Pendleton School District 2015-2016 State Assessment Calendar

ELPA21: This state assessment is called the English Language Proficiency Assessment. The ELPA21 assessment measures and reports on students' English language proficiency overall, as well as in reading, writing, speaking, listening, and comprehension. Delivered online, ELPA21 is designed to be interactive and includes questions that reflect realworld scenarios. Its main purpose is to qualify students for appropriate language services and help guide schools to best support student needs. Students K-12 in the Pendleton School District, who are still learning the English language, take this assessment. The test window is February 2nd 2016 through April 19th, 2016.

OAKS Science: This state assessment is called the Oregon Assessment of Knowledge and Skills. It is an online assessment of various science related topics and standards. Students in the fifth, eighth and eleventh grades take this test. The test window is January 5th, 2016 through June 8th, 2016.

SBAC Math and ELA: This state assessment is called the Smarter Balanced Assessment Consortium. This assessment is given in four sections to each student in grades 3-8 and grade 11. The assessment is given to check on a students' progress on learning the common core state standards in Math and English Language Arts. The test window is March 7th, 2016 through June 8th, 2016.