

## District Designated End of Course Assessment (DDEOC)

### Grades/Students

All students enrolled in the following courses (or equivalent courses) must participate in May 2016.

- M/J Comprehensive Science 1
- M/J Comprehensive Science 2
- Physical Science
- Chemistry 1
- Physics 1
- M/J United States History
- M/J World History
- World History
- Spanish 1 and 2
- Spanish for Spanish Speakers 1 and 2

Note: Selected courses will be field tested each semester.

### Date

Field tests are administered for selected courses each semester. The full administration is administered in May.

### Description

The DDEOCs are computerized, standards-based assessments, developed to measure course content as defined by the course descriptions and standards delineated by the Florida Department of Education (FLDOE, see <http://www.cpalms.org>). As such, these assessments will provide a measure of instructional validity to ensure that students across the district are being instructed in the content delineated by the FLDOE. M-DCPS DDEOCs are computer-based, secured, standardized Districtwide assessments

### Results

Results of the DDEOCs will be used to ensure that state-established course content was being delivered consistently across the District, and potentially as a measure of content-specific student achievement to inform teacher evaluation.

The results of DDEOC field tests will be used to determine the psychometric properties of the assessments, for administration in subsequent years.

### Basis of Test

State mandate

### Website

<http://oada.dadeschools.net/DDEOC/DDEOC.asp>

### Local Contact

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