

## Piqua City Schools Federal and State Testing Requirements

Federal and state laws require all districts and schools to test all students in specific grades and courses. There is no law that allows a parent or student to opt out of state testing, and there is no state test opt-out procedure or form. If a parent withdraws a child from participation in certain state tests, there may be consequences for the student, the student's teacher, and the school and district.

The following tests are required by the State of Ohio:

- KRA – Kindergarten students
- Math Ohio State Tests – Grades 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8
- English Language Arts Ohio State Tests – Grades 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8
- Science Ohio State Tests – Grades 5, 8
- Algebra End-of-Course Exam - upon completion of course
- Geometry End-of-Course Exam – upon completion of course
- English Language Arts II End-of-Course Exam – upon completion of course
- American History End-of-Course Exam – upon completion of course
- Biology End-of-Course Exam – upon completion of course
- Government End-of-Course Exam – upon completion of course
- Alternative Assessments – Grades 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10
- Ohio English Language Proficiency Assessment – Grades K, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12
- State-funded ACT – Grade 11