

WALL TOWNSHIP PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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Dear Parents/Guardians:

Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:7C-6.6, and the District's commitment to ensure parents are informed regarding State assessments, or commercially-developed standardized assessments that are administered during the school year, please review the following Wall Township Public Schools 2021-2022 Assessment Notification to Parents/Guardians for this year's assessments.

New to this year is the **Start Strong State Assessments**, which will take place from September 28 to October 8, 2021, and the **New Jersey State Graduation Proficiency Assessment (NJSGPA)**, which will take place from March 14 to March 18, 2022. Please see the Assessment Notification to Parents/Guardians for the specific grade level assessment for your child. Specific testing dates and times will be shared prior to the assessment. All modifications and/or accommodations afforded by a child's IEP or 504 Plan will be strictly followed.

Parents are encouraged to review the digital links, which will provide you with further information regarding the assessments, including practice tests, sample assessment items, accommodations, and other relevant information to prepare your child for the assessments.

Please contact your child's principal for any questions regarding the assessments listed.

Sincerely,

Donna Rando, Ed.D.
Interim Assistant Superintendent of Curriculum & Instruction

WALL TOWNSHIP PUBLIC SCHOOLS
2021-2022 Assessment Notification to Parents/Guardians

Pursuant to N.J.S.A 18A:7C-6.6

Assessment Name	Testing Window and Subject Area	Grade Level Tested	Information about Available Accommodations and Accessibility Features	Testing Time Allotted per Student	Information for Parents/Guardians Regarding the Assessment
ACCESS and Alternate ACCESS for ELLs State and Federal Requirement	2/14/22 to 4/8/22 English Language Proficiency Test	K-12	WIDA Accessibility Accommodations	No time limit	Parent Handout Provided in different languages.
ACT	09/11/2021 10/23/2021 12/11/2021 02/12/2021 04//02/2022 06/11/2022 07/16/2022 English, Math, Reading, Writing, Science	11-12	ACT Accommodations		ACT Resources
Advanced Placement (AP) Exams	5/2/2022 to 5/13/2022 AP Courses and Exams	9-12	College Board AP Accommodations	3 hours per test	AP2022 AP Exam Calendar – AP Students College Board Exam Resources
Dynamic Learning Maps (DLM) Year End (YE) Model State and Federal Requirement	4/1/22 to 5/27/22 ELA, Math, Science	3 - 8 and 11	DLM Accessibility Manual		For more information please visit the Office of Assessments webpage
Educational	6/22	Incoming K		15 minutes total	

Software for Guiding Instruction	Math, ELA				
Fountas & Pinnell Literacy Benchmark Assessments	9/15 to 9/20/21 1/7 to 1/21/22 5/20 to 6/3/22 ELA	K-5		20-30 minutes	Fountas & Pinnell Text Level Gradient
iReady	10/8 to 10/22/21 1/7 to 1/21/22 5/20 to 6/3/22 ELA, Math	K		45-60 minutes per subject assessment	iReady Family Center
iReady	9/7 to 9/30/21 1/14 to 1/28/2022 5/20 to 6/3/2022 ELA, Math	1-5		45-60 minutes per subject assessment	iReady Family Center
iReady	9/7 to 9/30/21 1/14 to 1/28/2022 5/20 to 6/3/2022 ELA, Math	6-8		45-60 minutes per subject assessment	iReady Family Center
New Jersey State Graduation Proficiency Assessment (NJSGPA) State and Federal Requirement	3/14/22 to 3/18/22 Make-up: 3/21/22 to 3/25/22 ELA, Math	11	NJSLA Accessibility Features and Accommodations Manual	Two 90-minute units, Total time 180 minutes per subject	For more information please visit the Office of Assessments webpage

NJSLA ELA/Math High School Summer State and Federal Requirement	7/25/22 to 8/5/22 ELAMath	11, 12	NJSLA Accessibility Features and Accommodations Manual	Two 90-minute units, Total time 180 minutes per subject	For more information please visit the Office of Assessments webpage
NJSLA ELA/Math Regular Spring Administration State and Federal Requirement	4/25/22 to 6/3/22 ELA, Math	3-9	NJSLA Accessibility Features and Accommodations Manual	Two 90-minute units, Total time 180 minutes per subject	For more information please visit the Office of Assessments webpage NJSLA ELA/MATH/SCIENCE Practice Tests
NJSLA Science Administration State and Federal Requirement	4/25/22 to 6/3/22 Science	5, 8 and 11	NJSLA Accessibility Features and Accommodations Manual	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	For more information please visit the Office of Assessments webpage NJSLA ELA/MATH/SCIENCE Practice Tests
PSAT	10/13/21 Math, English	10, 11	PSAT Accommodations	2 hours and 45 minutes	PSAT Resources
SAT	08/28/21 10/02/21 11/06/21 12/04/2021 3/12/2022	9-12	College Board Accommodations	Varies by test	SAT Resources SAT Practice Test

	05/07/2022 06/04/2022 Reading, Writing, Math				
Start Strong Assessments State and Federal Requirement	10/4 to 10/8/21 ELA, Math	4, 5	Accessibility Features and Accommodations Manual	45–60 minutes per subject assessment	Statewide Assessment
Start Strong Assessments State and Federal Requirement	10/4 to 10/8/21 ELA, Math, Algebra 1 Geometry, Science 6	6-8	Accessibility Features and Accommodations Manual	45–60 minutes per subject assessment	Statewide Assessment
Start Strong Assessments State and Federal Requirement	9/28 to 10/1/21 ELA 9, ELA 10 Algebra 1, Geometry, Algebra 2 Science 9, Science 12	9-12	Accessibility Features and Accommodations Manual	45–60 minutes per subject assessment	Statewide Assessment