



Middle School Testing Bulletin

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US Civics Test (8)

Testing window **9/1/2018 to 3/22/2019**

The Civics test will be given online this year via UTIPS: <https://jordan.utips.org/>. The online test will be scored automatically. Info Sys will upload passed tests to Skyward monthly, eliminating the need for teachers to enter data. Office staff will still be able to enter or modify the data directly in the educational milestone module. Once data has been loaded into the educational milestone module it is viewable in Skyward Family Access and shows on transcripts. Teachers' instructions for administering the online test can be found here: <http://assessments.jordandistrict.org/files/Teacher-Guidelines-US->

Civics-Test.pdf If you have questions, please contact Brooke Anderson at 801-567-8393 or brooke.anderson@jordandistrict.org. You can also contact Gaylene Miller at 801-567-8112 or gaylene.miller@jordandistrict.org.

Link to interface: <https://jordan.utips.org/>

DLM: Instructionally Embedded Testlets (per IEP) (Optional) (LA, MA) (7-9)

Testing window **9/19/2018 to 2/27/2019**

Information will be posted on the assessment website: assessments.jordandistrict.org. Please check the site often for more information. If you have questions, please contact Gaylene Miller at 801-567-8112 or gaylene.miller@jordandistrict.org.

Link to interface: <https://educator.cete.us/AART/login.htm>

RISE Benchmarks (7-8)

Testing window **10/1/2018 to 6/17/2019**

RISE benchmark tests are brief (15-30 min) online assessments for one reporting category or standard. These tests are designed to be used formatively. They are fixed-form tests, not adaptive. Grades 6-8 Science will not have benchmarks available in the 2018-2019 school year. If you have questions, please contact Brooke Anderson at 801-567-8393 or brooke.anderson@jordandistrict.org. You can also contact Gaylene Miller at 801-567-8112 or gaylene.miller@jordandistrict.org.

Link to interface:

AAPPL for Dual Immersion (7-9)

Testing window **11/1/2018 to 12/15/2018**

If you plan on ordering additional tests, please work with Brooke Anderson so everything is billed correctly and the scores are accessible. An explanation of the AAPPL score report can be found here: <http://immersion.jordandistrict.org/files/Understanding-AAPPL-Measure-Score-Report.docx>. If you have questions, please contact Brooke Anderson at 801-567-8393 or brooke.anderson@jordandistrict.org. You can also contact Leticia Thomas at 801-567-8135 or leticia.thomas@jordandistrict.org.

Link to interface: <https://tms.languagetesting.com/clientsite/Login.aspx>

RISE Interim (7-8)

Testing window **11/1/2018 to 3/8/2019**

RISE Interim tests are optional. If you choose to administer them, you will need to adhere strictly to the Test Administration Manual and maintain test security. This is not a practice test where teachers can review questions with students. Interims will not be available for grades 6-8 Science in the 2018-2019 school year. If you have questions, please contact Brooke Anderson at 801-567-8393 or brooke.anderson@jordandistrict.org. You can also contact Gaylene Miller at 801-567-8112 or gaylene.miller@jordandistrict.org.

Link to interface:

CTE Skills Test Semester 1 (7-9)

Testing window **12/10/2018 to 1/11/2019**

If you have questions, please contact Jason Skidmore at 801-256-5953 or jason.skidmore@jordandistrict.org.

WIDA ACCESS 2.0 (EL Levels 1-4) (7-9)

Testing window **1/7/2019 to 3/8/2019**

Your school will be contacted to set up the dates for the WIDA team. Please be aware this is a computer-based test and we will need to schedule a computer lab. This test will be administered to your ELL students who are at LPL levels 1, 2, 3, or 4. Sample test items can be found at <https://wbte.drctdirect.com/WIDA/portals/wida>. If you have questions, please contact Gaylene Miller at 801-567-8112 or gaylene.miller@jordandistrict.org. You can also contact JoLynn Snelgrove at 801-567-8419 or jolynn.snelgrove@jordandistrict.org.

Link to interface: <https://www.drctdirect.com>

ALPS (7-9)

Test administration dates

If you have questions, please contact Rebecca Smith at 801-567-8368 or rebecca.smith@jordandistrict.org.

School Climate Surveys (7-9)

Administration window **2/4/2019 to 3/15/2019**

If you have questions, please contact Ben Jameson at 801-567-8243 or ben.jameson@jordandistrict.org.

Link to interface: UEPC custom link

SHARP Survey (Selected Schools & Classes only) (8-9)

Administration window

If your school is selected to administer the SHARP survey, you'll be notified and given more information in November. If you have questions, please contact Ben Jameson at 801-567-8243 or ben.jameson@jordandistrict.org.

DLM: Spring Summative (LA, MA) (per IEP) (7-9)

Testing window **3/11/2019 to 6/7/2019**

Information will be posted on the assessment website: assessments.jordandistrict.org. Please check the site often for more information. If you have questions, please contact Gaylene Miller at 801-567-8112 or gaylene.miller@jordandistrict.org.

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UAA (Sci) (per IEP) (7-9)

Testing window **3/11/2019 to 6/7/2019**

Please ensure you have chosen an instructional goal for students by October. This is the goal they will be tested on at the end of the year. Please enter end-of-year test results on the Google spreadsheet shared with you by Gaylene Miller. If you have questions, please contact Gaylene Miller at 801-567-8112 or gaylene.miller@jordandistrict.org.

Utah Aspire Plus (9 only)

Testing window **3/25/2019 to 5/17/2019**

There will be 4 component tests: English, Reading, Mathematics, and Science. Schools can choose to administer these tests ACT-style (all in one sitting with short breaks), or SAGE-style (every teacher signs up for a day in the window). These tests are timed. If you have questions, please contact Brooke Anderson at 801-567-8393 or brooke.anderson@jordandistrict.org. You can also contact Gaylene Miller at 801-567-8112 or gaylene.miller@jordandistrict.org.

RISE Summative (7-8)

Testing window **4/1/2019 to 5/24/2019**

As of the 2018-19 school year, SAGE Writing will only be administered in grades 5 & 8. There will only be one prompt. If you have questions, please contact Brooke Anderson at 801-567-8393 or

brooke.anderson@jordandistrict.org. You can also contact Gaylene Miller at 801-567-8112 or gaylene.miller@jordandistrict.org.

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CTE Skills Test Semester 2/ Full-year (7-9)

Testing window **5/6/2019 to 5/31/2019**

If you have questions, please contact Jason Skidmore at 801-256-5953 or jason.skidmore@jordandistrict.org.

RISE Summative USTAR (7-8)

Testing window **TBD**

The summer USTAR SAGE testing follows the same guidelines as end-of-year testing. Any students who were in grade 11 for the 2018-2019 school year will not be tested. Any students who were in grades 7,8,9, or 10 for the 2018-2019 school year will be. If students have already opted out, teachers will be notified. New opt-outs must be recorded and will only count for the 2018-2019 school year. If you have questions, please contact Brooke Anderson at 801-567-8393 or brooke.anderson@jordandistrict.org. You can also contact Gaylene Miller at 801-567-8112 or gaylene.miller@jordandistrict.org.

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