

**LAKWOOD PUBLIC SCHOOLS
DISTRICT TESTING SCHEDULE 2021-2022**

Assessment	Number of Testing Administrations	Grade(s)	Test Dates	Subject(s)	Parent & Guardian information on accommodations, sample questions/answers, results & more
STAMP	1	Eligible students in grade 12	fall 2021 Exact dates are TBD	Listening, speaking, reading & writing for Seal of Biliteracy eligibility	https://avantassessment.com/stamp4s/test-taker-guide
ACCESS FOR ELLS	1	English language learners in grades K-12	February 14-April 8	Listening, speaking, reading & writing	https://www.wida.us/assessment/ACCESS20.aspx
AP Advanced Proficiency Exams	1	Students enrolled in high school AP courses	May 4-11	AP History, AP Spanish, AP Calculus, AP English, AP Art, and AP Biology	https://apstudents.collegeboard.org/
New Jersey Graduation Proficiency Assessment (NJGPA)	1	Students in grade 11	March 14, 2022 to March 18, 2022 Makeup: March 21, 2022 to March 25, 2022	NJSLS for ELA grade 10 and NJSLS for Algebra I and Geometry	https://nj.mypersonsupport.com/ForParent/
NJ Start Strong Science	1	Grades 6, 9, and 12	September 13, 2021 - October 22, 2021	Science	https://nj.mypersonsupport.com/startStrong/

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DLM Dynamic Learning Maps	1	Eligible students in grades 3-8 and 11	April 1- May 27	English language arts, math, & science	https://www.nj.gov/education/assessment/dlm/
NJ Start Strong Assessments ELA and Math	1	ELA grades 4-10 Math grades 4-8; Algebra I; Geometry and Algebra II	September 13 - October 22	English language arts and math	https://nj.mypearsonsupport.com/startStrong/
New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA)-English Language Arts (ELA) and Math Fall Block Administration	1	Students in grade 9	Nov. 29, 2021-January 14, 2022 (Paper testing ends Dec 10)	ELA and Math	https://nj.mypearsonsupport.com/ForParent/
New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA)-English Language Arts (ELA) and Math Spring Block Administration	1	Students in grade 9	May 2, 2022- June 10, 2022	ELA and Math	https://nj.mypearsonsupport.com/ForParent/
New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA)-English Language Arts (ELA) and Math Regular Spring Administration	1	Students in grades 3-8	April 25, 2022- June 3, 2022	ELA and Math	https://nj.mypearsonsupport.com/ForParent/

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NJSLA Science (NJSLA-S)	1	Students in grades 5, 8 and 11	April 25, 2022- June 3, 2022	Science	https://nj.mypearsonsupport.com/ForParent/
Portfolio Appeals	1	Grade 12 students who did not meet other state assessment requirements for graduation	January 3, 2022- May 6, 2022	English language arts and math	https://www.nj.gov/education/assessment/docs/GradReq.pdf
PSAT/NMSQT School Day	1	Grade 10	October 13, 2021	Practice Scholastic Aptitude Test	https://www.collegeboard.org/
SAT School Day	1	Grade 11 and 12	October 13, 2021	Scholastic Aptitude Test	https://www.collegeboard.org/
NAEP		Grades 4 and 8	TBD	Reading, math and US History/Civics	https://nces.ed.gov/nationsreportcard/

2021 Start Strong Assessment results will be available in late fall 2021

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Re: Parental Notification of Standardized Assessments

Dear Parents/Guardians:

Assessments provide valuable information about a student's progress throughout his or her educational journey. In Lakewood, we use the results of a variety of assessments to identify and understand our students' strengths and areas for growth so that we can better target instruction and refine our program.

By October 1st of each school year, school districts must provide parents and guardians with certain information on any state or commercially-developed standardized assessment that will be administered in that school year (N.J.S.A. 18A: 7C-6.6).

The attached chart is intended to provide you with the information required. You are also invited to access the below web links for further information on accommodations and accessibility features and practice/sample test items:

<https://www.wida.us/assessment/ACCESS20.aspx> (ACCESS for ELLs)

<https://nj.mypearsonsupport.com/startStrong/> (NJ Start Strong Assessments)

<https://www.collegeboard.org/> (SAT and PSAT)

<https://avantassessment.com/stamp4s/test-taker-guide> (STAMP)

Upon review, should you have any questions or concerns, please contact your child's building principal or me.

Sincerely,

Tracy Paolantonio

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District Testing Coordinator

Re: Notificación de las evaluaciones estandarizadas

Queridos padres/guardianes:

Las evaluaciones proporcionan información importante sobre el progreso de un estudiante durante su viaje educativo. En Lakewood, usamos los resultados de una variedad de evaluaciones para identificar y entender las fortalezas y áreas de crecimiento de nuestros estudiantes para poder orientarnos mejor a la instrucción y refinar nuestro programa.

El 1 de octubre de cada año escolar, los distritos escolares deben proporcionar a los padres y guardianes cierta información sobre cualquier evaluación del estado o estandarizada que será administrada en ese año escolar (N.J.S.A. 18A: 7C-6.6).

La carta adjunta tiene la intención de proporcionar la información requerida. También está invitado a acceder a los siguientes enlaces web para obtener más información sobre las características de accesibilidad y ejemplos de las evaluaciones:

<https://www.wida.us/assessment/ACCESS20.aspx> (ACCESS for ELLs)

<https://nj.mypearsonsupport.com/startStrong/> (NJ Start Strong Assessments)

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Después de revisar, si tiene alguna pregunta o inquietud, comuníquese con el director de la escuela de su hijo o conmigo.
Sinceramente,

Tracy Paolantonio

Coordinadora de Pruebas de Distrito