

2024-2025 Elk Township School District 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 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).

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

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.
- **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 (within 30 days of receipt of final reports for statewide assessments).

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

September through December

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

| 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 |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ELA • Math • Science | Grades: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3-6 | DLM Accessibility Manual | State | Instructional resources testlets | 10–15 minutes per testlet. | 9/11/24 to 12/22/24 | Immediately | New Jersey DLM |

Locally Administered Standardized Assessments

| 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 |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ELA Achieve3000 LevelSet | Grades: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3-6 | NA | District | NA | Varies: Adaptive Assessment | 9/6/24 to 9/17/24 | Immediately | Achieve3000 |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ELA IRLA | Grades: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • K-6 | NA | District | NA | 10 minutes | 9/6/2024 to 9/30/2024 | Immediately | About the IRLA |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ELA DIBELS | Grades: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • K-6 | NA | District | NA | 10 minutes | 9/6/2024 to 9/30/2024 | Immediately | About DIBELS 8 |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Math iReady Diagnostic | Grades: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • K-6 | NA | District | NA | Varies: Adaptive Assessment | 9/6/2024 to 9/17/2024 | Immediately | About iReady Diagnostic |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Renaissance STAR Math Screener | Grades: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • K-6 | NA | District | NA | Varies: Adaptive Assessment | 9/6/2024 to 9/17/2024 | Immediately | About STAR Math |

January through June

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 |
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| English language proficiency test | ACCESS: K–12 Alt. ACCESS: 1 –12 | WIDA Accessibility Accommodations | State and Federal | ACCESS preparing students: practice | No time limit. | 2/5/25 to 3/29/25 | September 2024 | 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 |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ELA • Math • Science | Grades: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3-6 | DLM Accessibility Manual | State and Federal | DLM released testlets | | 4/8/2025-5/31/2025 | TBD | New Jersey DLM webpage |

NJSLA-ELA and Math 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 |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ELA • Math | 3-6 (Math) 3-6 (ELA) | 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 | 4/28/25 to 5/22/25 Make-up: 5/27/25 to 5/30/25 | September 2025 | Parent Resources webpage on the New Jersey Assessments Resource Center |

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 | Results Available | Information for Parents/Guardians Regarding the Assessment |
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| Science | Grades: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 | Manual available on the New Jersey Assessments Resource Center under Educator Resources > Test Administration Resources | State and Federal | NJSLA Practice Tests | Four 45-minute units for a total of three hours. | 4/28/25 to 5/22/25 Make-up: 5/27/25 to 5/30/25 | September 2025 | NJSLA-S Parent, Student, and Teacher Information Guide. |

Locally Administered Standardized Assessments

| 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 |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ELA Achieve3000 LevelSet | Grades: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3-6 | NA | District | NA | Varies: Adaptive Assessment | 1/1/2025-5/30/2025 | Immediately | https://www.achieve3000.com/ |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ELA IRLA | Grades: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • K-6 | NA | District | NA | 10 minutes | 1/1/2025-5/30/2025 | Immediately | About the IRLA |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ELA DIBELS | Grades: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • K-6 | NA | District | NA | 10 minutes | 1/1/2025-5/30/2025 | Immediately | About DIBELS 8 |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Math iReady Diagnostic | Grades: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • K-6 | NA | District | NA | Varies: Adaptive Assessment | 1/1/2025 to 1/15/2025 3/20/2025 to 4/15/2025 5/15/2025 to 5/30/2025 | Immediately | About iReady Diagnostic |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Renaissance STAR Math Screener | Grades: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • K-6 | NA | District | NA | Varies: Adaptive Assessment | 9/6/2024 to 9/17/2024 | Immediately | About STAR Math |

Other (National Assessments)

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 |
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| TBD | Grades: NA | NAEP Accommodations | State and Federal | NAEP Questions Tool | TBD | Districts and schools selected for the various NAEP assessments taking place in the 2024-2025 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. nationsrepo rtcard.gov | Parents' Information webpage. |