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Standardized and District Assessment Information for Parents and General Public

New Jersey school districts, charter schools, and renaissance school projects are required by statute (*N.J.S.A. 18A: 7C-6.6*) to annually notify parents or guardians by October 1 or within 30 days of any additional statewide student assessment or commercially developed standardized assessment that will be administered over the course of the school year.

Key:

The number of Testing Administrations in the District refers to the number of times a particular assessment will be offered during the school year.

Testing Mode refers to how the assessment will be administered to students. The two modes are computer-based and paper-and-pencil. Some computer-based assessments allow students to take the assessment using paper and pencil. Be sure to inquire about the options if your child has a medical issue that would not allow them to take the assessment on the computer.

Testing Time is the maximum amount of time allotted to students to complete the assessment. Most students finish well in advance of the allotted time.

Testing Window is the period of time in which districts administer the assessment. It is not the actual number of days it takes a student to complete the assessment. School districts can choose the specific days within the window to administer the test. Please inquire with your district about the exact testing dates of the assessment.

Results Available refers to the date districts receive individualized student results from the assessment. These results should be distributed to students, educators, and families as soon as possible.

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Assessment Name	Information for Parents	Number of Test Administrations in District	Testing Mode	Testing Time Allotted per Student	Testing Window	Results Available
Subject	Accommodations and Accessibility					
Grade						
NWEA MAP Growth ELA and Math K-8	Family Guide to MAP	K – 1x per year 1-8 – 3x per year	Online	45-60 minutes per subject area	1 time per trimester except for K (1x in Spring)	Once the testing window closes (approx. 2 weeks)
National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP) Mathematics and Reading Grade 8	National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP)	1	Online	TBD	January 29, 2024 to March 8, 2024	Spring/Fall 2024
NJSLA ELA/Math and Science ELA and Math: Grades 3-8 Science Grades 5& 8	New Jersey Home (mypearsonsupport.com)	1	Online	TBD	May 1, 2024, to May 17, 2024 Per NJDOE: Make up testing: May 30 - June 2	Summer/Fall 2024
Dynamic Learning Maps (DLM) Year End (YE)	Interpreting Results for Parents	1	Online	TBD	April 8, 2024, to May 31, 2024	N/A

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<div>Model</div> <hr/> <div>ELA and Math: Grades 3-8</div> <hr/> <div>Science Grades 5& 8</div>						
<div>ACCESS and Alternate ACCESS for ELLs</div> <hr/> <div>Language Proficiency</div> <hr/> <div>Grades K-8</div>	ACCESS Tests WIDA	1	Online	<div>Reading Up to 60 minutes</div> <div>Listening Up to 65 minutes</div> <div>Speaking Up to 50 minutes</div> <div>Writing Up to 90 minutes</div> <div>265 minutes total test time</div> <div>*Times will vary based on tier</div>	Feb 5, 2024 to March 29, 2024	Summer 2024
CogAT	CogAT Test	1	Online	45-60 minutes	March 27-29	Once the testing

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<div>Cognitive Abilities Test</div> <div>Grade 2 Grade 5</div>	(Cognitive Abilities Test)			per session over 2 days		window closes (approx. 2 weeks)
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