



ACADEMIC MILESTONES

**GRADES
PRE-K-3**

READY TO LEARN

Student is ready to learn by the time he or she starts kindergarten.

Ages and Stages Questionnaire

On Track Scores vary depending on the age of the child and the survey area. A child is considered "on-track" if he or she scores in the **Typical** range. Alternatively, a child may score in the **Monitor** or **Refer** ranges where additional services are available to support the development of the child.

KINDERGARTEN-READY

Students enrolled in JCPS will be given the Brigance Screener when he or she enters kindergarten.

ON TRACK SCORES

65-80 (age 5 – 5.5 years) and 78-88 (age 5.6 – 6 years)

3RD GRADE READING

Reading Proficiency Assessment

**GRADES
4-6**

4TH GRADE PROFICIENCY

Student is on grade level in reading and math by end of 4th grade.

Kentucky Core Academic Standards

ON TRACK SCORE

Reading: 210-226 & Math: 210-228

**GRADES
7-8**

COLLEGE READINESS: 8TH GRADE

Student meets or exceeds 8th grade benchmarks that predict "college-ready" scores on the ACT, which is taken in 11th grade.

ACT EXPLORE Test

ON TRACK SCORE

Score: English: 13, math: 17, reading: 15 & science: 20

ACADEMIC INTENSITY: 8TH GRADE - 12TH GRADE

Student takes rigorous coursework throughout middle and high school.

On Track Activities: Student takes Advanced Placement classes, dual-credit courses, honors, and 4 years of math and English in high school.

**GRADE
9**

GRADE COMPLETION

Student passes 5 or more classes in 9th grade year to progress to 10th grade.

ON TRACK SCORE

Earn grade of "C" or better in 5 classes, maintain a cumulative 2.5 GPA and pass End of Course exams in English and Biology

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Degrees**





GRADE 10

COLLEGE-READY TRACK

Student meets or exceeds 10 benchmarks that predict "college-ready" scores on the ACT taken in 11th grade

PLAN Test

PSAT Test

ON TRACK SCORE

ACT PLAN TEST: English: 15, math: 19, reading: 17 & science: 21.

PSAT Test: Score of 133. Student maintains GPA 2.5 or higher. Student passes End of Course exams in biology, English II and Algebra II.

CAREER EXPLORATION

10TH-12TH GRADE

Positive work exposure and experience help shape college and career focus.

On Track Activities: Students should participate in employment, internship, job shadow and experiential learning during 10th-12th grades.

GRADE 11

COLLEGE-READY TRACK

Student meets or exceeds college-ready benchmarks.

ACT Test and SAT Test

ON TRACK SCORE

ACT Test: English: 18, math: 19, reading: 20 & science: TBD.

SAT Test: Composite score: 1550, critical reading: 500, mathematics: 500, writing: 500. Student maintains GPA 2.5 or higher.

Student passes End of Course exams in Biology and Algebra II.

GRADE 12

COLLEGE AND/OR CAREER READY

Student meets or exceeds benchmarks scores for college and/or career readiness on one or more of the following tests.

Multiple

TESTS AND ON TRACK SCORES

ACT: English: 18, mathematics: 22, reading: 22 & science: TBD

SAT Test: Composite: 1550, critical reading: 500, mathematics: 500, writing: 500

ACT COMPASS: English: 77, mathematics: 52, reading: 89

ASVAB: (50)

WorkKeys: Reading: 5, mathematics (5)

KYOTE: English: 6, mathematics: 22, Algebra: 14, reading: 20

Industry Certification (TBD)

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION

Student graduates from high school with a credentialed diploma and college ready.

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