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Dear Readington Families,

Under federal guidelines, each state is required to implement a testing program for grades three through eight. The statewide assessments for mathematics, English Language Arts (ELA), and science are the *New Jersey Student Learning Assessments (NJSLA-Mathematics, NJSLA-ELA, and NJSLA-Science)*.

The testing dates and times for our students are listed below:

Please note the change in date for the 5th and 8th grade <u>NJSLA-Science</u> assessments. This change was necessary do to an adjustment made to the testing window at the state level.

NJSLA-Mathematics and ELA		
Grade 3		Mathematics- 3 Units
	April 30 through May 5	(60 minutes each)
		ELA- 2 Units
		(75 minutes each)
Grades 4-5		Mathematics- 3 Units
	May 7 through May 12	(60 minutes each)
		ELA- 2 Units
		(75 minutes each)
Grades 6-8		Mathematics- 3 Units
		(60 minutes each)
	May 7 through May 12	Algebra I & II- 2 Units
		(90 minutes each)
		ELA- 2 Units
		(90 minutes each)
NJSLA-Science		
Grades 5 and 8	Grade 5 May 20 & 21	4 Units
	Grade 8 May 19 & 20	(45 minutes each)

The website below offers practice tests for each grade level of the assessment should you wish to familiarize yourself with the kinds of items and format used for the New Jersey Student Learning Assessments. https://nj.mypearsonsupport.com/practice-tests/

Additional information pertaining to state and district assessments can be found on the Readington Township School District website under the Curriculum Department tab.

Sincerely,

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