

County Community and Juvenile Court 2015-16 CAHSEE & CAASPP Assessment Dates/Guidelines

California High School Exit Exam (CAHSEE)

NOTE: If passed as currently amended on July 9, 2015, SB 172 would suspend the California High School Exit Exam as a requirement for graduation for school years 2014-15, 2015-16, 2016-17, and 2017-18.

English-Language Arts Tuesday	Mathematics Wednesday
November 3, 2015	November 4, 2015
February 2, 2016	February 3, 2016
March 15, 2016	March 16, 2016
May 10, 2016	May 11, 2016

Student Options to Participate in 2015/16 CAHSEE Administrations

November 2015	February 2016	March 2016	May 2016
		Grade 10 (Census)	Grade 10 (<i>Make-up</i>)
Grade 11	Grade 11		
Grade 12	Grade 12	Grade 12	

CAHSEE Guidelines for Grades 10 - 12

All Grade 10 students must take the CAHSEE AND may only take it once. All grade ten students must take the CAHSEE during the census (March) administration. In May, the following 10th grade students are eligible to test:

1. Any student who was absent during the Census administration
2. Any student who enrolled after the March CAHSEE administration AND did not test with their district school of residence.

Grade 11 students may be administered the CAHSEE up to two times per school year to retake only those parts not previously passed.

Grade 12 students may be administered the CAHSEE up to five times per school year to retake only those parts not previously passed. The Court/Community programs normally offer seniors four testing opportunities per year.

California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP)

Summative Assessments (Required)

Administration Windows	Grade Levels and Subjects
March 4 – June 3, 2016	All Grade 3-8 students* English Language Arts and Mathematics
April 25 – June 30, 2016	All Grade 11 Students* English Language Arts and Mathematics <hr/> Early Assessment Program (EAP) Grade 11 students may authorize to release test results to the CSU and CCC during the summative assessment

*The only students exempt from participating in the Smarter Balanced summative assessments are:

- Students who have an Individualized Education Plan (IEP) that indicates participation in the California Alternate Assessment (CAA) (formerly CAPA) in English language arts/literacy (ELA) and mathematics
- English learners (Els) who have been enrolled in a school in the United States less than 12 months (ELA only)

Paper-Based Science Assessment (Required)

Administration Window	Grade Levels and Subjects
April 22 – May 11, 2016	Grades 5, 8, and 10 CST/CMA/CAPA in Science

Alternate Assessment (Formerly CAPA) (Required)

Administration Window	Grade Levels and Subjects
April 11 – June 17, 2016	Students in grades 3-8 and 11 English Language Arts and Mathematics If Individualized Education Plan indicates assessment with CAPA/Alternate Assessment