

**2011-2012 Kansas Assessment Overview  
Elementary and Middle (K-8)**

<b>2012</b>	<b>Mathematics</b>	<b>Reading</b>	<b>Science</b>	<b>History/Government</b>	<b>KELPA</b>	<b>Alternate</b>
<b>Grades</b>	3,4,5,6,7,8	3,4,5,6,7,8	4,7	6, 8	K-8	Grades same as in content areas.
<b>Testing Options</b>	General KAMM Gen Spanish	General KAMM	General KAMM Gen Spanish	General KAMM	Same for all students at a grade level	All students have portfolio assessment.
<b>“TEST” Submission Deadline</b>	Opens August 22. Deadline is one week prior to start of test.	Opens August 22. Deadline is one week prior to start of test.	Opens August 22. Deadline is one week prior to start of test.	Opens August 22. Deadline is one week prior to start of test.	Opens August 22 Deadline one week prior to start of test. <b>Pre- slugging deadline is January 6.</b>	Opens August 22. <b>Deadline is December 31.</b> Submit early to access indicators and tools online: <a href="http://www.cete.us">www.cete.us</a>
<b>Testing Window</b>	February 15 to April 20 HARD CLOSE AND NO MAKE-UP	February 15 to April 20 HARD CLOSE AND NO MAKE-UP	February 15 to April 20 HARD CLOSE AND NO MAKE-UP	February 15 to April 20 HARD CLOSE AND NO MAKE-UP	February 6 to April 30 HARD CLOSE AND NO MAKE-UP	December 31 to April 20 HARD CLOSE AND NO MAKE-UP Students enrolling in a different (new) school on or after December 31 are exempt.
<b>“Need Not Test” Date</b>	Students entering on or after February 10 need not be tested.	Students entering on or after February 10 need not be tested.	Students entering on or after February 10 need not be tested.	Students entering on or after February 10 need not be tested.	Close of Window	Students entering on or after December 31 need not be tested.
<b>Answer Sheets Due</b>	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	May 11	Scoring should be entered by April 30.
<b>“Recently Arrived in U.S.” Exemption Date**</b>	N/A—No exemption in math. Arrived after 2/15/11 counts for participation only.	Arrived after 2/15/11 –Need not take reading assessment but may. Counts for participation only. Must take KELPA.	N/A—No exemption in science. Arrived after 2/15/11 counts for participation only.	Arrived after 2/15/11 –Need not take history/government assessment but may. Counts for participation only. Must take KELPA.	Required for all Identified ELL Students	Follow rules for content area assessments.
<b>Test Format</b>	Multiple Choice	Multiple Choice	Multiple Choice	Multiple Choice	Performance Assessment and Multiple Choice	Portfolio Assessment
<b>Test Sessions</b>	3	3	2	2	Varies	Varies
<b>Session Length</b>	Suggested: 45-60 min.	Suggested: 45-60 min.	Suggested: 45-60 min.	Suggested: 45-60 min.	Varies	N/A
<b>Indicators Tested on General Assessment</b>	12 to 15	11 to 16	22, 30	22--30	N/A	N/A
<b>Questions Per Indicator on General Assessment</b>	4 to 8	4 to 8	2	2	N/A	N/A

\* Consider early “TEST” submission for 1) populating OTL Reports, 2) New Student Test History and 3) Accessing Alternate Indicators and Tools: [www.cete.us](http://www.cete.us).

\*\* First entry by the student in a U.S. school.

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