2023-2024 Oaklyn 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.

ASSESSMENT CALENDAR

September through December 2023

HMH Growth Measure: Benchmark 1

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
• Math	Grades: 1-5	Subject to local IEP or 504 plan	local	Unavailable	No Time Limit … Approximately takes 60 min	September 26-29	Immediately	HMH Help Center

CommonLit Benchmark 1

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	Grades: 3–5	Subject to local IEP or 504 plan	local	CommonLit Library	No Time Limit … Approximately takes 60 min	October 2-6	Immediately	CommonLit Website

Fountas & Pinnell Benchmark 1

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
• Reading	Grades: 1–5	Subject to local IEP or 504 plan	local	Not available	No Time Limit	October 10-27	Immediately	Not Available

Amplify ELA Benchmark 1

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	Grades: K-5	Subject to local IEP or 504 plan	local	Unavailable	No Time Limit … Approximately takes 15 min	September 26-29	Immediately	[Amplify Website](#)

Brigance Early Childhood Screening Assessment

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
• Early Development	Grades: K	Subject to local IEP or 504 plan	State	Not available	No Time Limit	October 10-27	Immediately	Not Available

Fountas & Pinnell Benchmark 1

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
• Reading	Grades: K	Subject to local IEP or 504 plan	local	Not available	No Time Limit	December 4-22	Immediately	Not Available

Fountas & Pinnell Benchmark 2

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
• Reading	Grades: K–5	Subject to local IEP or 504 plan	local	Not available	No Time Limit	January 5 - 26	Immediately	Not Available

Amplify ELA Benchmark 2

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	Grades: K-5	Subject to local IEP or 504 plan	local	Unavailable	No Time Limit … Approximately takes 15 min	January 5 - 26	Immediately	Amplify Website

HMH Growth Measure: Benchmark 2

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
• Math	Grades: 1-5	Subject to local IEP or 504 plan	local	Unavailable	No Time Limit … Approximately takes 60 min	February 12-14	Immediately	HMH Help Center

CommonLit Benchmark 2

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	Grades: 3–5	Subject to local IEP or 504 plan	local	CommonLit Library	No Time Limit … Approximately takes 60 min	February 20-23	Immediately	CommonLit Website

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	Grades K–12 Alt. ACCESS: 1 –12	WIDA Accessibility Accommodations	State and Federal	ACCESS preparing students: practice	No Time Limit …	February 5 - March 9	TBD	Parent Handout (Provided in different languages.)

CommonLit Benchmark 3

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	Grades: 3–5	Subject to local IEP or 504 plan	local	CommonLit Library	No Time Limit … Approximately takes 60 min	April 30 – May 3	Immediately	CommonLit Website

Amplify ELA Benchmark 3

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	Grades: K-5	Subject to local IEP or 504 plan	local	Unavailable	No Time Limit … Approximately takes 15 min	May 3 – May 24	Immediately	Amplify Website

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	Grades: 3– 8, 11	DLM Accessibility Manual	State and Federal	DLM released testlets	No time limit	April 18 – May 31	TBD	New Jersey DLM webpage

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
Science	Grades: 5, 8, & 11	Manual available on the New Jersey Assessments Resource Center under Educator Resources > Test Administration Resources	State and Federal	NJSLA Practice Tests	For 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.	**Gr 5 Science** May 7-8 **Gr 8 Science** May 14-15 **Gr 11 Science** April 30-May 3 **Make-up:** May 28-31	TBD	NJSLA-S Parent, Student, and Teacher Information Guide.

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
• ELA • Math	ELA grades 3 - 9; and math grades 3-8, Algebra 1, Geometry, & Algebra 2	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	**Elementary** May 13-17 **Middle School** April 30-May 2 **High School** April 30 -May 3 **Make-up:** May 28-31	TBD	Parent Resources webpage on the New Jersey Assessments Resource Center

Fountas & Pinnell Benchmark 3

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
• Reading	Grades: K–5	Subject to local IEP or 504 plan	local	Not available	No Time Limit	May 28-June 7	Immediately	Not Available

HMH Growth Measure: Benchmark 3

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
• Math	Grades: 1-5	Subject to local IEP or 504 plan	local	Unavailable	No Time Limit … Approximately takes 60 min	June 3-7	Immediately	HMH Help Center

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
TBD	Grades: • 4 • 8 • 12 Students age 13	NAEP Accommodations	State and Federal	NAEP Questions Tool	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	Parents' Information webpage.

OLSAT 8 Level D (Otis-Lennon School Ability 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	Results Available	Information for Parents/Guardians Regarding the Assessment
• Abilities Test	Grade 2 (results to be used the following year starting Gr. 3)	Subject to local IEP or 504 plan	local	https://www.testprep-online.com/olsat-d-free-sample	50 minutes	June 2024	Immediately	Pearson OLSAT 8