

2010–2011 Schedule for MCAS and MEPA Testing (revised)

Grade	Test	Allowable Administration Dates	Number of Sessions	Session Length (Avg. # of Minutes)
Fall 2010 MEPA				
Grades 1–12	MELA-O	October 4–25	NA	NA
	MEPA-R/W	October 18–25	Gr. 1–2: 2 (1 Reading; 1 Writing) Gr. 3–12: 4 (2 each)	45
November 2010 MCAS ELA and Mathematics Retests				
High school	ELA Composition, Sessions A and B	November 3	2	45
	ELA Reading Comprehension, Sessions 1 and 2	November 4	2	45
	ELA Reading Comprehension, Session 3	November 5	1	45
	Mathematics, Session 1	November 8	1	60
	Mathematics, Session 2	November 9	1	60
February 2011 MCAS High School Biology Test				
High school	Biology, Session 1	February 1	1	60
	Biology, Session 2	February 2	1	60
March 2011 MCAS ELA and Mathematics Retests				
High school	ELA Composition, Sessions A and B	March 2	2	45
	ELA Reading Comprehension, Sess. 1 and 2	March 3	2	45
	ELA Reading Comprehension, Session 3	March 4	1	45
	Mathematics, Session 1	March 7	1	60
	Mathematics, Session 2	March 8	1	60
Spring 2011 MEPA				
Grades K–12	MELA-O	Feb. 14–March 14	NA	NA
	MEPA-R/W	March 7–14	Gr. K–2: 2 (1 Reading; 1 Writing) Gr. 3–12: 4 (2 each)	45 Sess. 1 and 3: 45 Session 2: 60
2011 MCAS Alternate Assessment (MCAS-Alt)				
Grades 3–12	MCAS-Alt	April 5 (Deadline for submitting portfolios)		

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March–April 2011 MCAS Tests				
Grades 4, 7, 10	ELA Composition, Sessions A and B	March 22	2	45
	ELA Composition Make-Up	March 31	2	45
Grades 3, 5, 6, and 8	ELA Reading Comprehension	March 22– April 6		
			2	60
Grades 4 and 7		March 23– April 6		
Grade 10	ELA Reading Comprehension, Sess. 1 and 2	March 23	2	45
	ELA Reading Comprehension, Session 3	March 24	1	45
May 2011 MCAS Tests				
Grades 3–8	Mathematics	May 10–May 26	2	Grades 3–6: 45 Grades 7–8: 50
Grades 5 and 8	Science and Technology/Engineering (STE)	May 11–May 26	2	45
Grade 10	Mathematics, Session 1	May 17	1	60
	Mathematics, Session 2	May 18	1	60
June 2011 MCAS: High School STE Tests Biology, Chemistry, Introductory Physics, Technology/Engineering				
High school	High School STE, Session 1	June 1	1	60
	High School STE, Session 2	June 2	1	60

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