

List of Approved Assessments for Nonpublic Schools Participating in the BOOST Scholarship Program

Participating nonpublic schools must administer a national, norm–referenced standardized assessment chosen from the list of assessments published by the [U.S. Department of Education](#) that qualifies nonpublic schools for the [National Blue Ribbon Schools Program](#). The list of approved assessments is below, as well as whether it can be used to assess in the content areas:

Assessment Name	Publisher	ELA	Math	Science
Iowa Assessments (Form E,F,G)	Riverside Publishing	Yes	Yes	Yes
SAT – 10th Ed (Forms A and D)	Pearson Education	Yes	Yes	Yes
AIMSWebPlus	Pearson Education	Yes	Yes	No
Terra Nova 3/NEXT	DRC/CTB	Yes	Yes	Yes
SAT 2017	College Board	Yes	Yes	No
PSAT	College Board	Yes	Yes	No
ACT (American College Testing)	ACT	Yes	Yes	Yes
PreACT	ACT	Yes	Yes	Yes
ACT Aspire	ACT	Yes	Yes	Yes
CTP (Comprehensive Testing Program)	Educational Records Bureau	Yes	Yes	Yes
MAP (Measures of Academic Progress)	NWEA	Yes	Yes	Yes
Performance Series	Scantron	Yes	Yes	Yes
Star	Renaissance Learning	Yes	Yes	Yes
CLT, CLT10, CLT8 (Classic Learning Test)	Classic Learning Initiatives	Yes	Yes	No
i-Ready Diagnostic	Curriculum Associates	Yes	Yes	No
Exact Path Diagnostic	Edmentum	Yes	Yes	No
MCAP (MD Comp. Assessment Program)	Pearson Education	Yes	Yes	Yes
DLM (Dynamic Learning Maps)	ATLAS	Yes	Yes	Yes

Notes:

- The PSAT was approved to be added by the Interim State Superintendent of Schools.
- The science assessment for “Star” is called “Star Custom”
- Instead of administering a national assessment from the list above, the school may administer the approved Maryland assessment, which is the Maryland Comprehensive Assessment Program (MCAP).
- DLM is the alternative assessment for the MCAP