

Content Weights for the Criterion-Referenced Competency Tests (CRCT)

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 Georgia Performance Standards. 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/default.aspx>.

Grade	Approximate Weights for Reporting Domains							
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
READING								
Vocabulary	20%	20%						
Comprehension	80%	80%						
Literary Comprehension			60%	45%	40%	40%	40%	40%
Reading for Information			20%					
Information & Media Literacy				35%	40%	45%	45%	45%
Reading Skills & Vocabulary Acquisition			20%	20%	20%	15%	15%	15%
ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS								
Grammar/Phonological Awareness/Phonics	72%							
Grammar/ Phonics		60%						
Sentence Construction	16%	25%						
Research	12%	15%						
Grammar and Sentence Construction			60%	60%	60%	60%	56%	70%
Research & Writing Process			40%	40%	40%	40%	44%	30%
MATHEMATICS								
Number and Operations	55%	55%	50%	43%	38%	15%	20%	22%
Measurement	15%	15%	18%	17%	32%	20%		
Geometry	20%	20%	12%	20%	10%	20%	25%	12%
Algebra			10%	10%	10%	30%	40%	50%
Data Analysis & Probability	10%	10%	10%	10%	10%	15%	15%	17%
SCIENCE								
Earth Science			34%	40%	30%			
Life Science			33%	30%	40%			
Physical Science			33%	30%	30%			
Geology						40%		
Hydrology & Meteorology						40%		
Astronomy						20%		
Cells and Genetics							35%	
Interdependence of Life							50%	
Evolution							15%	
Structure of Matter								30%
Force and Motion								30%
Energy & 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%