



Bayonne Board of Education

Office of the Superintendent

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MAY 2023

Do Your Best on the Test!

Dear Parent/Guardian,

This letter is to inform you of the schedule for the May 2023 New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA) which will be administered to your child.

The NJSLA is designed to provide evidence about student learning. The data collected will help to provide a clear well-rounded picture of student achievement. The Bayonne School District is asking that your child utilize personal wired headphones during the testing window for their grade level. The headphones should be placed in a zip-lock bag clearly labeled with their name. Please keep in mind that our Chromebooks only support headphones that have a 3.5 mm 1/8 inch stereo mini-plug. Bluetooth or wireless headphones will not be allowed.

Students may bring nutritional snacks to school on test days. Also, students will have no homework on days they are sitting for tests.

With the collaboration of administrators, teachers, students and parents, our children will achieve more. Parents, be sure to encourage your child to do their best! I am confident that they are not only ready to participate, but also succeed on this State level assessment.

Sincerely,

John J. Niesz, Superintendent of Schools

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Jennifer Vecchiarelli, Assistant Superintendent

Dan Castles, School Business Administrator

Thomas Fogu, Assistant School Business Administrator

Dr. Wachera Ragland-Brown, Chief Academic Officer

DATE TEST

May 1	NJSLA Science: grade 11 - unit 1 NJSLA Science: grades 5 & 8 – units 1 & 2
May 2	NJSLA Science: grade 11 – unit 2 NJSLA Science: grades 5 & 8 – units 3 & 4
May 3	NJSLA Science: grade 11 – unit 3 NJSLA ELA: grades 3, 4, 5
May 4	NJSLA Science: grade 11 – unit 4 NJSLA ELA: grades 3, 4, 5
May 5	NJSLA ELA: grades 3, 4, 5
May 8	NJSLA Math: grades 3, 4, 5
May 9	NJSLA Math: grades 3, 4, 5
May 10	NJSLA Math: grades 3, 4, 5
May 11	NJSLA ELA: grades 6, 7, 8
May 12	NJSLA ELA: grades 6, 7, 8
May 15	NJSLA BHS: algebra 1 NJSLA ELA: grades 6, 7, 8
May 16	NJSLA BHS: algebra 1 NJSLA Math: grades 6, 7, 8 NJSLA Elementary: algebra 1
May 17	NJSLA BHS: geometry, algebra 2 NJSLA MATH: grades 6, 7, 8 NJSLA Elementary: algebra 1
May 18	NJSLA BHS: geometry 1, algebra 2 NJSLA Math: grades 6, 7, 8
May 19	NJSLA ELA: grades 9, 10, 11
May 22	NJSLA ELA: grades 9, 10, 11
May 23	NJSLA ELA: grades 9, 10, 11

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