



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.

Key:

- **Number of Testing Administrations in Districts** refers to the number of times a student will need to take a particular assessment during the school year.
- **Testing Mode** refers to how the student will be administered the assessment. 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 him/her 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 in which districts administer the statewide student 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 date districts receive individualized student results from the assessment vendor. These results should be distributed to students, educators and families as soon as possible.

Standardized student assessment information for 2018-2019:

| Assessment | Subject Area | Grade Level Tested | Information about 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/Guardians Regarding the Assessment |
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| PARCC High School Spring Block | ELA and Math | Grades 9 through 11 or math course enrollment | PARCC Accessibility Features and Accommodations Manual | 1 | Computer-based with paper-based options for students with disabilities | Three 90-minute units Total time 270 minutes Per subject | Computer Administration | Sept '19 | For more information please visit the Office of Assessments |

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| PARCC Middle School Spring Block | ELA and Math | Grades 6 through 8 | PARCC Accessibility Features and Accommodations Manual | 1 | Computer-based with paper-based options for students with disabilities | <p>ELA: Three 90-minute units Total time 270 minutes</p> <p>Math: Three 80-minute units Total time 240 minutes</p> | Computer Administration | Sept '19 | For more information please visit the Office of Assessments |

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| PARCC Elementary Spring Block | ELA and Math | Grades 3 through 5 | PARCC Accessibility Features and Accommodations Manual | 1 | Computer-based with paper-based options for students with disabilities | <p>ELA: Three 75-minute units for Grade 3 Total time 225 minutes</p> <p>ELA: Three 90-minute units for Grade 4 and 5 Total time 270 minutes</p> <p>Math: Four 60-minute units Total time 240 minutes</p> | Computer Administration | Sept '19 | For more information please visit the Office of Assessments |

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| Science TBD | Science | Grades 5, 8 and 11 | Not available at this time | 1 | Computer-based with paper-based options for students with disabilities | TBD | Computer Administration | TBD | For more information please visit the Office of Assessments |

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| <i>Access for ELLs</i> | <i>ELA</i> | <i>All English Language Learners</i> | <u>WIDA Resources</u> | <i>1</i> | <i>Computer-based with paper-based options for students with disabilities</i> | <i>All times are approximate based on student level Listening – up to 40 min Reading – up to 35 min Speaking – up to 30 min Writing – up to 65 min</i> | <i>Computer Administration</i> | <i>Sept '19</i> | <i>For more information please visit the <u>Office of Assessments</u></i> |

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| <i>Dynamic Learning Maps</i> | <i>ELA, Math and Science</i> | <i>Alternate assessment for students with the most significant intellectual disabilities</i> | <u>Dynamic Learning Maps</u> | <i>1</i> | <i>Computer-based</i> | <i>ELA: 5-7 units, 70-90 minutes each ELA: 5-7 units, 35-60 minutes each Science: 9 units, 45-125 minutes each</i> | <i>Computer Administration</i> | <i>Sept '19</i> | <i>For more information please visit the <u>Office of Assessments</u></i> |