

2016-17 Schedule of Events

State and District Testing

Your school will be testing ACT WorkKeys® Website: www.act.org/stateanddistrict/alabama
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Test Dates

Your program will be testing on the dates shown in the table below. Examinees must test only on the dates for the selected administration.

Test Type	Test Administration	Dates
ACT WorkKeys	Online testing window	December 1, 2016 -
	_	February 28, 2017
	Initial test date (paper)	February 7, 2017
	Accommodations testing window (paper)	February 7 – 21, 2017
	Makeup test date (paper)	February 21, 2017

Events

In the table below, you will find the events, and deadlines or windows, in which they occur during a testing cycle.

Date	Task
November 7, 2016	Window opens to manage participation information in PearsonAccessnext. System official should log in to confirm school-level test coordinator(s).
November 9, 2016	ACT WorkKeys batch loading webinar at 11:00 a.m. CT To register, click here: https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/8222534259378922497
Week of November 14, 2016	ACT WorkKeys online testing realms sent by email to the authorized WorkKeys test coordinator
November 28, 2017	ACT WorkKeys online test administration webinar at 10:30 a.m. CT To register, click here: https://act.ilinc.com/register/xmrrrcp
December 1, 2016 – February 28, 2017	ACT WorkKeys online testing window
December 19, 2016 – January 13, 2017	Window for test coordinator to order ACT WorkKeys paper standard time and accommodations test materials.
January 19, 2017	ACT WorkKeys paper test administration webinar at 10:30 a.m. CT To register, click here: https://act.ilinc.com/register/bwyyyvp
Week of January 23, 2017	System official receives non-secure and secure standard time shipment(s) for ACT WorkKeys initial and accommodations testing Note: Unless prior approval from ALSDE, all secure materials must be securely transported from the district office to the school on the morning of the test day.

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Date	Task
February 7, 2017	Initial test date – ACT WorkKeys paper
February 7, 2017	Test coordinator securely transports ACT WorkKeys initial test date materials to system office.
February 7 – 9, 2017	Window for test coordinator to submit makeup order for standard time ACT WorkKeys paper materials.
February 7 – 21, 2017	Accommodations testing window – ACT WorkKeys paper
February 9, 2017	ACT WorkKeys initial test materials picked up at system office via the prescheduled pickup.
Week of February 13, 2017	System official receives secure standard time shipment(s) for ACT WorkKeys makeup testing.
	Note: Unless given prior approval from ALSDE, all secure materials must be securely transported from the district office to the school on the morning of the test day.
February 21, 2017	Makeup test date – ACT WorkKeys paper
February 21, 2017	Test coordinator securely transports ACT WorkKeys makeup and accommodations test date materials to district office.
February 23, 2017	ACT WorkKeys makeup and accommodations test materials picked up at district office via the prescheduled pickup.
March 1, 2017	ACT inactivates ACT WorkKeys online assessments.
March 3, 2017	Deadline for ACT to receive all ACT WorkKeys answer documents from schools. Late arriving documents will not be scored.
Week of April 25, 2017	ACT National Career Readiness Certificates™ to arrive at schools.