

2021-2022 Neptune Township School District Assessment Calendar

District Level Assessments – State Mandated

Type of Assessment	Dates/Anticipated Times*	Grades	Type of Assessment	Practice Tests and Assessment Information	Results Available
Start Strong ELA, Math, Science	September 13, 2021 - October 22, 2021	Grades 4 - 12	State	https://nj.mypersonsupport.com/startStrong/	Fall 2021
Dynamic Learning Maps- ELA/Math/Science (Optional)	September 13, 2021 - December 17, 2021	Grades 3-8 and 11th Determined by IEPs	State	https://dynamiclearningmaps.org/newjersey	TBD
NJSLA ELA/Math - Fall Block	November 29, 2021- January 14, 2022	9th	State	https://nj.mypersonsupport.com/practice-tests/	TBD
Portfolios Appeals	January 3, 2022 - May 6, 2022	12	State	https://www.nj.gov/education/assessment/	Prior to graduation
National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP)	January 31, 2022 - March 4, 2022 if selected	Math/Reading - 4th & 8th US History and Civics 8th	National	https://nces.ed.gov/nationsreportcard/pdf/parents/2012469.pdf	National - even numbered years State - odd numbered years www.nationsreportcard.gov
ACCESS for English Language Learners Alternate ACCESS	February 14, 2022 - April 8, 2022	K-12	State	https://www.state.nj.us/education/bilingual/ells/20/	TBD
NJ Graduation Assessment	March 14 - 18, 2022 Make-up March 21-25, 2022	11	State	Details forthcoming from DOE	TBD
Dynamic Learning Maps- ELA/Math/Science Determined by IEPs	April 1, 2022 - May 27, 2022	ELA/Math- 3rd -8th and 11th Science - 5th, 8th & 11th	State	https://dynamiclearningmaps.org/newjersey	TBD
NJSLA ELA/Math	April 25, 2022 - June 3, 2022	Grades 3 - 8	State	https://nj.mypersonsupport.com/practice-tests/	TBD
NJSLA - Science	April 25, 2022 - June 3, 2022	Grades 5, 8, 11	State	https://nj.mypersonsupport.com/practice-tests/	TBD
NJSLA ELA/Math- Spring Block	May 2, 2022 - June 10, 2022	9	State	https://nj.mypersonsupport.com/practice-tests/	TBD
AP Exams	May 2-13, 2021	Course specific	College Board	https://parents.collegeboard.org/college-board-programs/advanced-placement-program	July - Sept.
NJSLA ELA/Math - Summer Administration	July 25, 2022 - August 5, 2022	9	State	https://nj.mypersonsupport.com/practice-tests/	TBD

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Elementary Level Assessments

DATES	GRADES	ASSESSMENT	TYPE OF ASSESSMENT
September 13, 2021 - December 17, 2021	3-5	Dynamic Learning Assessments - ELA/Math/Science - Optional	State
September 13 - 24, 2021	2 - 5	STAR Fall Assessment - Administered by Library/Media Specialists	Local
September 20 - 24, 2021	K - 5	Everyday Math Beginning of Year Assessment	Local
October 4 - 22, 2021	1 - 5	DRA-2 Assessments	Local
October 2021	Kindergarten	"Tools of the Mind" Literacy Benchmark, Weeks 6, 8	Local
November 2021	Kindergarten	"Tools of the Mind" Literacy Benchmark, Week 11	Local
December 2021	Kindergarten	"Tools of the Mind" Literacy Benchmark, Weeks 15, 18	Local
September 13, 2021 - December 10, 2021	Preschool	Link-it Tools Data Collection Period 1	Local
September 13, 2021 - October 22, 2021	4th & 5th	Start Strong - ELA/Math	State
December 13, 2021 - March 18, 2022	Preschool	Link-it Tools Data Collection Period 2	Local
January 2022	Kindergarten	"Tools of Mind" Dynamic Letter/Sound Checklist	Local
January 10-28, 2022	K - 3	DRA-2 Assessments	Local
January 24 - 28, 2022	2 - 5	STAR Winter Assessment - Administered by Library/Media Specialists	Local
January 31, 2022 - February 4, 2022	K - 5	Everyday Math Mid-year Assessment	Local
February 2022	Kindergarten	"Tools of the Mind" Literacy Benchmark, Week 25	Local
February 14, 2022 - April 8, 2022	K-5	ACCESS for English Language Learners	State
March 21, 2022 - June 16, 2022	Preschool	Link-it Tools Data Collection Period 3	Local
April/May 2022	Kindergarten	"Tools of the Mind" Literacy Benchmark, Week 35	Local
April 1, 2022 - May 27, 2022	3rd & 5th	Dynamic Learning Maps - ELA/Math - 3rd Dynamic Learning Maps - Science - 5th	State
April 25, 2022 - June 3, 2022	3rd - 5th	NJSLA ELA/Math - 3rd,4th & 5th NJSLA Science - 5th	State
May 16 - 31, 2022	K - 5	DRA-2 Assessments	Local
June 1 - 15, 2022	2 - 5	STAR Spring Assessment - Administered by Library/Media Specialists	Local
June 6 - 10, 2022	K - 5	Everyday Math End of Year Assessment	Local

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Middle School Level Assessments

DATES	GRADES	ASSESSMENT	TYPE OF ASSESSMENT
September 13 - 17, 2021	6 - 8	STAR Fall Assessment	Local
September 13, 2021 - October 22, 2021	6 - 8	Strong Start ELA/Math (6th - 8th) Start Strong Science (6th)	State
September 20 - 24, 2021	6 - 8	Link-it Benchmark A – ELA/Math/Science/Social Studies	Local
January 24 - 28, 2022	6 - 8	Link-it Benchmark B – ELA/Math	Local
January 24, 2022 - February 4, 2022	6 - 8	STAR Winter Assessment	Local
February 14, 2022 - April 8, 2022	6-8	ACCESS for English Language Learners	State
April 1, 2022 - May 27, 2022	8th	Dynamic Learning Maps - ELA/Math/Science - 8th	State
April 25, 2022 - June 3, 2022	6 - 8	NJSLA ELA/Math - 6th, 7th & 8th NJSLA Science - 8th	State
May 31, 2022 - June 6, 2022	6 - 8	STAR Spring Assessment	Local
June 6 - 10, 2022	8	Link-it Benchmark C - ELA/Math Final Exams Science/Social Studies	Local
June 13-16, 2022	6 & 7	Link-it Benchmark C - ELA/Math Final Exams – Science/Social Studies	Local

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High School Level Assessments

DATES	GRADES	ASSESSMENT	TYPE OF ASSESSMENT
September 13, 2021 - October 22, 2021	9 - 12	Strong Start ELA Start Strong Math - Alg I, Geo., Alg II Start Strong - Science (12th Grade)	State
October 13, 2021	11	PSAT/NMSQT (National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test)	State
November 10 & 11, 2021	9 - 12	Semester 1 Midterm Exams	Local
November 29, 2021 - January 14, 2022	9	NJSLA - ELA and Math Fall Block	State
January 3, 2022 - May 6, 2022	12	Portfolio Appeals	State
January 26 & 27, 2022	9 - 12	Semester 1 Final Exams	Local
February 14, 2022 - April 8, 2022	9 - 12	ACCESS for English Language Learners	State
March 14 - 18, 2022 Make-up March 21-25, 2022	11	NJ Graduation Assessment	State
April 1, 2022 - May 27, 2022	11th	Dynamic Learning Maps - ELA/Math/Science - 11th	State
April 4 & 5, 2022	9 - 12	Semester 2 Midterm Exams	Local
April 25, 2022 - June 3, 2022	9 - 12	NJSLA Science - 11th	State
May 2, 2022 - June 10, 2022	9	NJSLA ELA/Math - Spring Block	State
May 2 - 13, 2022	Course Specific	AP Exams	College Board
June 15 & 16, 2022	12	Semester 2 Final Exams (Makeup Exams 6/20)	Local
June 20 & 21, 2022	9 - 11	Semester 2 Final Exams (Makeup Exams 6/22)	Local
July 25, 2022 - August 5, 2022 Summer Administration	9	NJSLA - ELA/Math	State