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Dear Parents / Guardians,

New Jersey school districts are required by statute (NJ.SA. 18A: 7C-6.6) to annually notify parents or guardians by October 1 or within 30 days of any statewide student assessment or commercially developed standardized assessment that will be administered over the course of the school year.

Please see the following chart for a list of the assessments for the upcoming school year.

As always, if you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,



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Superintendent

High Bridge School District

2023-2024 New Jersey School Districts to Provide Assessment Information to Parents and General Public

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Note: The assessments are listed in chronological order by testing window.

September 2023 through December 2023

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
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ELA • Math • Science 	ELA and Math: 3 through 8 Science: 5, 8	<u>DLM Accessibility Manual</u>	Optional	<u>Instructional resources testlets</u>	10–15 minutes per testlet.	9/11/23 to 12/22/23	Immediately	<u>New Jersey DLM</u>

January 2024 through June 2024

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–12 Alt. ACCESS: 1–12	<u>WIDA Accessibility Accommodations</u>	State and Federal	<u>ACCESS preparing students: practice</u>	No time limit.	2/5/24 to 3/29/24	TBD	<u>Parent Handout</u> (Provided in different languages.)

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

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ELA • Math • Science 	<p>ELA and Math: 3 through 8, and 11</p> <p>Science: 5, 8 and 11</p>	<p><u>DLM Accessibility Manual</u></p>	State and Federal	<p><u>DLM released testlets</u></p>	n/a	4/8/24 to 5/31/24	TBD	<p><u>New Jersey DLM webpage</u></p>

NJSLA-ELA, Math, and Science Spring

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ELA • Math • Science 	<p>[insert grade levels i.e., 3 through 9, or math course enrollment, or science grade levels]</p>	<p>Manual available on the <u>New Jersey Assessments Resource Center under Educator Resources > Test Administration Resources</u></p>	State and Federal	<p><u>NJSLA Practice Tests</u></p>	<p>For ELA and Math – Available at: <u>Unit Testing Times</u></p> <p>For Science: Grades 5 and 8: Four 45-minute units for a total of three hours. Grade 11: Four 60-minute units for a total of four hours.</p>	<p>4/29/24 to 5/24/24</p> <p>Make-up: 5/28/24 to 5/31/24</p>	TBD	<p>For ELA and Math: <u>Parent Resources webpage on the New Jersey Assessments Resource Center</u></p> <p>For Science: <u>NJSLA-S Parent, Student, and Teacher Information Guide.</u></p>

Other

National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP)

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
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reading • Math • Science 	Grades: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 • 8 • 12 	<u>NAEP Accommodations</u>	State and Federal	<u>NAEP Questions Tool</u>	TBD	Districts and schools selected for the various NAEP assessments taking place in the 2023-24 school year will be contacted by the NAEP State Coordinator with their designated assessment dates.	National Results available on even numbered years. State results available on odd numbered years. No student, school or district results available. nationsreportcard.gov	<u>Parents' Information webpage.</u>