

Worthington Schools will be offering individuals three opportunities to take the Ohio Graduation Test (OGT) during the 2018-19 school year. **A new online version of the OGT will be administered this year.** Please see the information below regarding how to register and where to report for testing.

Students who, based on their cohort year, were required to achieve proficiency on all areas of the Ohio Graduation Test (OGT) in order to earn their diploma now have additional options for meeting that criteria. Please see the information regarding those options and who to contact if you have questions or would like to register to take one of the Ohio's State Tests End-of-Course exams in the **Additional Options** section below.

Ohio's Graduation Tests Administration 2018-19 Information

<u>WHO</u>: Individuals who need to complete OGT requirements in order to earn their diploma. Participants must present a **picture ID** upon entering the testing room.

WHEN: OGT testing will be offered three times during the 2018-19 school year:

- Fall (October 29 and 30)
- Winter (January 28 and 29)
- Spring (May 6 and 7)

There will be two test sessions offered on each test day, **9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.** and **1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.** Students may participate in any test session, can take any subject test during any test session, and can take up to two tests per day. Please note: Students using the Extended Time accommodation may participate in a.m. sessions only. **Students should arrive no later than 8:45 for the a.m. session and no later than 12:45 for the p.m. session.**

<u>WHERE</u>: The OGT test administration will take place at the **Worthington Education Center**, 200 E. Wilson Bridge Rd., Worthington.

HOW TO REGISTER: To register for testing, contact Patty Coen at pcoen@wscloud.org or 614-450-6028.

- Fall registration deadline is Friday, October 19.
- Winter registration deadline is Friday, January 18.
- Spring registration deadline is Friday, April 26.

RESOURCES:

- (http://education.ohio.gov/Topics/Testing/Ohio-Graduation-Test-OGT)
- A Guide to the Ohio Graduation Tests for Students and Families
- The Ohio Department of Education website provides links to printable OGT Practice Tests and OGT Workbooks. (http://education.ohio.gov/Topics/Testing/Ohio-Graduation-Test-OGT).

ADDITIONAL OPTIONS FOR MEETING GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS:

- 1. Information regarding additional graduation options for OGT individuals can be found on the Ohio Department of Education website (http://education.ohio.gov/Topics/Testing/Ohio-Graduation-Test-OGT).
 - a. Alternative Pathway for Diploma
 - i. For students who have passed four of the five Ohio Graduation Tests and meet certain requirements.
 - b. New Graduation Pathways for the OGT
 - i. Students who are to graduate under the OGT have additional pathways.
- 2. Please contact the Counseling Center at either Thomas Worthington High School (614-450-6220) or Worthington Kilbourne High School (614-450-6483) for more information on the additional options.