Assessment Guide
De Smet School District
School Year 2020-2021

Name of Assessment	Subject Matter Assessed	Grades Administered	Purpose of the test (what is it designed for and how are the results used)	Source of Requirement	Approximate time spent taking the test when administered	Dates Administered (state window and district dates)	Reporting Results
SD ELA and Math General Education Assessments	English/Language Arts and Math	3-8, 11	To determine students' strengths and weaknesses.	ESSA	3 hours	March 8 - May 7, 2021	Printed reports mailed or handed to parents
South Dakota Science	Science	5, 8, 11	To determine students' strengths and weaknesses.	ESSA	1.5 hours	March 8 - May 7, 2021	Printed reports mailed or handed to parents
National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP)	Reading and Math	4, 8	To compare SD scores to other states.		1.5 hours	Postponed	There are no student indvidual scores.
WIDA EL Assessments	Reading, Writing, Speaking, and Listening	K-12	To determine English proficiency of students.		2 hours	Jan. 25 - March 12, 2021	Printed reports mailed or handed to parents