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Dear Parents/Guardians:

Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:7C-6.6, school districts and charter schools must, by October 1st of each year, provide parents or guardians certain information on any State assessment or commercially developed standardized assessment that will be administered in that school year. Attached you will find a chart of the standardized assessments the students in Eatontown Public Schools will be completing this year. Each assessment helps our teachers and administrators gain valuable insight on our students' learning abilities, our curriculum, and our teaching methods. As dates develop for each assessment, you will be notified of them. We encourage parents and guardians to review the testing dates to ensure students' attendance during the testing time.

If you have any questions about any of the testing information, please feel free to contact your school principal.

Sincerely,

Tara Micciulla

Director of Education

2025-2026 Assessment Information

September 2025 through December 2025

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

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	Results Available	Information for Parents/Guardians Regarding the Assessment
• ELA • Math • Science	ELA and Math: 3 through 8 Science: 5 and 8	DLM Accessibility Manual	Optional	DLM IE Sample Testlets	10-15 minutes per testlet.	9/9/2025 through 12/19/2025	Immediately	New Jersey DLM

New Jersey Student Learning Assessment Adaptive (NJSLA-Adaptive) Fall Field Test

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• ELA • Math	ELA and Math: 4 through 8 and Algebra 1	NJSLA- Adaptive Webpage	State	None Provided	Sampling	10/27/2025 through 11/14/2025 *No testing on 11/4,6,7, or 11.	No results	NJSLA- Adaptive Webpage

January 2026 through June 2026

ACCESS and Alternate ACCESS for ELLs

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	Results Available	Information for Parents/Guardians Regarding the Assessment
English language proficiency test	ACCESS: K – 8 Alt. ACCESS: 1 – 8	WIDA Accessibility Accommodations	State and Federal	ACCESS Practice Test and Sample Items	No time limit	2/2/2026 through 3/27/2026 Make-up: 3/30/2026 through 4/3/2026	TBD	Parent Handout (provided in different languages)

Dynamic Learning Maps (DLM) Year End (YE) Model

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	Results Available	Information for Parents/Guardians Regarding the Assessment
• ELA • Math • Science	ELA and Math: 3 through 8 Science: 5 and 8	DLM Accessibility Manual	State and Federal	DLM YE Sample Testlets	N/A	4/6/2026 through 5/22/2026 Make-up: 5/26/2026 through 5/29/2026	TBD	New Jersey DLM

New Jersey Student Learning Assessment Adaptive (NJSLA-Adaptive)

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	Results Available	Information for Parents/Guardians Regarding the Assessment
• ELA • Math	ELA and Math: 3 through 8 and Algebra 1	NJSLA- Adaptive Webpage	State	TBA	For ELA and Math – Available at: Unit Testing Times	4/27/2026 through 5/22/2026 Make-up: 5/26/2026 through 5/29/2026	TBD	NJSLA- Adaptive Webpage

New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA)- Science Spring

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	Results Available	Information for Parents/Guardians Regarding the Assessment
• Science	Science: 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 Science: Four 45-minute units for a total of three hours.	4/27/2026 through 5/22/2026 Make-up: 5/26/2026 through 5/29/2026	TBD	For Science: NJSLA-S Parent, Student, and Teacher Information Guide