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Miller Elementary Presentation



What is the Georgia Milestones Assessment?

Measures how well students have learned the knowledge and skills in the stateadopted content standards.

Contains open-ended questions in ELA & math, a writing assessment in ELA, and multiple choice questions.



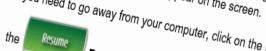
Test Taking-Hints



Helpful Testing Hints

- Read each question carefully.
- Some questions will ask you to select an answer from among four choices. For these questions, choose the one DEST answer.

 Some questions will have two parts. Some questions will ask you to select more than one
- For questions requiring a written response, type your answer in the space provided. • Only one question at a time will appear on the screen.
- If you need to go away from your computer, click on the





Resume button to continue. If you are away from your computer for more than 20 minutes, you will need to log back in. Pause button. Click on • To see your progress on the test, click on the Review/End Test button. You

- may go to any question by selecting it from the list that appears on the screen. • Click on the P button to find more information.





English-Language Arts (ELA)

The EOG
Study/Resource Guide
can be found at
https://www.gadoe.org

ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS (ELA)

DESCRIPTION OF TEST FORMAT AND ORGANIZATION

The Grade 3 English Language Arts (ELA) EOG assessment has a total of 60 items.

You will answer a variety of item types on the test. Some of the items are selected-response (multiple-choice), which means you choose the correct answer from four choices. Some items will ask you to write your response using details from the text. There will also be a writing prompt that will ask you to write an essay.

The test will be given in three sections.

- Section 1 will be given on Day 1. You will be given a maximum of 90 minutes to complete the section.*
- Sections 2 and 3 will be given over one or two days. You may have up to 75 minutes to complete each section.

CONTENT

The Grade 3 English Language Arts (ELA) EOG assessment will measure the Grade 3 standards that are described at www.georgiastandards.org.

The content of the assessment covers standards that are reported under these domains:

- Reading and Vocabulary
- Writing and Language

There are two kinds of texts—fiction (including stories and poems) and informational text.

There are two kinds of essays—an opinion essay and an informational or explanatory essay.

Students will also write extended constructed responses that use narrative techniques such as completing a story, writing a new beginning, or adding dialogue. (Item 5 on page 31 gives an example of a prompt that requires a narrative response.)

ITEM TYPES

The English Language Arts (ELA) portion of the Grade 3 EOG assessment consists of selected-response (multiple-choice), technology-enhanced (multiple-select or two-part questions), constructed-response, extended constructed-response, and extended writing-response items.

^{*} Beginning with the Spring 2017 administration, the extended writing-response will appear in Section 1. Prior to Spring 2017, the extended writing-response appears in Section 3.

ELA Sample Question

Multiple choice question.

Read directions carefully because some may require more than one answer!

Question 1



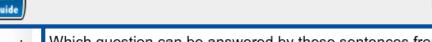












This section of this test assesses your skill to comprehend reading passages and use information from the passages to write an informational / explanatory essay.

Before you begin typing your essay, you will read two passages and answer three multiple-choice and one short-constructed response question about what you have read.

As you read the passages, think about details you may use in an informational / explanatory essay about the northern red oak and the live oak tree. The informational explanatory essay will be the final writing task in this section.

These are the titles of the passages you will read:

- 1. The Northern Red Oak
- 2. The Hardy Live Oak

Read the first passage.

Which question can be answered by these sentences from "The Northern Red Oak"?

The weight of the branches' leaves adds even more pounds. If the growth of the tree is not managed, the entire appearance of the tree can be changed. Early trimming helps groom the tree and keeps it from looking like a rounded triangle by summer's end.

- What causes the branches of a northern red oak to be so heavy?
- Why is it important to trim the branches of a northern red oak tree?
- What kind of tools should be used to trim the branches of a northern red oak tree?
- Why do the branches of a northern red oak tree grow so many leaves?

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Constructed Response.

Student must type answer and the test is timed!

Question 4













This section of this test assesses your skill to comprehend reading passages and use information from the passages to write an informational / explanatory essay.

Before you begin typing your essay, you will read two passages and answer three multiple-choice and one short-constructed response question about what you have read.

As you read the passages, think about details you may use in an informational / explanatory essay about the northern red oak and the live oak tree. The informational / explanatory essay will be the final writing task in this section.

These are the titles of the passages you will read:

- 1. The Northern Red Oak
- 2. The Hardy Live Oak

Read the first passage.

Describe how the information in "The Northern Red Oak" is similar to the information in "The Hardy Live Oak."

Use details from BOTH passages to support your answer. Type your answer to the short-constructed response in the space provided below.

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Mathematics

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Mathematics

MATHEMATICS

DESCRIPTION OF TEST FORMAT AND ORGANIZATION

The Grade 3 Mathematics EOG assessment consists of a total of 73 items.

You will answer a variety of item types on the test. Some of the items are selected-response (multiple-choice), which means you choose the correct answer from four choices. Some items will ask you to write your response.

The test will be given in two sections.

- You may have up to 85 minutes per section to complete Sections 1 and 2.
- The test will take about 120 to 170 minutes.

CONTENT

The Grade 3 Mathematics EOG assessment will measure the Grade 3 standards that are described at www.georgiastandards.org.

The content of the assessment covers standards that are reported under these domains:

- Operations and Algebraic Thinking
- Number and Operations
- Measurement and Data
- Geometry

ITEM TYPES

The Mathematics portion of the Grade 3 EOG assessment consists of selected-response (multiple-choice), technology-enhanced (multiple-select or two-part), constructed-response, and extended constructed-response items.

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Math Sample Question

Multiple choice question.

Read directions carefully because some may require more than one answer!

Question 13











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Mrs. Pike has pieces of paper that are different colors. Each piece of paper is a rectangle. The table shows the length and width for the different colors of paper.

Mrs. Pike's Colors of Paper

Color	Width (inches)	Length (inches)
yellow	4	9
white	7	5
brown	10	4
green	6	6
orange	5	8
red	12	3

Select THREE colors of paper that each have an area of 36 square inches.

- a yellow
- (b) white
- © brown
- d green
- e orange
- f red

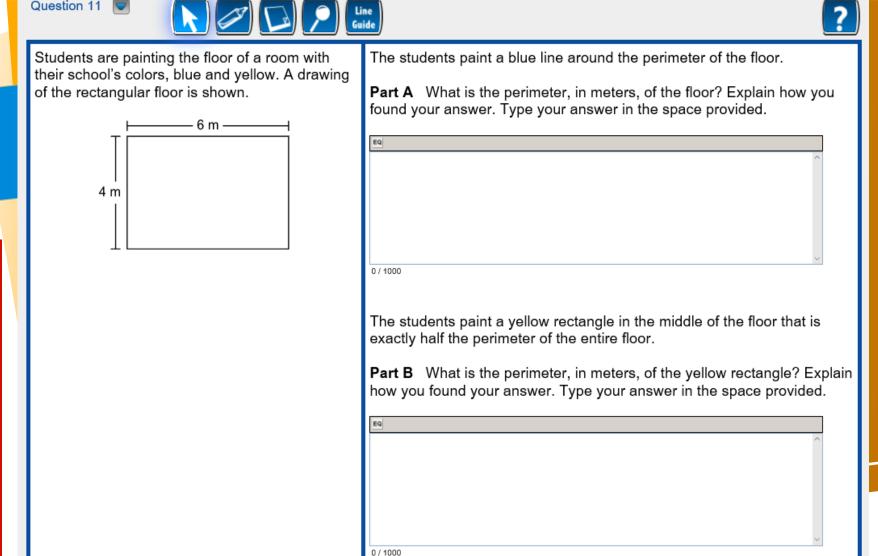


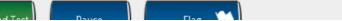


Math Sample Question

Constructed response.

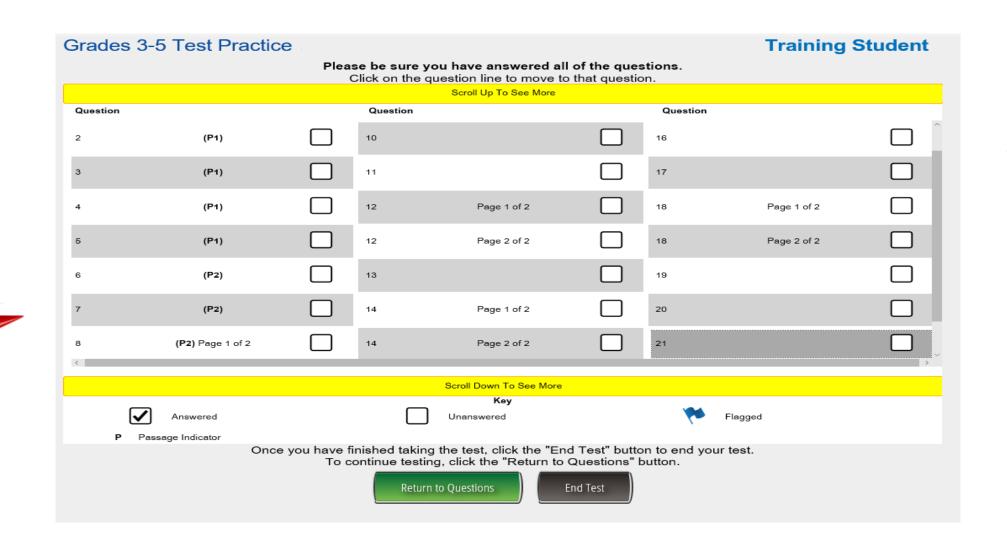
Even with math questions, students are expected to type an answer!





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Georgia Milestones End Test Screen

- Beginning Learners: Students do not demonstrate proficiency (Needs substantial academic support to prepare for the next grade)- Level 1
- Developing Learners: Partial proficiency (Needs additional academic support for success in next grade)- Level 2
- Proficient Learners: Proficiency in knowledge and skills (Prepared for next grade)- Level 3
- Distinguished Learners: Advanced proficiency (Well prepared for next grade)- Level 4

What are the achievement levels for Georgia Milestones?

Promotion/Retention

In grades three, five, and eight, Georgia Milestones results inform promotion/retention decisions in:



What should I do now?

- ▶ Work daily with your child on third grade's reading and writing goals outlined in your School-Parent compact
- ▶ Review 3rd grade reading, writing, & math strategies with your child
- Make sure your child is practicing typing everyday!
- Stay in contact with your child's teacher to know your child's academic progress
- ► Make plans now to attend the next Milestones workshop on January 22, 2020 at either 9am, 12:15pm, or 6pm for any future questions or concerns
- ▶ Don't stress about the test!!

- Experience Online Testing Georgia Sample Test <u>http://www.gaexperienceonline.com/</u>
- Georgia Department of Education (Reference) http://www.gadoe.org

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Apr. 15, 16, 17: ELA sections 1-3 Apr. 20 & 21: Math sections 1 & 2

3rd grade 2020 testing dates



Please complete & return an exit survey.

Thank You!