DC PARCC Spring 2016 Testing Windows

Updated: July 31, 2015

In spring 2016, schools and LEAs will have flexibility to choose from several options for their testing windows for PARCC.

DC PARCC 2015-2016 School Year Test Date Options for LEAs
Spring (Grades 3-8 and High School) Computer: • Option 1: 3/28/16 - 5/6/16 • Option 2: 4/4/16 - 5/13/16 • Option 3: 4/11/16 - 5/20/16 Paper: • 3/28/16 – 4/29/16

General window scheduling:

- Tests are designed to be administered between 75% and 90% of the school year, in one 30 school day window.

- Schools may arrange test schedules within their chosen windows according to their needs, but testing at any campus may not extend beyond the last day of the chosen window.

- LEAs may choose to administer both paper and computer tests, but all students in a grade at a school must test in the same mode except when required by students' testing accommodations. Schools administering both paper and computer tests must have the same start dates for paper and computer tests, so paper and computer windows within a school will happen concurrently.