

Administrative Memo

Date: April 27, 2021
To: School Administrators and District Test Coordinators
From: Blaine Henningsen, Assistant Commissioner, Office of College and Career Readiness
Chris Neale, Assistant Commissioner, Office of Quality Schools
Subject: CCR-21-006 – 2021-22 End-of-Course (EOC) Test Windows

The Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (DESE) recognizes that this last year of education has been like no other, and we commend you for your efforts to educate and assess the learning of your students. In light of the COVID-19 pandemic, DESE has updated the plans for the 2021-22 Missouri Assessment Program (MAP) assessment and accountability year.

2021-22 EOC Summer Test Window

The 2021-22 MAP EOC summer test window opens June 7, 2021, and extends through July 30, 2021. Algebra I, Biology, English II, Government and Personal Finance EOC assessments will be available during this summer 2021 window. There will be no pre-code for EOC summer 2021. If you need assistance with Nextera, please contact the EOC Help Desk at 800-571-2545 or MOCustomerSupport@questarai.com. Districts must enroll students directly into Nextera for this administration.

Please note that the 2021-22 MAP EOC summer test window will overlap with the final weeks of the spring 2020-21 test window. Please make sure students are assigned to the correct testing window.

2021-22 EOC Fall Test Window

The fall EOC test window will open on October 25, 2021, and close on January 28, 2022. District test coordinators will receive information about the 2021-22 test year in August. Trainings and manuals for the 2021-22 school year will be available in September.

Government and American History Reports and Data

Scores and data for the new Government and American History EOC tests are unavailable as a result of testing being cancelled in spring 2020. DESE will establish performance-level expectations and cut scores for Government and American History EOCs this summer. Results, including individual student reports, rosters and data files will be available to schools in fall 2021.

For questions about assessment, email assessment@dese.mo.gov or call 573-751-3545. For questions about accountability data, email MSIP@dese.mo.gov or call 573-751-4426 or 573-751-4104.