



2023 NJSLA TESTING SCHEDULE

Math Gr 3-8: May 9th - May 11th
ELA Gr 3-8: May 15th - May 16th
Science Gr 5 & 8: May 17th - May 18th
Make Ups: May 10th - June 3rd

Dear Parents/Guardians:

The 3rd through 8th grade students will be taking the NJSLA assessment during the month of May 2023 per the schedule listed above. More detailed information regarding NJSLA assessments for parents and families can be found on the following websites:

- <https://nj.mypearsonsupport.com/ForParent/>
- <https://nj.digitalitemlibrary.com/home>

Please note that testing usually occurs directly after homeroom. Make-up testing will occur throughout the day. Here are a few simple things you can do to help your child perform well on the tests:

- Get plenty of rest the night before
- Have a nutritious breakfast the morning of the test
- Get to the bus stop on time to avoid being late
- Try not to schedule appointments during the testing period

Please note that per New Jersey Dept. of Education guidelines, cell phones or other electronic devices are not permitted in the testing rooms. We encourage students to keep their phones at home during testing week. However, if any student brings a phone or electronic device to school, it will be secured in the main office during testing hours and returned after students have finished testing. **Please see the following page for the Cell Phone Testing Procedures utilized in testing rooms.**

As always, thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions regarding the NJSLA process, expectations and assessment, please do not hesitate to contact your child's teacher or an administrator.

Sincerely,

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Cell Phone Policy for Testing

ATTENTION TEST ADMINISTRATORS - THE FOLLOWING SCRIPT MUST BE READ TO STUDENTS BEFORE TESTING COMMENCES EACH DAY.

Cell phones and all electronic devices are absolutely prohibited in the testing room. If your cell phone, smart watch or electronic device is seen or heard during the entire testing period, your test may be voided and you may face disciplinary action. This includes before, during and after testing in this testing room. If you have a cell phone or other electronic device, it must be turned off and collected. Your device will be given back once testing is complete. Again, if your device is seen or heard before cell phones are given back, your test may be voided and you may face disciplinary action.

All book bags, backpacks, and coats must be put in the designated location in the testing room. You may have a leisure reading book at your desk. **NO FOOD OR DRINKS ARE ALLOWED DURING TESTING.**

If you need to use the restroom DURING testing, raise your hand. I can allow one student to leave the room at a time. Your Chromebook screen must be covered.

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