

California Assessment Timeline

2021–22												2022–23												2023–24																		
Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun							
							Smarter Balanced Summative												Smarter Balanced Summative														Smarter Balanced Summative									
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							CAA for ELA and Mathematics													CAA for ELA and Mathematics													CAA for ELA and Mathematics									
							CAST													CAST															CAST							
							CAA for Science													CAA for Science														CAA for Science								
							CSA*													CSA*															CSA*							
							PFT												PFT												PFT											
							Summative ELPAC												Summative ELPAC												Summative ELPAC											
Initial ELPAC												Initial ELPAC												Initial ELPAC																		
						Alternate ELPAC field test														Summative Alternate ELPAC													Summative Alternate ELPAC									
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GEDTS*, HiSET*												GEDTS*, HiSET*												GEDTS*, HiSET*																		
CHSPE* (to be determined)												CHSPE* (to be determined)												CHSPE* (to be determined)																		

CAA – California Alternate Assessments
CAST – California Science Test
CHSPE – California High School Proficiency Exam
CSA – California Spanish Assessment
ELA – English Language Arts/Literacy

ELPAC – English Language Proficiency Assessments for California
GEDTS – General Educational Development Testing Service
HiSET – High School Equivalency Test
PFT – Physical Fitness Test

All tests are operational (including the field test) unless otherwise noted.

***Optional test**