



2021-2022 South Brunswick School District Assessment Information

New Jersey school districts are required by statute (*N.J.S.A. 18A: 7C-6.6*) to annually notify parents or guardians by October 1 any statewide student assessment or commercially developed standardized assessment that will be administered over the course of the school year.

Key:

- **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. The [South Brunswick Assessment website](#) will include the most current testing schedule for assessments listed below.
- **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 Name	Subject Area	Grade Level Tested	Information about Available Accommodations and Accessibility Features	Testing Mode	Testing Time Allotted per Student	Testing Window	Results Available	Information for Parents/Guardians Regarding the Assessment
Start Strong assessments- English Language Arts (ELA)/ Mathematics/ Science	ELA, Math, and Science	ELA: Grades 4-10 Math: Grades 4-8; Algebra I & II and Geometry	Accessibility Features and Accommodations Manual	Online only	45–60 minutes per subject assessment	9/13/21 to 10/22/21	TBD	Information to be released on Office of Assessments webpage

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NJSLA ELA/Math Regular Spring Administration	ELA and Math	Grades 3-9]	NJSLA Accessibility Features and Accommodations Manual	Computer-based with paper-based options for students with disabilities	Exact times not provided by NJDOE at this time, Sample 2021 Unit Times	4/25/22 to 6/3/22	TBD	For more information please visit the Office of Assessments webpage
New Jersey State Graduation Proficiency Assessment (NJSGPA)	ELA and Math	Grade 11	NJSLA Accessibility Features and Accommodations Manual	Computer-based with paper-based options for students with disabilities	Two 90-minute units, Total time 180 minutes per subject	3/14/22 to 3/18/22 Make-up: 3/21/22 to 3/25/22	TBD	For more information please visit the Office of Assessments webpage
NJSLA ELA/Math High School Summer	ELA and Math	To Be Determined based on Summer Institute Offerings]	NJSLA Accessibility Features and Accommodations Manual	Computer-based with paper-based options for students with disabilities	Two 90-minute units, Total time 180 minutes per subject	7/25/22 to 8/5/22	TBD	For more information please visit the Office of Assessments webpage
NJSLA Science Administration	Science	Grades 5, 8 and 11	NJSLA Accessibility Features and Accommodations Manual	Computer-based with paper-based options for students with disabilities	For grades 5 and 8: Four 45-minute units for a total of three hours. Grade 11: Four 60-minute units	4/25/22 to 6/3/22	TBD	For more information please visit the Office of Assessments webpage

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					for a total of four hours			
Dynamic Learning Maps (DLM) Year End (YE) Model	ELA, Math, and Science	Grades 3 through 8 and 11	DLM Accessibility Manual	Computer-based		4/1/22 to 5/27/22	TBD	For more information please visit the Office of Assessments webpage
National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP) (Random Selection for Districts to administer this test.)	Reading Math Civics US History	Randomly Selected Students: Math and Reading at grades 4 and 8 U.S. History and Civics at grade 8.	NAEP Accommodations	Digital-based platform, occasionally paper/pencil administration	Three 60-minute blocks. Total testing time 180 minutes per student	1/31/22 to 3/4/22	National Results available on even numbered years. State results available on odd numbered years. No student, school or district results available. www.nationsreportcard.gov	For more information please visit the Office of Assessments webpage
ACCESS and Alternate ACCESS for ELLs	English language proficiency test for students in the English Language Learner Program	K–12	WIDA Accessibility Accommodations	Paper – Grade K (and by request) Online Grades 1–12 (Writing portion is paper Grades 1–3)	No time limit	2/14/22 to 4/8/22	TBD	Parent Handout Provided in different languages.

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Dynamic Learning Maps (DLM) Instructionally Embedded (IE) Assessments (optional)	ELA, Math, and Science	Grades 3 through 8 and 11	DLM Accessibility Manual	Online only	10–15 minutes per testlet	9/13/21 to 12/17/21	Immediately	For more information please visit the Office of Assessments webpage
Advanced Placement (AP) Testing	ELA, Math, Science, Art, Music, World Language, Social Studies, Psychology	Grades 9-12 students enrolled in an AP course	Accommodations for AP Exams	Paper and Pencil Only	About 3 hours per subject test	5/2/21 to 5/13/21 Make-up Exams Follow	TBD	AP Courses and Exam Pages
CogAT The Cognitive Abilities Test Screening Form	Verbal, Quantitative, & Nonverbal Reasoning	Elementary G&T Universal Screen Grade TBD and students new to district in Grades 3, 4, & 5	Details about CogAT	Online only	45 minutes	TBD Fall 2021 and TBD Winter /Spring 2022	TBD	CogAT Details

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