BLOOMFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS
2018-2019 CALENDAR OF ASSESSMENTS
NJDOE TESTING

NEW JERSEY STUDENT LEARNING ASSESSMENTS (NJSLA) - NJDOE MANDATED

Assessment/Content Area	Grade Levels	Dates	Administration Info	Requirement/ Results
NJSLA 2019 (formerly known as PARCC) Computer-Based Testing/ ELA and Math	Grades 3-11 *Dates scheduled:*	**Window: April 8-May 28, 2019** *Testing must be completed within above NJDOE 30-day window.*	Regular Administration	**Required by State for all grade 3-11 students/ Fall 2019 results**
	MATH 3 ELA 3	**Individual Grade/Test Dates To Be Determined** *2019 Unit Testing Times below*	**NOTES:** All PARCC testing will begin administration in the morning. *Make-up testing and testing for students with additional time/ accommodations will be done on an ongoing basis throughout the PARCC window.	
	MATH 4 ELA 4			
	MATH 5 ELA 5			
	MATH 6 ELA 6			
	MATH 7 ELA 7			
	MATH 8 ALG I (gr 8) ELA 8			
	ALG I GEO (BHS) ALG II ELA 9 ELA 10 ELA 11	**Individual Grade/Test Dates To Be Determined**		

ELA 3

2019 NJSLA-ELA – ELA Grade 3

Unit	Unit Testing Time (Minutes)
Unit 1	75
Unit 2	75
Total: 2 Units	**Total: 150 Minutes**

ELA 4-5

2019 NJSLA-ELA – ELA Grades 4 and 5

Unit	Unit Testing Time (Minutes)
Unit 1	90
Unit 2	90
Total: 2 Units	**Total: 180 Minutes**

ELA 6, 7-8 and 10

2019 NJSLA-ELA – ELA Grades 6-8 and 10 (Units and testing times for ELA 9 and ELA 11 are TBD)

Unit	Unit Testing Time (Minutes)
Unit 1	90
Unit 2	90
Total: 2 Units	**Total: 180 Minutes**

MATH 3-5

2019 NJSLA-Mathematics Grades 3- 5

Subject	Unit	Unit Testing Time (Minutes)
Math Grades 3-5	Unit 1	60
	Unit 2	60
	Unit 3	60
Total	**3 Units**	**180 Minutes**

MATH 6-8

2019 NJSLA-Mathematics Grades 6-8

Subject(s)	Unit	Unit Testing Time (Minutes)
Math Grades 6-8	Unit 1	60
	Unit 2	60
	Unit 3	60
Total	**3 Units**	**180 Minutes**

ALGEBRA

2019 NJSLA-High School Math Assessments (Units and testing times for Geometry and Algebra II are TBD)

Subject(s)	Unit	Unit Testing Time (Minutes)
Algebra I	Unit 1	90
	Unit 2	90
Total	**2 Units**	**180 Minutes**

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Assessment/Content Area	Grade Levels	Dates	Administration Info	Requirement/ Results
NJSLA- SCIENCE Computer-Based grade 5	grade 5 will be tested this year	**Window: May 6-June 7, 2019** *Testing must be completed within above NJDOE 30-day window.*	Regular Administration *Only HI & accommodation students will take paper tests.	**Required by State/ Fall 2019 results**
NJSLA- SCIENCE Computer-Based grade 8	Grade 8	**Window: May 6-June 7, 2019** *Testing must be completed within above NJDOE 30-day window.*	Regular Administration *Only HI & accommodation students will take paper tests.	**Required by State/ Fall 2018 results**
NJSLA- SCIENCE Computer-Based grade 11	Grades 11	**Window: May 6-June 7, 2019** *Testing must be completed within above NJDOE 30-day window*	Regular Administration *Only HI & accommodation students will take paper tests.	**Required by State/ Fall 2018 results**

ACCESS FOR ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS – NJDOE MANDATED

Assessment/Content Area	Grade Levels	Dates	Administration Info	Requirement/ Results
ACCESS FOR ELL STUDENTS Computer-Based Testing/ ELL students take 4 components: *Listening, Speaking, Reading, Writing*	Grades K-12 Bilingual/ESL students	**Window: Feb. 14-April 2, 2019**	Regular Administration *kindergarten test is one-on-one and is paper-based **grades 1-12 test is computer-based	**Required by State for all ELL students/ Fall 2019 results** * scores are used as one measure to exit ELL students from bilingual/ESL services

ALTERNATE ASSESSMENTS FOR STUDENTS WITH COGNITIVE DISABILITIES – NJDOE MANDATED

Assessment/Content Area	Grade Levels	Dates	Administration Info	Requirement/ Results
Dynamic Learning Maps (DLM)-Computer-Adaptive Testing/ ELA and Math	Grades 3-8 & Grade 11	**Window: April 3 – May 31, 2019**	Regular Administration for students exempt from PARCC by IEP	**Required by State/ Fall 2019 results**
Dynamic Learning Maps (DLM)-Computer-Adaptive Testing/ Science	Grade 5, 8 & Grade 11	**Window: April 9 – June 1, 2018**	Regular Administration	**Required by State/ Fall 2019 results**

National Assessment of Educational Progress –Federal Testing

Assessment/Content Area	Grade Levels	Dates	Administration Info	Requirement/ Results
Reading, Mathematics and Science	Grade 4, 8 & Grade 12	**January 28- March 8, 2019**	NAEP Committee administers test	**Districts/schools chosen randomly by NAEP (BMS, OV, WA)**

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ASSESSMENTS FOR GRADE 9-12 STUDENTS – NJDOE MANDATED GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS**

Assessment/Content Area	Grade Levels	Dates	Administration Info	Requirement/ Results
AP EXAMS/ AP class subjects only	BHS	May 6-17, 2019	Final assessment for AP students	**AP student exam/ June 2019 results**
PSAT EXAMS/ English and Math	BHS	School Day: October 10, 2018	Option as NJDOE grad requirement for Class of 19 & 20	**College Entrance/ Results in 6 weeks**
SAT EXAMS/ English and Math	BHS	School Day: October 10, 2018 Saturdays 2018: Oct. 6; Nov. 3; Dec. 1 Saturdays 2019: Mar. 9; May 4; June 1	Option as NJDOE grad requirement for Class of 19 & 20	**College Entrance/ Results in 6 weeks**
ACT/ ACT and Subject	BHS	Oct. 27, 2018; Dec. 8, 2018; Feb. 9. 2019; Apr. 13, 2019; June 8, 2019; July 13, 2019	Option as NJDOE grad requirement for Class of 19 & 20	**College Entrance/ Results in 6 weeks**
ASVAB	BHS	To Be Determined: Eligible Students will be notified at BHS	Option as NJDOE grad requirement for Class of 19 & 20	**Military Entrance/ Results when verified**
PORTFOLIO APPEALS	Grade 12	**January 7-May 10, 2019**	Option as alternative to grad requirement for Class of 19, 20 & 21 (see eligibility requirements)	**Graduation/ Results when verified**
		May 10 is the date NJDOE must receive appeals for students who will be graduating and expect to walk with their peers in 2019, and who need to know the outcome in order to take part in their school's graduation.		

****JANUARY 2019 NOTE: On December 31, 2018 a NJ Appellate court has declared the PARCC testing requirement invalid as a graduation requirement. Until further notice the district is following the previous issued NJDOE grad requirements.***

On August 3, 2016, the State Board of Education approved updated state regulations for the high school graduation assessments requirements in both English language arts (ELA) and mathematics for the Classes of 2016 through 2021, and beyond. These new state regulations (*N.J.A.C.* 6A:8-5.1) became effective on September 6, 2016.
The Classes of 2018, and 2019 – Students graduating as members of the Classes of 2018 and 2019 can meet graduation assessment requirements through any of these **three pathways**: (1) Achieving passing scores on high-level PARCC assessments; (2) Achieving certain scores on alternative assessments such as the SAT, ACT, or Accuplacer; or (3) The submission by the district of a student portfolio through the Department's portfolio appeals process. Special Education students whose Individualized Education Plans (IEPs) specify an alternative way to demonstrate proficiencies will continue to follow the graduation requirements set forth in their IEPs.

Course Credit requirements for graduation and assessment score minimum requirements can be found on the BHS webpage.

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DISTRICT DIAGNOSTIC/FORMATIVE ASSESSMENTS FOR GRADE k-6 STUDENTS

Assessment/Content Area	Grade Levels	Dates	Administration Info	Requirement/ Results
COGNITIVE ASSESSMENT (InView)	Grade 3 & 6	March 2019; dates to be determined	Cognitive Skills Administration	**District Testing/ Spring 2019 results**
STAR BENCHMARK Computer Adaptive Testing/ Early Literacy and Reading	Grades K-6	Fall: Sept.18-Oct. 20, 2018 Winter: Jan. 2- Feb. 2, 2019 SGO: Feb. 26 – Mar. 30, 2019 Spring: May 21 – June 15, 2019	Benchmark Testing Early Literacy for K STAR Reading 1-16	**District Testing/ Immediate results**
ON DEMAND INFORMATION, OPINION AND NARRATIVE/ WRITING PROMPTS	Grades K-6	***REFER TO THE ON DEMAND WRITING PROMPT SCHEDULE***	Writing Sample for student portfolio	**District Testing/ Immediate results**
NJSLS MATH BENCHMARK	Grades K-6	***REFER TO MATH DEPARTMENT SCHEDULING***	District-created Benchmark Testing	**District Testing/ Immediate results**
STAR: MATH BENCHMARK	Grades K-6	Fall: Sept.18-Oct. 20, 2018 Winter: Jan. 2- Feb. 2, 2019 SGO: Feb. 26 – Mar. 30, 2019 Spring: May 21 – June 15, 2019	Benchmark Testing STAR Math 1-6	**District Testing/ Immediate results**

DISTRICT DIAGNOSTIC/FORMATIVE ASSESSMENTS FOR GRADE 7-12 STUDENTS

Assessment/Content Area	Grade Levels	Dates	Administration Info	Requirement/ Results
NJSLS LAL BENCHMARK	Grades 7-12 BHS; BMS	***REFER TO THE LANGUAGE ARTS DEPARTMENT SCHEDULING***	District-created Benchmark Testing	**District Testing/ Immediate results**
NJSLS MATH BENCHMARK	Grades 7-12 BHS; BMS	***REFER TO MATH DEPARTMENT SCHEDULING***	District-created Benchmark Testing	**District Testing/ Immediate results**
STAR BENCHMARK Computer Adaptive Testing/ Reading	Grades 7-12	Fall: Sept.18-Oct. 20, 2018 Winter: Jan. 2- Feb. 2, 2019 SGO: Feb. 26 – Mar. 30, 2019 Spring: May 21 – June 15, 2019	Benchmark Testing STAR Reading 7-12	**District Testing/ Immediate results**
ON DEMAND INFORMATION, OPINION AND NARRATIVE/ WRITING PROMPTS	Grades 7-8	***REFER TO THE ON DEMAND WRITING PROMPT SCHEDULE***	Writing Sample for student portfolio	**District Testing/ Immediate results**
STAR BENCHMARK Computer Adaptive Testing/ Math	Grades 7-8	Fall: Sept.18-Oct. 20, 2018 Winter: Jan. 2- Feb. 2, 2019 SGO: Feb. 26 – Mar. 30, 2019 Spring: May 21 – June 15, 2019	Benchmark Testing STAR Math 7-8	**District Testing/ Immediate results**

As of January 2, 2019