

# Granite School District

## 2008-2009

### Preliminary Calendar - Dates & Tests May be Subject to Change

#### UTAH ACADEMIC LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY ASSESSMENT (UALPA)

The UALPA test will be given throughout the entire 2008-2009 school year. **Various Due Dates TBA.**

#### ELEMENTARY

**Kindergarten Assessments:** Kindergarten students may be excused a total of ten (10) days to complete both tests. Example: Five (5) days in the fall and five (5) days in the spring, or six (6) days in the fall and four (4) days in the spring. Pre-Assessment Documents are due to the Testing Lab seven (7) days from the first day of school. Post-Assessment testing may be scheduled anytime during the last five (5) weeks of school. Post-Assessment Tests are due back the last day of school.

| Test                | Iowa Basic Skills (NRT)  |                                   | Direct Writing Assessment (DWA) |                 | IOWA 3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade Reading |                 | Criterion Referenced Test (CRT)* |  |
|---------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------------|--|
|                     | Grade(s) Tested          | 3 <sup>rd</sup> & 5 <sup>th</sup> | Due to D.O.                     | 6 <sup>th</sup> | Due to D.O.                        | 3 <sup>rd</sup> | Due to D.O.                      | 2 <sup>nd</sup> - 6 <sup>th</sup> L.A. & Math<br>4 <sup>th</sup> - 6 <sup>th</sup> Science |
| <b>Traditional</b>  | September 15 - October 3 | Friday, October 3                 | February 23 - 27                | March 2         | April 16 - 23                      | April 24        | PBT - April 20 - May 13          | May 13   |
|                     |                          |                                   |                                 |                 |                                    |                 | CBT - April 20 - May 27          | May 27   |
| <b>Track A</b>      | August 18 - September 5  | Friday, October 3                 | February 23 - 27                | March 2         | April 16 - 23                      | April 24        | PBT - April 20 - May 13          | May 13   |
|                     |                          |                                   |                                 |                 |                                    |                 | CBT - April 20 - May 27          | May 27   |
| <b>Track B</b>      | August 18 - September 5  | Friday, October 3                 | February 23 - 27                | March 2         | April 16 - 23                      | April 24        | PBT - April 20 - May 13          | May 13   |
|                     |                          |                                   |                                 |                 |                                    |                 | CBT - April 20 - May 27          | May 27   |
| <b>Track C</b>      | September 15 - October 3 | Friday, October 3                 | March 2-6                       | March 9         | April 16 - 23                      | April 24        | PBT - May 18 - June 9            | June 9   |
|                     |                          |                                   |                                 |                 |                                    |                 | CBT - May 18 - June 24           | June 24  |
| <b>Track D</b>      | September 15 - October 3 | Friday, October 3                 | February 23 - 27                | March 2         | May 4 - 8                          | May 11          | PBT - May 18 - June 9            | June 9   |
|                     |                          |                                   |                                 |                 |                                    |                 | CBT - May 18 - June 24           | June 24  |
| <b>Single Track</b> | September 15 - October 3 | Friday, October 3                 | February 23 - 27                | March 2         | April 16 - 23                      | April 24        | PBT - April 20 - May 13          | May 13   |
|                     |                          |                                   |                                 |                 |                                    |                 | CBT - April 20 - May 27          | May 27   |

#### SECONDARY

| Test               | Iowa Basic Skills (NRT)  |                   | Direct Writing Assessment (DWA) |                 | Criterion Referenced Test (CRT)** |   |
|--------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------|---|
|                    | Grade(s) Tested          | 8 <sup>th</sup>   | Due to D.O.                     | 9 <sup>th</sup> | Due to D.O.                       | 7 <sup>th</sup> - 11 <sup>th</sup> L.A., Math & Science** |
| <b>Traditional</b> | September 15 - October 3 | Friday, October 3 | February 23 - 27                | March 2         | PBT - April 20 - May 13           | May 13  |
|                    |                          |                   |                                 |                 | CBT - April 20 - May 27           | May 27  |

#### Utah Basic Skills Test (UBSCT)

| Fall 11 <sup>th</sup> & 12 <sup>th</sup> | District Pick-up                                  | Spring 10 <sup>th</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup> | District Pick-up                                  |
|--|---|--|---|
| Writing - Tuesday, October 21            | Monday,<br>October 27<br>By District<br>Warehouse | Writing - Tuesday, February 3              | Monday,<br>February 9<br>By District<br>Warehouse |
| Math - Wednesday, October 22             |   | Math - Wednesday, February 4               |   |
| Reading - Thursday, October 23           |   | Reading - Thursday, February 5             |   |
| Make-Up - Friday, October 24             |   | Make-Up - Friday, February 6               |   |

\*Year-round schools may adjust CRT starting dates as long as the number of school days in the window are not increased and all answer documents are returned to the District by the due date. Please notify the Research, Assessment, and Evaluation office of any schedule changes by December.

\*\*Language Arts, Math, and Science Departments are encouraged to create a master school testing schedule which avoids, where possible, different subject CRTs being given on the same day.

**CRT Tests**-by grade/subject (AYP - Applies to participation and Adequate Yearly Progress)

English Language Arts -2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> AYP, 4<sup>th</sup> AYP, 5<sup>th</sup> AYP, 6<sup>th</sup> AYP, 7<sup>th</sup> AYP, 8<sup>th</sup> AYP, 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup> AYP, 11<sup>th</sup>

Math-2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> AYP, 4<sup>th</sup> AYP, 5<sup>th</sup> AYP, 6<sup>th</sup> AYP, 7<sup>th</sup> AYP, Pre-Alg AYP, Alg AYP, Applied Math I & II AYP, Elementary Alg AYP, Geometry AYP, Interm. Algebra

Science-4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, Earth Systems, First Year Biology (Including Human Biology), First Year Chemistry, First Year Physics

**NRT - Norm Referenced Test**

**PBT - Paper & Pencil Administration**

**CBT - Computer-Based Administration**