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TEST	LINKED TO:	PURPOSE	TYPE	GRADES ADMINISTERED	DATE(S)
Criterion-Referenced Competency Test **(CRCT)**	GPS	To measure the progress of the state curriculum	Criterion - Referenced Test	Grades 3-8 in Reading, LA , Math, Science and Social Studies	April 2,3,4,8,9 2013 (Main) April 5,10,11,12 2013 (Make-up) May 20 – May 24, 2013 (Retest)
End-of-Course Tests **(EOCT)**	GPS	To measure the progress of the state curriculum (counts 20% of final grade)	Criterion - Referenced Test	High School at the end of 9 Lit., Phy. Sci., Math I, Math II, US His., Bio.,11 Lit., Econ.	December 10 – 18, 2012 May 14-22, 2013 June 25-29, 2012 (Retest) June 18- July 22, 2013 (Tentative Retest)
Georgia Alternate Assessment **(GAA)**	GPS	To assess the progress towards achievement of grade level standards	Portfolio Performance Based	Grades 3-8 and 11 ELA, Math, Science, and Social Studies	September 4, 2012- March 29, 2013
Georgia High School Graduation Tests **(GHSGT)**	GPS	To determine content area knowledge as provided by the GPS for graduation. Students must pass all sections to graduate.	Criterion-Referenced Test	Beginning in 11th Grade	**RETEST** July 16-20, 2012 September 10-14, 2012 November 12- 16, 2012 July 15-19, 2013 **MAIN** March 18- 22, 2013
Georgia High School Writing Test **(GHSWT)**	GPS	To improve student writing and writing instruction. Students must pass to graduate.	Criterion – Referenced Test	Beginning in 11th Grade	October 3-4,, 2012 February 27-28, 2013 July 17, 2013
Georgia Kindergarten Inventory of Developing Skills **(GKIDS)**	GPS	To provide cumulative evidence of a student's readiness for first grade.	Portfolio Performance Based	Kindergarten	On going assessment concluding May 10, 2013

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Georgia Writing Assessments **(MGWA) (GWA)**	GPS	To improve student writing and writing instruction.	Criterion – Referenced Test	Grade 3 Grade 5 Grade 8	March 18-29, 2013 March 6-7, 2013 January 23-24, 2013
ACESS for ELLs	English Language Proficiency	To determine the English language proficiency level.	Standards Based	All English Language Learners	January 22, 2013- March 5, 2013
National Assessment of Educational Progress **(NAEP)**	Typical National Assessment	To obtain information about how the performance of Georgia students compares with that of students in a national sample	Criterion – Referenced in Math, Reading, and Writing	Grades 4, 8, and 12	
Preliminary Scholastic Assessment **(PSAT)**	National assessment	Measures critical thinking skills important for success in college	Nationally - Normed	Grade 10	October 17, 2012
ACT	National Assessment				September 8, 2012 February 9, 2013
Work Ready Assessment & Retest					October, 2012