



NYSED Office of State Assessment Update

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Getting Ready for Spring 2024 Elementary- and Intermediate-Level ELA, math, and science tests

- General Information:
 - Administration Procedures
 - Regional Centers
 - Additional Guidance on Testing Schedule
 - Procedures for Requesting, Shipping, and Storing Materials
 - Large Print ELA Session 1 Answer Booklets
- Test Manuals:
 - Educator Guide
 - School Administrator's Manual
 - Teacher Directions
- Parent Resources can be found [here](#).

More information is available on CBT Support:

Quick video tutorials:

- [Learn how to Download and Test the Questar Secure Browser](#)
- [Learn about Nextera Admin features and functionality](#)
- [Learn how to add New Users in Nextera Admin](#)
- [Learn how to edit and add Classes in Nextera Admin](#)
- [Learn how to edit and add Students in Nextera Admin](#)
- [Learn how to use the CBT Equation Editor Drawing Tool](#)
- [Learn how to use the Highlighter tool on an iPad](#)

Quick Links

Quick Reference Guides (QRG):

- [Updating Teacher Accounts QRG](#)
- [Equation Editor Drawing Tool QRG](#)
- [Text to Speech QRG](#)
- [Not Tested Codes QRG](#)
- [Accessing Student Constructed Responses QRG](#)
- [Concurrent Login QRG](#)

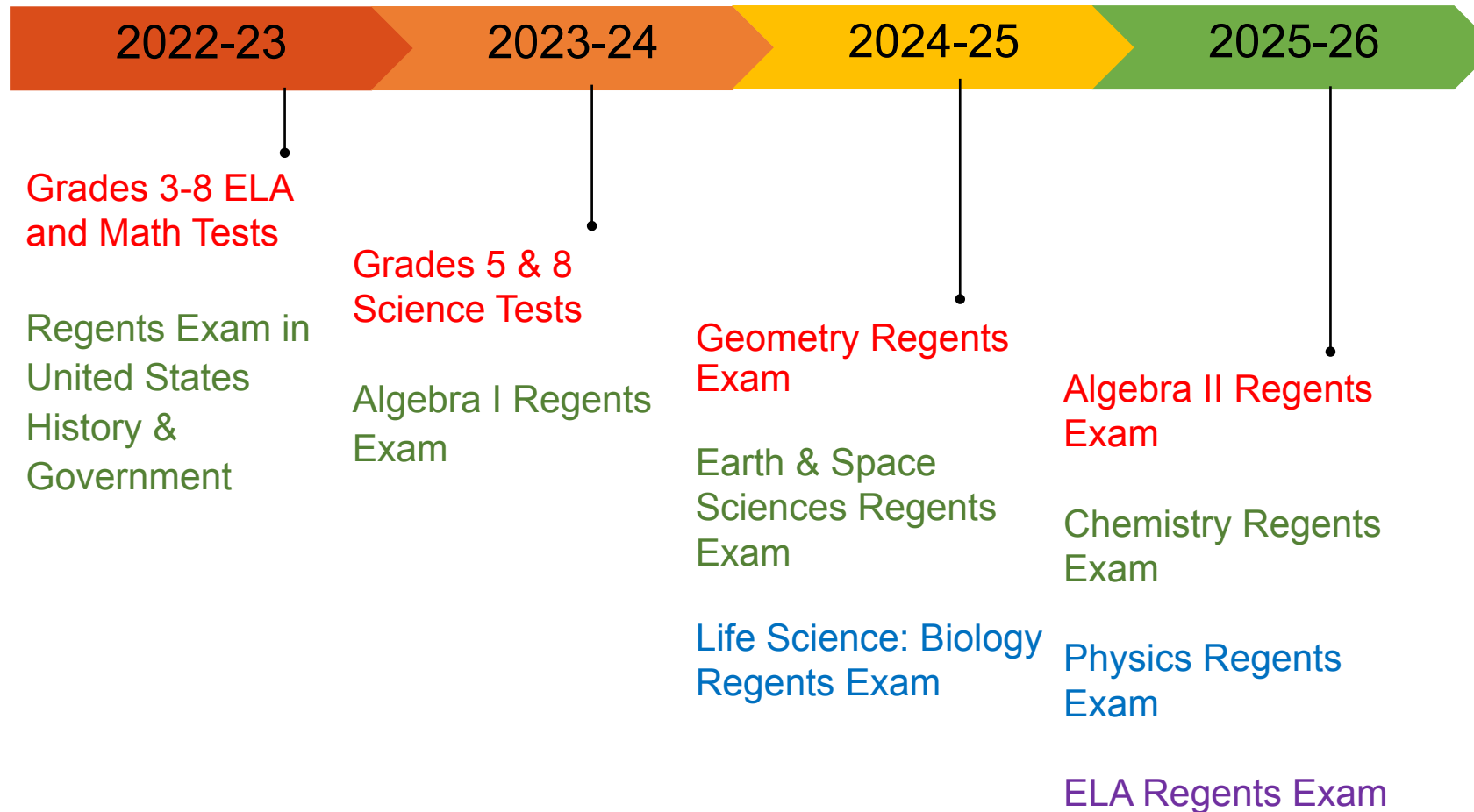
- [Setup and Installation Guide \(SIG\)](#)
- [ScorePoint Manual](#)

Who to contact if there are problems on testing day?

- OSA 518-474-8220 or 518-474-5902
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- NWEA customer service 866-997-0695
- NYTesting@nwea.org



Implementation of Assessments Measuring New/Revised Learning Standards



Implementation Schedule for New Regents Examinations in Science

- Details regarding the implementation schedule
- Period of overlap of the old and new exams

First and Last Administration of New Regents Examinations

Exam Title	First Administration of New Exam	Last Administration of Current Exam
Algebra I	June 2024	January 2024
Geometry	June 2025	January 2025
Earth & Space Sciences*	June 2025	June 2026
Life Science: Biology*	June 2025	June 2026
Algebra II	June 2026	January 2026
Chemistry*	June 2026	June 2027
Physics*	June 2026	June 2027
English Language Arts	June 2026	January 2026

* For science, the new learning standards are not as strongly aligned to the prior standards. As a result, there will be an overlap period of the old and new exams for four administrations. This will ensure that students can complete the exam that matches the instruction they received.

Regents Investigations



Performance-based tasks that are a component of the State's strategy for assessing science.



Emphasize PEs that will not be measured at the level of proficiency on the written assessment and ensure these PEs are incorporated into instruction.



The level of understanding of the aligned PEs (SEPs, DCIs, and CCCs) required for the Investigations does not make them well suited to functioning as initial instructional tools.



There will be 3 Required Investigations per Regents Level Science Course. Materials [memo](#) can be found on OSA website.



Designed and reviewed by NYS certified teachers.



Curriculum embedded and can be offered any time prior to the written test.



Time will count towards the 1,200-lab minute requirement.



Questions ?

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