## 2023-2024 Statewide Achievement Assessments

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### AASA – Grades 3-8

- Grade 3: ELA includes Writing, ELA Unit 1, ELA Unit 2, and Oral Reading Fluency (ORF)
- Grades 4-8: ELA includes Writing, ELA Unit 1, and ELA Unit 2
- Grades 3-8: Math includes Math Unit 1 and Math Unit 2
- Available online and paper-based
- AASA test units are untimed
- Embedded Calculator: (Desmos Scientific) – Grades 7 and 8 Math Unit 1 only
- Sample Tests: [https://home.testnav.com/](https://home.testnav.com/); Login is not required. Select “Arizona,” then “Mic Check & Sample Tests.”
- AASA Cut Scores

### AzSCI – Grades 5, 8, and 11 (Cohort 2025)

- Online assessment
- Three test units, estimated at 60-90 minutes each
- AzSCI test units are untimed
- Embedded Calculator: Grade 5 – Desmos Four-Function
- Embedded Calculator: Grades 8 and 11 – Desmos Scientific
- AzSCI Cut Scores

### ACT Aspire – Grade 9 (Cohort 2027) and ACT – Grade 11 (Cohort 2025)

- Available online and paper-based
- ACT and ACT Aspire are timed tests
- ACT Aspire includes English, Math, Reading, Science and Writing (essay). There are language and editing tasks and open-ended questions included.
- ACT includes English, Math, Reading, Science, and Writing (essay).
- Arizona Alignment Guide and Arizona Alignment Matrix
- ACT Cut Scores
- Resources on [Educator Resources](https://www.act.org/content/act/en/products-and-services/state-and-district-solutions/az/az.html) webpage and ACT / ACT Aspire webpage

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