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Dear Parents/Guardians;

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 of any statewide student assessment or commercially-developed standardized assessment that will be administered over the course of the school year. If after October 1 it is decided that an additional commercially-developed standardized assessment will be administered, then the information shall be shared with parents as soon as possible (within 30 days of receipt of final reports for statewide assessments). Specific testing dates will be pushed out after they are established.

Key:

- **Information about Available Accommodations and Accessibility Features** refers to the manual that outlines the accommodations and accessibility options available for the test.
- **Required by State, Federal or Local** whether the assessment is required or mandated by state, federal or local district.
- **Sample Questions** provides a link to sample items/questions for students to practice.
- **Testing Time Allotted per Student** 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.



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Start Strong Assessments-English Language Arts (ELA), Math, and Science

Subject Area(s)	Grade Level Tested	Information about Available Accommodations and Accessibility Features	Required by State, Federal, or Local	Sample Questions	Testing Time Allotted per Student	Testing Window	Information for Parents/Guardians Regarding the Assessment
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · ELA · Math · Science 	4 - 8	Manual available on the New Jersey Assessments Resource Center under Start Strong	State	Start Strong Practice Tests	One 60-minute unit per subject.	8/31/22 to 10/21/22	Office of Assessments

Dynamic Learning Maps (DLM) Instructionally Embedded (IE) Assessments

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · ELA · Math · Science 	Grades: 3 – 8	DLM Accessibility Manual	State	Instructional resources testlets	10–15 minutes per testlet.	9/12/22 to 12/23/22	New Jersey DLM



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NJSLA-ELA and Math Spring

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · ELA · Math 	Grades: 3-8	Manual available on the New Jersey Assessments Resource Center under Educator Resources > Test Administration Resources	State and Federal	NJSLA Practice Tests	Available at: Unit Testing Times	5/1/23 to 5/26/23 Make-up 5/30/23 to 6/2/23	Parent Resources webpage on the New Jersey Assessments Resource Center



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NJSLA-Science

Subject Area(s)	Grade Level Tested	Information about Available Accommodations and Accessibility Features	Required by State, Federal, or Local	Sample Questions	Testing Time Allotted per Student	Testing Window	Information for Parents/Guardians Regarding the Assessment
Science	Grades 5 and 8	Manual available on the New Jersey Assessments Resource Center under Educator Resources > Test Administration Resources	State and Federal	NJSLA Practice Tests	For grades 5 and 8: Four 45-minute units for a total of three hours.	5/1/23 to 5/26/23 Make-up: 5/30/23 to 6/2/23	NJSLA-S Parent, Student, and Teacher Information Guide.