

Middle School STAAR Testing by Grade Level & Course Taken

Middle School Math

Middle school students will now take their grade-level STAAR mathematics test each year. During the year they take Algebra I, they will only take the Algebra I STAAR EOC. The table below indicates the appropriate STAAR assessment(s) for each middle school mathematics course.

Middle School STAAR Mathematics		
Grade Level	Course Taken	STAAR Assessment(s)
6	Math 6	Grade 6 Mathematics
6	Math 6 Pre-AP	Grade 6 Mathematics
7	Math 7	Grade 7 Mathematics
7	Math 7 Pre-AP	Grade 7 Mathematics
7	Any Algebra I course for High School Credit	Algebra I EOC
8	Math 8	Grade 8 Mathematics
8	Math 8 Pre-AP	Grade 8 Mathematics
8	Any Algebra I course for High School Credit	Algebra I EOC
8	Any Geometry or Algebra II course for High School Credit	Grade 8 Mathematics

Middle School Science

The only science STAAR testing in middle school is the Grade 8 STAAR Science for students in the 8th grade. The only exception is if students are enrolled in a high school Biology course in which case they would only take the STAAR Biology EOC. The table below indicates the appropriate STAAR assessment(s) for each middle school science course.

Middle School STAAR Science		
Grade Level	Course Taken	STAAR Assessment(s)
6	Science 6 / Pre –AP Science 6	No STAAR
6	Pre – AP Accelerated Science 6	No STAAR
7	Science 7/ Pre –AP Science 7	No STAAR
7	Pre – AP Accelerated Science 7	No STAAR
8	Science 8/ Pre –AP Science 8	Science 8 STAAR
8	IPC	Science 8 STAAR
8	Biology	Biology EOC

Middle School English Language Arts/Reading

All English Language Arts/Reading testing for STAAR in middle school should be on grade level. There should not be any above grade level testing, even when students are enrolled in pre-AP courses.

Middle School Social Studies

The only social studies STAAR testing in middle school is the Grade 8 STAAR social studies for students in the 8th grade. All social studies testing for STAAR in middle school should be on grade level. There should not be any above grade level testing, even when students are enrolled in pre-AP courses.