



Fullerton School District  
 Educational Services  
 GATE Program

**Second Grade Testing Timeline**

<b>GATE IDENTIFICATION: Second Grade</b>		
Steps	Timeline	Action
Notification / Opt-Out of Testing	September	Notification/ Opt-Out of GATE Testing distributed. Those parents who do not want their child to participate in GATE Screening must submit Opt-Out form to GATE Office.
Testing	October - November	GATE Screening.
Identification	January	Identification and Placement Team Meetings. Parent Notification Letters mailed to home address.
Orientation	January - February	GATE Program Orientation Meetings may be scheduled at school sites.

**Third-Seventh Grade Testing Timeline**

<b>GATE IDENTIFICATION: Third through Eighth Grade</b>		
Steps	Timeline	Action
Nomination	September	Teachers review and discuss GATE characteristics with parents. Collect Parent Consent to Test at Fall Conferences.
Testing	October - November	All referred and qualifying students may participate in testing with Parent Consent.
Identification	January	Identification and Placement Team Meetings Parent Notification Letters mailed to home address.
Orientation	January - February	GATE Program Orientation Meetings may be scheduled at school sites.

\*\*Please note that these timelines are flexible. Changes may occur without notice.