

Tentative Dates	Assessment Activities, Deadlines, and Windows
August 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New DLM website launch • Software release
August 7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Updated version of KITE client available for download
August 15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Technical Liaison Manual available
August 18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Required test administrator training available • Data file layouts and file upload templates available for student enrollment and rostering • Self-directed professional development modules available through Educator Portal
August 22	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Data Steward Manual available
Early September (Dates TBD)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DLM sponsored webinars
September 17	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Test Administration Manual and Assessment Coordinator Manual available
September 22	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Local caching server update (Important for districts with slower internet speed)
October 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Deadline for student enrollment
October 1-10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Data validation/revision window #1 preparation for field/operational testing)
October 13-31	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Phase A Field Testing
October 31	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Software release (FYI only - you might see changes in Educator Portal)
November 10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Instructional Tools Interface (ITI) becomes active in Educator Portal • Embedded testing may begin
November 10- December 20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Phase B Field Testing
December 19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Software release (FYI only - you might see changes in Educator Portal)
December 22	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Local caching server update (Important for districts with slower internet speed)
January 5-March 6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Phase C Field Testing
January 19- February 6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Braille Field Testing
February 6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Software release (FYI only - you might see changes in Educator Portal)
February 23- March 13	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Data validation/revision window #2 (preparation for operational spring window)
March 16- May 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Operational spring window

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