NSCAS Testing Windows *(updated 11/28/2023)*

TEST	Student/Test Mgmt Opens	TEST DATES	New/Exiting Student Cutoff
NSCAS Growth - Fall *(Optional for Districts)*	August 7, 2023	August 21, 2023 - September 29, 2023	NA
NSCAS Growth - Winter *(Optional for Districts)*	November 13,2023	December 4, 2023 - January 26, 2024 *(no testing Dec 25 - Jan 5)*	NA
ELPA21 Alternate ELPA	January 19, 2024	February 5, 2024 - March 15, 2024	Case by Case*
NSCAS Alternate	February 26, 2024	April 1, 2024 - May 10, 2024	April 26, 2024
NSCAS Growth General Science	March 4, 2024	April 1, 2024 - May 10, 2024	April 26, 2024
ACT *Initial Testing*	January 15, 2024	**Test Window 1** **Paper/Pencil** March 26, 2024 **Online** March 26 - 29, 2024; and April 1 - 5, 2024	April 12, 2024
ACT *Initial Testing or Makeup Testing*	January 15, 2024	**Test Window 2** **Paper/Pencil** April 9, 2024 **Online** April 9 - 12, 2024 and April 15 - 19, 2024	April 12, 2024
ACT *Makeup Testing*	January 15, 2024	**Test Window 3** **Paper/Pencil** April 23. 2024 **Online** April 23 - 26, 2024 and April 29 - 30, 2024 May 1 - 3, 2024	April 12, 2024
ACT with Accommodations *Initial Testing*	January 15, 2024	**Test Window 1** **Paper/Pencil** March 26 - 29, 2024 and April 1 - 5, 2024 **Online** March 26 - 29, 2024; and April 1 - 5, 2024	April 12, 2024
ACT with Accommodations *Initial Testing or Makeup Testing*	January 15, 2024	**Test Window 2** **Paper/Pencil** April 9 - 12, 2024 and April 15 - 19, 2024 **Online** April 9 - 12, 2024 and April 15 - 19, 2024	April 12, 2024
ACT with Accommodations *Makeup Testing*	January 15, 2024	**Test Window 3** **Paper/Pencil** April 23 - 26, 2024 and April 29 - 30, 2024 and May 1 - 3, 2024 (P/P) **Online** April 23 - 26, 2024 and April 29 - 30, 2024 and May 1 - 3 2024	April 12, 2024

* Please reach out to the NDE's Title III/ELPA Office staff to help determine if a new or exiting student should participate in testing.