

# Milestones End-of-Course Testing

Spring 2025

## Overview

The Georgia Milestones Assessment System includes four end-of-course assessments that must be completed by Georgia high school students for validation of course credit and as part of their grade for the corresponding course. These tests are very important for East students, as this data is an essential piece of determining our school's effectiveness as well as our students' readiness for their postsecondary pursuits.

Testing will take place the week of April 28 - May 2, with make-up tests administered the following week. The week of April 28 is not a virtual week. Testing will begin promptly at 8:25 AM each day. All EFHS students are expected to come to school and remain in school for the entirety of the scheduled school day.

Please review this [parent letter](#) from Forsyth County's Department of Teaching and Learning for information about the value and purpose of these assessments.

Want to practice? Check out the [Experience Online Testing Georgia](#) website!

<b>Algebra</b>	<b>Biology</b>
<b>Monday, April 28</b>  The Algebra End-of-Course assessment is required for all students enrolled in Algebra at East or through Dual Enrollment, GAVS, or FVA. This test is administered in two parts. <a href="#">Information about accessing study guides is available here.</a>	<b>Tuesday, April 29</b>  The Biology End-of-Course assessment is required for all students enrolled in Biology or AP Biology for initial Biology credit at East or through Dual Enrollment, GAVS, or FVA. A student's score on this test will count as 10% of their grade on their East transcript. This test is administered in two parts. <a href="#">Access the Study/Resource Guide for Students and Parents here.</a>
<b>American Literature</b>	<b>US History</b>
<b>Wednesday, April 30 &amp; Thursday, May 1</b>  The American Literature End-of-Course assessment is required for all students enrolled in American Literature or AP English Language & Composition at East or through Dual Enrollment, GAVS, or FVA. A student's score on this test will count as 10% of their grade on their East transcript. This test is administered in three parts; the first part is on Wednesday, and the second	<b>Friday, May 2</b>  The US History End-of-Course assessment is required for all students enrolled in US History at East or through GAVS or FVA. Students who are enrolled in AP US History or who are completing the course through Dual Enrollment are not required to take the EOC. A student's score on this test will count as 10% of their grade on their East transcript. This test is administered in two parts.

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## Testing Schedule

Milestones EOC tests will NOT be administered during a virtual week. School will continue during the week of testing. Students should not plan to come to school late or check out early, as they will still follow their regular class schedule when they are not testing.

The bell schedule will be as follows:

April 28 - May 2 (EOCs)	Monday, April 28th	Tuesday, April 29th	Wednesday, April 30th	Thursday, May 1st	Friday, May 2nd
	<b>Algebra EOC</b>	<b>Biology EOC</b>	<b>Amer Lit Sec 1 EOC</b>	<b>Amer Lit Sec 2 &amp; 3 EOC</b>	<b>US History EOC</b>
	<b>1st Period</b> 8:25-11:00	<b>2nd Period</b> 8:25 - 11:00	<b>6th Period</b> 8:25 - 11:00	<b>5th Period</b> 8:25 - 11:00	<b>3rd Period</b> 8:25 - 10:00
	Bronco Block: 11:00-11:35	Bronco Block: 11:00-11:35	Bronco Block: 11:00-11:35	Bronco Block: 11:00-11:35	1st: 10:05-10:50
	4 <sup>th</sup> /Lunch: 11:40-1:07	4 <sup>th</sup> /Lunch: 11:40-1:07	4 <sup>th</sup> /Lunch: 11:40-1:07	4 <sup>th</sup> /Lunch: 11:40-1:07	2nd: 10:55-11:35
	2nd: 1:12-1:58	5th: 1:12-1:58	1st: 1:12-1:58	3rd: 1:12-1:58	4 <sup>th</sup> /Lunch: 11:40-1:07
	3rd: 2:03-2:49	6th: 2:03-2:49	3rd: 2:03-2:49	6th: 2:03-2:49	5th: 1:12-1:58
	7th: 2:54-3:40	7th: 2:54-3:40	7th: 2:54-3:40	7th: 2:54-3:40	6th: 2:03-2:49
	EOC Makeups 12:30	EOC Makeups 12:30	EOC Makeups 12:30	EOC Makeups 12:30	7th: 2:54-3:40
	<b>A Lunch: 11:40-12:05</b>		<b>B Lunch: 12:11-12:36</b>		<b>C Lunch: 12:42-1:07</b>

All students will be expected to arrive to their testing room promptly at the scheduled time, which is 8:25 AM for all tests. Students will be notified of their testing room during the week before testing.

Testing will take place in the morning at 8:25, primarily in the 2700 and 2750 hallways. Students will obtain their room assignment location from their teacher.

Due to the logistical burdens of testing, students' classes may be held in different rooms or be taught by different teachers during the week of Milestones EOC testing. Students will have access to the bell schedule in their EFH Student Canvas Course and on the Hallway TV monitors.

## Transportation & Lunch

Transportation will run as usual during the week of Milestones EOC tests. It is imperative that all students arrive to school on time, especially when they have scheduled tests.

Students will have access to lunch in the cafeteria during their regularly scheduled lunch. The lunch schedule will be modified if needed during the week of testing to accommodate students who may not be released from their testing sessions in time for their usual lunch block. All students will have the opportunity to eat lunch.

## What to Bring

- ❖ Students should bring two number two pencils each day of testing.
- ❖ Students may bring book bags and phones, but these items will be left in the hallway during testing and will not be allowed in the testing room. No electronics will be permitted in the secure testing environment.
- ❖ There is no need to bring a calculator to testing. Calculators will be provided, and all students will have access to the calculator that is built into the Algebra test.
- ❖ Students may bring a book to read when they have finished testing, provided the book is not related to the content of the test. They should also bring classwork or homework that is not related to the content of the test.

## What to Expect During Testing

All students will test in an East classroom in a quiet, controlled environment. Tests will be administered by certified teachers.

Tests are completed on school Chromebooks, using the DRC application. Students will be provided with test tickets and scratch paper upon request.

All accommodations will be provided in accordance with students’ IEP, 504, or TPC plans.

All students will be expected to conduct themselves with integrity and respect during the testing process. Academic dishonesty and poor behavior will not be tolerated.

The typical testing lengths and maximum times are listed below:

Content Area	Section	Typical Testing Time	Maximum Testing Time
Algebra I	1	30 to 50 minutes	65 minutes
	2	30 to 50 minutes	65 minutes
Biology	1	20 to 30 minutes	40 minutes
	2	20 to 30 minutes	40 minutes

American Lit (Day 1)	1	45 to 65 minutes	90 minutes
American Lit (Day 2)	2	40 to 60 minutes	80 minutes
	3	40 to 60 minutes	80 minutes
US History	1	15 to 25 minutes	35 minutes
	2	15 to 25 minutes	35 minutes