

2022-2023 New Jersey School Districts to Provide Assessment Information to 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.

If specific details are not yet available, districts may insert "To Be Determined" ("TBD").

Key:

- **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.

ASSESSMENT LIST

Assessment Name	Subject Area	Grade Level Tested	Available Accommodations and Accessibility Features	Number of Testing Administrations in District	Testing Mode	Testing Time Allotted per Student	Testing Window	Results Available	Information for Parents/Guard ians
CogAT Cognitive Abilities Test	Cognitive Ability Test, Gifted and Talented Identification	Grades 3 & 5	Extra time, small group for identified students	1	Computer-based	30 min	9/27/22 to 9/30/22	Fall 2022	https://info.riv ersideinsights. com/cogat
Start Strong assessments- English Language Arts (ELA)/ Mathematics/ Science	ELA, Math, and Science	Grades 4-6	Accessibility Features and Accommodations Manual	1	Computer-based	45–60 minutes per subject assessment	9/19/2022 to 9/21/2022	Fall 2021	Office of Assessments webpage
NJSLA ELA/Math Regular Spring Administration	ELA and Math	Grades 3-6	NJSLA Accessibility Features and Accommodations Manual	1	Computer-based with paper-based options for students with disabilities	<u>Unit Testing</u> <u>Times</u>	5/1/23 to 6/2/23	TBD	For more information please visit the <u>Office of</u> <u>Assessments</u> webpage
NJSLA Science Administration	Science	Grade 5	NJSLA Accessibility Features and Accommodations Manual	1	Computer-based with paper-based options for students with disabilities	<u>Unit Testing</u> <u>Times</u>	5/1/23 to 6/2/23	TBD	For more information please visit the <u>Office of</u> <u>Assessments</u> webpage
Dynamic Learning Maps (DLM) Year End (YE) Model	ELA, Math, and Science	Grades 3 - 6	DLM Accessibility Manual	1	Computer-based	N/A	4/3/23 to 5/26/23	TBD	For more information please visit the <u>Office of</u> <u>Assessments</u> webpage
Linklt!	ELA and Math	Grades 1-6	LinkIt! Accomodations	3	Computer-based	Two 45-minute sessions	Sept Oct. Dec Jan. Apr May	Within 24 to 48 hours	https://www.li nkit.com/
ACCESS and Alternate	English language	К-12	<u>WIDA</u> <u>Accessibility</u> <u>Accommodations</u>	1	Paper – Grade K-5	No time limit	TBD	TBD	<u>Parent</u> <u>Handout</u>

ACCESS for	proficiency				Computer-based				Provided in
ELLS	test				Grades 6				different
									languages.
Dynamic	ELA, Math, and	Grades 3 -6	DLM Accessibility	N/A	Computer-based	10–15	9/12/22 to	TBD	For more
Learning Maps	Science		<u>Manual</u>			minutes per	12/23/22		information
(DLM)						testlet			please visit the
Instructionally									Office of
Embedded (IE)									Assessments
Assessments									webpage