

Accountability

Reminder:

WISEdash Snapshot - June 3

June 3, DPI will take a snapshot of all demographic data for students in all grades. There are resources available to you on the [DPI Snapshot Preparation Guidance page](#). If you have any questions in preparation for the June 3 WISEdata snapshot, please [submit a help ticket](#).

Assessment

Reminder:

Vendor-Based Assessment Reporting Timeline

The 2020-21 Vendor-Based Reporting Information is now available under the Wisconsin State Assessment Timelines on the [Assessment webpage](#). As assessment reports become available in the secure portals, please be aware that DPI will publicly release the statewide assessment results in the fall. **Until this public release, do not release your district's assessment results to the public.** Data security and student privacy requirements as outlined in the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) and state law must be maintained when results are shared publicly. More information about maintaining student data privacy is available on the [Student Data Privacy webpage](#).

ACT with writing

New:

Testing Administration

Statewide ACT testing has now concluded. Thank you for your work and dedication testing students this year. Vouchers for July National Testing are available for grade 11 students in your district who were unable to take the ACT during the 2020-21 State Administration. For more information about the July vouchers please refer to the [May 12 ACT Update](#).

Reminder:

2019-20 ACT Data

The 2019-20 ACT data is now available in [WISEdash Public](#). These results may be shared publicly now in accordance with data security requirements as outlined in the [Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act \(FERPA\)](#) and state law.

During the 2019-20 school year, most students were able to take the ACT on the spring testing dates. However, some students were not able to test due to the pandemic. Students who were not able to test were offered vouchers to test on a national test day. Due to the disrupted school year, 2019-20 ACT participation rates are slightly lower than in prior years. Appropriate care should be exercised when analyzing the data.

Aspire

New:

Post Testing Clean-up

The ACT Aspire testing window will be closing today, May 19. Be sure to complete all [Post Testing Clean-up](#) by May 26. Please refer to the [Aspire Schedule of Events](#) for all post-test tasks and deadlines.

Forward Exam

New:

The Forward Exam testing window is now closed. We appreciate the phone calls and emails from schools and districts asking for clarification, seeking guidance, and reporting irregularities. Your attention to administrative detail and awareness of test security helps to ensure all students have the opportunity to demonstrate their knowledge and skills. We appreciate the time and effort you put into administering the Forward Exam.

Reminder:

Not-Tested Codes

All not-tested codes must be entered into the portal by Friday, May 21. Identify students who need to have a Not-Tested Code (NTC) applied, including students who were administered the DLM. Students must be in a test session in order to view, assign, or edit their not-tested code (see page 32 of the [DRC INSIGHT Portal Guide](#)).

- Any content area started but not completed by a student is considered an incomplete test and will not be an accurate reflection of the student's ability. In these cases we recommend invalidation of that content area. You will need to let the parent or guardian know the reason for the invalidated content area prior student reports going home.
- Any content area not yet started by a student should be assigned a not-tested code of "other", unless a different code applies. Refer to the [DRC INSIGHT Portal Guide](#) for not-tested code guidelines.
- Any completed content area should be submitted and scored as is.

Assessment and Accountability COVID-19 Related Updates

For assessment and accountability COVID-19 Updates please visit:

- [COVID-19 - Accountability Updates and Resources](#)
- [COVID-19 - Assessment Updates and Resources](#)
- [COVID-19 Assessment FAQ](#)



Important Dates to Remember

Be sure to refer to each specific assessment calendar for a complete list of key dates.

Month	Day and Event	Assessment
May	14: Forward and DLM test window closes	Forward
	19: Aspire test window closes	Aspire
June	11: Users Guide to Interpreting Results available	Forward
	18: Registration Deadline for July 17-18 National Testing	ACT
	24: ISRs are available electronically in the DRC INSIGHT Portal	Forward
July	6: ACT Aspire Reporting Available in PAnext	Aspire
	17-18: July ACT National Testing	ACT
	21: ACT Reporting Available in Success.ACT/PAnext	ACT
	21: Hard copy ISRs delivered to districts	Forward

