

Content Weights for the Criterion-Referenced Competency Tests (CRCT) for the 2013-2014 School Year

The chart below shows the approximate weights for domains on the CRCT subject assessments. Due to rounding the percents may be not always sum to exactly 100%. All CRCT assess the state-mandated curriculum. The CRCT Content Descriptions provide more details as to the specific skills and knowledge that a student is required to demonstrate on the tests. These documents may be found at <http://www.gadoe.org/Curriculum-Instruction-and-Assessment/Assessment/Pages/CRCT-Content-Descriptions.aspx>

Grade	Approximate Percent of Test					
	3	4	5	6	7	8
READING						
Literary Comprehension	45%	40%	40%	40%	40%	40%
Reading for Information	35%					
Information and Media Literacy		40%	40%	45%	45%	45%
Reading Skills and Vocabulary Acquisition	20%	20%	20%	15%	15%	15%
ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS						
Grammar and Sentence Construction	60%	40%	40%	40%	30%	30%
Research and Writing Process	40%	60%	60%	60%	70%	70%
MATHEMATICS						
Number and Operations	50%	52%	55%	28%	23%	20%
Measurement and Data Analysis	30%	26%	20%			
Geometry and Measurement				19%		
Geometry	10%	12%	15%		23%	27%
Algebra	10%	10%	10%	35%	34%	41%
Data Analysis and Probability				18%	20%	12%
SCIENCE						
Earth Science	34%	40%	30%			
Life Science	33%	30%	40%			
Physical Science	33%	30%	30%			
Geology				40%		
Hydrology and Meteorology				40%		
Astronomy				20%		
Cells and Genetics					35%	
Interdependence of Life					50%	
Evolution					15%	
Structure of Matter						30%
Force and Motion						30%
Energy and Its Transformation						40%
SOCIAL STUDIES						
History	30%	50%	50%	29%	20%	47%
Geography	20%	15%	15%	31%	35%	12%
Government/Civics	30%	20%	20%	15%	20%	25%
Economics	20%	15%	15%	25%	25%	16%