

Nova Scotia Examination: English 10

2024–2025 Semester 2 Key Dates & Resources

The Nova Scotia Examination: English 10 (E10) will be administered on June 19, 2025.

An **Information Guide** is available on the Program of Learning Assessment for Nova Scotia website (<https://plans.ednet.ns.ca/english10/documents>) along with additional resources, such as:

- **Sample Questions** – sample tasks for students and an annotated Marking Guide for teachers
- **Teacher Information Sheet** –a general overview for teachers
- **Lessons Learned** – teaching resources based on past student performance on E10

Important Dates

March 1–April 1



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Administrator

- Request Alternate Formats for eligible students.
 - Finalize this document in TIENET by April 1.
 - User guide: ednet.ns.ca/inschool.
 - For more information, see E10 Information Guide.

March 1–May 1



Teacher

- Register eligible students for the Nova Scotia Assessment – Read-aloud (NSA-RA) platform by May 1.
 - Registration form: plans.ednet.ns.ca/content/school-registration.
 - For more information, see E10 Information Guide.
- **New in 2024-2025:** The eligibility criteria for read-aloud adaptations in English 10 and Français 10 have changed. Students with a documented read-aloud adaptation who use it regularly in the classroom may access this adaptation on the examination whether or not a diagnosis is present.

May 12–16



Please note:
exam packages
are being shipped
early to avoid
potential Canada
Post delays
related to possible
job action.

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- Receive and verify contents of school packages through Canada Post.
 - If packages have not arrived by May 16, check with your local Canada Post outlet then contact Student Assessment at 902.424.7746 or plans@novascotia.ca.
 - Canada Post: 1.888.550.6333

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- Become familiar with the schedules and procedures outlined in the E10 Information Guide.
- Keep booklets secure before, during, and after administration. Since examinations are being shipped early, it's especially important to ensure that their content remains confidential.

June 6–18



Teacher

- Ensure students registered for NSA-RA test their access to the platform using the instructions in the E10 Information Guide.

June 19



Please note:
check for postal
disruption prior to
returning
packages.

Teacher

- Administer English 10 examinations.
 - Nova Scotia Examinations will be administered and scored by classroom teachers per usual practice.
 - Nova Scotia Examinations in English 10 will not be scored provincially this summer; these provincial scoring sessions are cancelled. Schools must still return Nova Scotia Examinations to the Department of Education and Early Childhood Development.
- Mail packages by June 24 to the Department of Education and Early Childhood Development (EECD).
 - If postal union has not given strike notice, please proceed with shipping by Canada Post.
 - If postal union has given strike notice, EECD will arrange pickup by courier.

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