



**David Paterson Elementary  
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*David Paterson IB World School  
is committed to  
building partnerships with  
students, staff, parents,  
and the community to develop  
life-long learners  
through rigorous inquiry and  
empowerment, our learners  
will be equipped to become  
college and career ready  
and exemplify attributes and  
skills of a 21<sup>st</sup> century  
global citizen.*



**Every Child!  
Every Chance!  
Every Day!**

July 25, 2025

Dear Parent/Guardian,

We hope this letter finds you well and enjoying the summer.

As we continue to strive for academic excellence and support the growth of every student, we would like to stress the importance of the I-Ready Diagnostic testing for English Language Arts (ELA) and Mathematics. I-Ready Diagnostic is an adaptive assessment tool that helps us understand your child's individual learning needs. This tool adjusts the difficulty of questions based on your child's responses, providing a personalized assessment experience. The results offer detailed insights into your child's strengths and areas for improvement. We believe that the I-Ready Diagnostic is a valuable tool in our commitment to providing high-quality education. To break up the required testing throughout the year, the mandated I-Ready Diagnostic testing will take place at David Paterson School from August 20, 2025 through August 25, 2025, as follows:

- 2025-2026 1st graders: August 20th from 9:00-3:00 p.m.
- 2025-2026 2nd graders: August 21st from 9:00-3:00 p.m.
- 2025-2026 3rd graders: August 22nd from 9:00-3:00 p.m.
- 2025-2026 4th graders: August 25th from 9:00-3:00 p.m.
- 2025-2026 5th and 6th graders: August 26th from 9:00-3:00 p.m.

A *Grab and Go* Breakfast and Lunch will be available for students.

Parents are required to pick up their child immediately after the exam. The duration of the assessment is from 50-90 minutes. Kindly complete the information below and return to the school via email, scan, or fax to [rsaravia@hempsteadschools.org](mailto:rsaravia@hempsteadschools.org) as soon as possible. You can also bring the form to the school Monday – Thursday 8:00am – 4:00pm.

Respectfully,

Mrs. Linda St John

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Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ 2025-2026 Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ My  
child will attend the mandated i-Ready Diagnostic testing on \_\_\_\_\_  
(Date) at \_\_\_\_\_ (Time). Parent Name \_\_\_\_\_ Parent Phone  
Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent will be called to pick up the child as soon as  
testing is complete (between 50-90 minutes).