

Fredericksburg ISD Testing Schedule 2009-2010

July

10- TELPAS Required TETN

August

31-Sept 4 CoGAT grades 2&5

September

1-11 Reading Inventory Grades K, 1, and 2

20-21 ARD Accommodation Training

30- Grades K-1 TELPAS Training

October

1- Grades 2-12 TELPAS Training

7- TAKS M Field Test, FES, FMS, FHS

10- SAT @ FHS

14-PSAT @ FHS

20-TAKS Exit ELA (retest)

21-TAKS Exit Math (retest)

22-TAKS Exit Social Studies (retest)

23-TAKS Exit Science (retest)

November

6-All GT testing & scoring for grades 1 - 12 selection completed

7-SAT @ FHS

16-Jan 4 - TAKS Alt Administrator Online Training

20 - TAKS and TAKS M Online Enrollment

December

5 - SAT @ FHS

11 - District Testing Coordinator Training (Austin)

18 - TAKS Alt Online Enrollment

January

4 - April 16 - TAKS Alt Assessment

11-22 Reading Inventory Kindergarten, Grades 1 and 2

13- Campus Testing Coordinator Training

19 -LPAC Assessment Decision Making Training

23- SAT @ FHS

29- Revise online enrollment for TAKS & TAKS M

February

Field Test per TEA Selection (none in 2010)

1 - TELPAS Verifier Training

6- ACT @ FHS

1-19-TELPAS Rater Online Refresher Training (standard required)

1-March 5-TELPAS Writing Window

12-All GT testing for kindergarten GT selection complete

15- TAKS General Training

16-TAKS Alt teacher planning of essence statements

22 - 26 - Load LEP students for online TELPAS Reading

March

1- Exit Retest- Social Studies

3- TAKS Gr 4 Writing Eng & Span

TAKS Gr 7 Writing

TAKS Gr 9 Reading

Grade 10 ELA

Exit ELA

Exit Retest ELA

TAKS-M Gr 4 Writing Eng & Span

TAKS-M Gr 7 Writing

TAKS-M Gr 9 Reading

TAKS-M Gr 10 ELA

TAKS-M Gr 11

Selected campuses Interrater Reliability TAKS Alt

4- Exit Math Retest

Gr 10 ELA Make-up

TAKS Exit Science Retest

9-12- FES and SW Online TELPAS Reading

23-24 -FMS Online TELPAS Reading

25- FMS & GCLC Online TELPAS Reading

Online Enrollment EOC

April

By April 2 - TAKS Gr 5&8 Test Administrators Training

6- TAKS Gr 5 Math Eng & Spanish

TAKS Gr 8 Math

TAKS M Gr 5&8 Math

7- TAKS Gr 5 Reading Eng & Spanish

TAKS Gr 8 Reading

TAKS M Gr 5 & 8 Reading

8-9- TAKS grade 5 Math & Reading Makeup

12-16- Load EOC Students for line testing

Achievement test K-2

19-23- Reading Inventory K-2

By April 26- TAKS 3-10 & Exit Test Administrator training

26-TAKS LAT Gr 3-4 Math

TAKS LAT Gr 6-7 Math

TAKS LAT Gr 10 Math

TAKS-M LAT Gr 3-4 Math

TAKS-M LAT Gr 6-7 Math

TAKS-M LAT Gr 10 Math

26-May 1- Makeups

27- TAKS LAT Gr 3&4 Reading

LAT Gr 6&7 Reading

LAT Gr 10 ELA

TAKS Gr 3-4 Math

TAKS Gr 6&7 Math

TAKS Gr 10 Math

Exit ELA Retest

TAKS M LAT Gr. 3&4 Reading

TAKS M LAT Gr. 6&7 Reading

TAKS M LAT Gr. 10 ELA

TAKS M LAT Gr. 3&4 Math

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April Continued

- TAKS M LAT Gr. 6&7 Math
- TAKS M LAT Gr. 10 Math
- 28-TAKS Gr 3&4 Reading Eng & Span
 - TAKS Gr 6&7 Reading
 - TAKS Exit Math
 - Exit Retest Math
 - TAKS M Gr. 3&4 Reading
 - TAKS M Gr 6&7 Reading
 - TAKS M Gr 11 Math
- 29-TAKS Gr 5 Science Eng & Span
 - TAKS Gr 8 Science
 - TAKS Gr 9 Math
 - TAKS Gr. 10 Science
 - TAKS Exit Science
 - TAKS Exit Science Retest
 - TAKS M Gr 5 Science
 - TAKS M Gr 8 Science
 - TAKS M Gr 9 Math
 - TAKS M Gr 10 Science
 - TAKS M Gr 11 Science
- 30-LAT Gr 5 Science
 - LAT Gr 8 Science
 - LAT Gr 10 Science
 - LAT Gr 8 Social Studies
 - LAT Gr 10 Social Studies
 - LAT Ext Social Studies
 - Exit Retest Social Studies
 - TAKS M LAT Gr 5 Science
 - LAT Gr 8 Science
 - LAT Gr 10 Science
 - LAT Gr 8, 10 & 11 Social Studies

May

- 3-7- Eng 1 online Field test (all Freshmen)
- 3- AP US Government
- 4- AP Spanish Language
- 5- AP Calculus
- 6- AP English Literature & Composition
- 7- AP US History
 - AP European History
- 10- AP Biology
 - AP Physics
- 10-EOC Chemistry
 - EOC Physics online
- 11-AP Chemistry
 - AP Psychology
 - EOC Biology
 - EOC Physics online
- 12-AP English Language & Composition
 - EOC Geometry
- 13-AP Economics
 - AP World History

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May Continued

- 13-EOC World Geography
- By May 14- Gr 5&8 TAKS Test Administrator training
- 14- AP Human Geography
- 17-20 EOC Algebra I online
- 17- TAKS LAT Math Gr 5&8
 - TAKS M LAT Math Gr. 5&8
- 18- TAKS LAT Gr 5& 8 Reading
 - TAKS Gr 5 Math Retest Eng & Spanish
 - TAKS Gr 8 Math Retest
 - TAKS M LAT Gr 5&8 Reading
 - TAKS M Math Retest Gr 5&8 (2nd Administration)
- 19- TAKS Gr 5&8 Reading Retest Eng & Spanish
- 20-21- Makeups
- 24-26 EOC US History online

June

- 5- SAT @ FHS
- 12- ACT @FHS
- 29-TAKS Gr 5 Math Eng & Spanish Retest
 - TAKS Gr 8 Math Retest
 - TAKS M Gr 5&8 Math Retest
- 30-TAKS Gr 5 Reading Eng & Spanish Retest
 - TAKS Gr 8 Reading Retest
 - TAKS M Gr 5&8 Reading Retest
- 28 -30 Test for Acceleration

July

- 13-TAKS Exit ELA Retest
- 14-TAKS Exit Math Retest
- 15-TAKS Exit Science Retest
- 16- TAKS Exit Social Studies Retest
- 19-21 Test for Acceleration

Approximate Cost of Some of the Unfunded State Mandates Affecting FISD

The following mandates, which all have good purposes, lock FISD into expenditure buckets which may or may not be the best use of our limited school district resources.

<u>Unfunded Mandate</u>	<u>Year Ref</u>	<u>Description/Problem</u>	<u>Yearly Savings if Eliminated</u>
RIF	TEC21.23(b)	Cannot eliminate 4 unneeded teachers in PE and history because they do not have performance problems	\$200,000
Class Size	1984 HB-72	Set minimum class size at 22 to 1, which prevents local adjustments that could better utilize teacher resources	
		Go to avg 22 to 1 ratio	\$150,000
		Increase from avg 22 to 1 to avg 23 to 1 ratio	\$200,000
		Increase from avg 23 to 1 to avg 25 to 1	\$100,000
Recommended Curriculum	2001 HB1144	Increased graduation requirements in math, science and Spanish which is not appropriate for all students	\$150,000
Bilingual	1973 TEC29.053	Comprehensive dual language instruction, prevents moving students to ESL if FISD resources would provide better instruction there.	\$93,000
ESL	1973	English as a second language program, prevents district from mainstreaming students if better instruction could be provided there	\$80,000
K-6 PE	2001 SB19	Required equivalent of 30 minutes daily in K-6	\$50,000
PE Class size	2009 SB891	Required student/teacher < 45 to 1 ratio, added pre K	\$50,000
Science Instruction	2009 HB3	Required 4 years of science in high school, which is not appropriate for all students	\$50,000
Middle School PE	2005 SB42	New requirement of 30 minutes of PE daily in 6, 7 and 8	\$40,000
Alternative School	1995 SB1	Alternative school required for discipline problems prevents FISD from using other avenues of instruction if appropriate	\$82,000
Counseling Program	1991 HB1771	Specific counseling duties and numbers required whatever school need is.	\$45,000
FISD potential savings if relieved from above state mandates			\$1,290,000

Total FISD budget exclusive of \$7.3 million in Chapter 41 payments =

\$26.1 million

Potential savings if relieved of above mandates

\$1.29 million (4.9%)

Recent Additional State Mandates on FUSD

Unfunded				
Mandate	Year	Reference	Description	Approximate cost
TAKS	1999	SB103	Continuation of comprehensive testing program	\$60,000/year
Special education	2009	SB451	Required training for certain Special Education teachers	undetermined
Fine Arts Teachers	2009	HB3	Required fine arts class in 6, 7, and 8	undetermined
ADA	2001	HB1279	New guidelines for handicapped accessibility	\$100,000
Student Success	1991	SB 4	Comprehensive reading program for low performing students	undetermined
Reading Initiative	1999	SB4	Comprehensive reading program for low performing readers	undetermined
Gifted and Talented	1973	19 TAC 89	Required continued G/T certification	\$500/year
At Risk	2001	SB702	Comprehensive remediation program for at risk children	undetermined
Credit by Exam	1995	SB1	Required program for testing for acceleration	\$1,000/year
Criminal History	1995	SB1	Required checks added for bus drivers	\$250/year
Hearing Examiner	1995	SB1	Required hearing examiner for terminations	undetermined
Blood Control	1999	HB2085	Blood and pathogen control training and equipment	\$1,000/year
Personal Leave	1991	SB1	5 state days from sick to personal leave and making leave transferable	large but not calculated
Election Pay	2001	SB1023	Set salary for election judges and clerks	\$500/year
Asbestos	2001	HB1279	Asbestos inspection and training program	\$100/year
Diabetes	2005	HB984	Designate and train diabetes care assistants	\$2,500
PE Plan	2005	SB42	Must purchase approved coordinated health materials, K-8	\$38,000
Emergency Plan	2005	SB11	Develop emergency plan and train staff	\$2,500
TDA Regulations	2005		Food preparation and serving guidelines	\$5,000+\$5,000/year
Electronic voting	2005	HB56	Must have special voting machine..never been used	\$3,500 + \$1,500/year
Audit	2001	HB1144	Added audits for drop out recovery and state comp	\$2,500/year
TRS	2005	HB1691	District contribution to TRS Care increased	\$54,397/year
Property tax coll.	2001	HB2491	Increase in frequency of appraisals and reporting charges	\$20,000/year
Gas Pressure	2001	SB310	Require gas pressure testing and reporting	\$100/year
Pest Control	1997	HB1759	Required integrated pest control program	\$200/year
Acanthosis	2001	HB2989	Acanthosis Nigricans screening	\$300/year