

CREDIT-BY-EXAM

CBE is a testing program offered by Northside ISD for currently enrolled students in Kindergarten and 1st through 12th grade. The purpose of CBE can be for acceleration (testing out of a grade level or course without having had any prior instruction), validation of home school or non-accredited private or public school credit when other methods are not available, and/or recovery of credit for a failed course.

25-26 CBE DATES:

(APPLICATION DEADLINES CAN BE FOUND ON THE CBE WEBSITE)

***AUGUST 5-7, 2025 (MS MATH ONLY)**

OCTOBER 25, 2025

MARCH 21, 2026

MAY 30, 2026

JULY 11, 2026



Available CBEs:

- **Kindergarten:** Math & Language Arts (both exams required & only offered during Summer)
- **1st-8th grade level acceleration:** Math, Language Arts, Science & Social Studies (all 4 exams required)
- **MS & HS Math Acceleration**
- **Full and/or Half Credit High School Courses** (prerequisite & grade-level requirements apply):
 - English 1 - English 4
 - Algebra 1, Algebra 2, Geometry, Math Models, Pre-Calculus
 - Biology, Chemistry, IPC, Physics
 - Economics, US Govt, US History, W. Geography, W. History
 - Health
 - French 1 - French 2, German 1 - German 2, Spanish 1 - Spanish 3

PLEASE VISIT OUR WEBSITE FOR MORE INFO & CBE GUIDELINES:
[HTTPS://WWW.NISD.NET/DISTRICT/TESTING/CREDIT-BY-EXAM](https://www.nisd.net/district/testing/credit-by-exam)