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Dear FES Families,

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).

Please refer to the information below regarding the assessments that will be administered to our students during the 2023-2024 school year.

Sincerely,
James Hintenach,
Chief School Administrator

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
English language proficiency test	ACCESS: K–8 Alt. ACCESS: 1–8	WIDA Accessibility Accommodations	State and Federal	ACCESS preparing students: practice	No time limit.	2/5/24 to 3/29/24

NJSLA-ELA, Math, and 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
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ELA • Math • Science 	ELA and Math: 3 through 8 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 ELA and Math – Available at: Unit Testing Times For Science: Grades 5 and 8: Four 45-minute units for a total of three hours.	4/29/24 to 5/24/24 Make-up: 5/28/24 to 5/31/24

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

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

CogAT Screening Test

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
Multiple-choice test designed to measure a child's academic aptitude and gifted abilities.	K-8	As per Individualized Education or 504 Plan	State and Federal	CogAT Screener Prep	n/a	9/18/23 to 10/20/23