

CREDIT-BY-EXAM

2026–2027 CBE DATES

July 11, 2026
August 4–6, 2026 (MS Math ONLY)
October 24, 2026
March 20, 2027
May 22, 2027
July 10, 2027

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[HTTPS://WWW.NISD.NET/DISTRICT/TESTING/CREDIT-BY-EXAM](https://www.nisd.net/district/testing/credit-by-exam)

Kindergarten

Math & ELAR
(both exams required & only offered in the Summer before school resumes)

MS Math Acceleration

Acceleration for MS Math only (no other MS course can be accelerated)

HS COURSES

(prerequisite & grade-level requirements apply):

- English 1 – English 4
- Algebra 1 & 2, Geometry, Math Models, Pre-Calculus
- Biology, Chemistry, IPC, Physics
 - Economics, US Government, US History, W. Geography, W. History
 - Health
- French 1 & 2, German 1 & 2, Spanish 1 – Spanish 3

1st–8th grade level acceleration

ALL 4 Subjects required: Math, ELAR, Science, & Social Studies.
(For MS: A/B semesters included: 8 total tests)

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 nonaccredited private or public school credit when other methods are not available, and/or **Recovery** of credit for a previously failed course.