



# LITTLE EGG HARBOR SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

The Little Egg Harbor School District conducts various assessments throughout the school year to monitor and measure student progress. These assessments include both formative and summative tests administered in the classroom, as well as standardized tests that are used to evaluate student knowledge on a broader scale.

- Formative assessments are used by teachers to monitor student learning and adjust instruction.
- Summative assessments measure what students have learned at the end of a unit or semester.
- Standardized tests are designed to be administered and scored in a consistent manner, ensuring all students are assessed under the same conditions.

Additionally, we use benchmark assessments, which are given to students at various points throughout the school year to track progress over time. Most of these assessments are computer-based, and the district is committed to providing accommodations and modifications for students who require additional support as outlined in their IEPs or 504 plans.

Below, you'll find the assessment schedule for the 2025-2026 school year. If you have any questions or concerns about the district's assessment process or timeline, please don't hesitate to reach out.

We look forward to a successful and productive school year!

Respectfully,

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Assessment	Grade Level	Content Area/ Student Participation	Testing Administration Window	Time
<b>Fall Field Test</b> <b>NJSLA - Adaptive- ELA</b> <b>NJSLA - Adaptive - Math</b> (State)  For more information: <a href="#">NJSLA- Adaptive Assessment Information</a>	Grades 4-6	ELA and Math- All Students	<b>District Testing Window:</b> 11/12/25-11/14/25	4 hours
<b>NJSLA - Adaptive- ELA</b> <b>NJSLA - Adaptive - Math</b> (State)  For more information: <a href="#">NJSLA- Adaptive Assessment Information</a>	Grades 3-6	ELA and Math- All Students	<b>District Testing Window:</b> 4/27/26--5/27/26  <b>Makeup Testing Window:</b> 5/26/26-5/29/26	4 hours
<b>NJSLA - Science</b> (State)  For more information: <a href="#">NJSLA Assessment Information</a>	Grade 5 Only	Science	<b>District Testing Window:</b> 4/27/26--5/27/26  <b>Makeup Testing Window:</b> 5/26/26-5/29/26	2 hours
<b>Dibels mClass</b> (District)  For more information: <a href="#">Dibels mClass Information</a>	Grades K-2	ELA- All Students	<b>Fall:</b> 9/15/25-10/14/25 <b>Winter:</b> 1/6/25-1/30/26 <b>Spring:</b> 5/11/26-5/29/26	5-25 minutes
<b>LinkIt!</b> (District)  For more information: <a href="#">LinkIt! Parent Information</a>	Grades 3-6	ELA- All Students	<b>Fall:</b> 9/8/25-9/19/25 <b>Winter:</b> 1/6/26-1/30/26 <b>Spring:</b> 5/18/26-5/29/26	75 minutes
<b>iReady</b> (District)  For more information: <a href="#">iReady Parent Information</a>	Grades K-6	Math- All Students	<b>Fall:</b> 9/8/25-9/19/25 <b>Winter:</b> 1/6/26-1/30/26 <b>Spring:</b> 5/18/26-5/29/26	75 minutes
<b>Kindergarten Entry Assessment</b> (State)  For more information: <a href="#">Kindergarten Entry Assessment Guidance</a>	Grade K	Social-emotional, cognitive development, physical, and literacy development, mathematical and scientific reasoning- All Students	<b>Fall</b> 9/15/25-10/31/25	up to 45 minutes
<b>ACCESS 2.0 for ELLs/Alternate ACCESS for ELLs</b> (Federal/State) For more information: <a href="#">WIDA ACCESS</a>	Grades K-6	Identified Multilingual Language Learners	<b>District Testing Window:</b> 2/2/26-3/27/26	1.5-3.5 hours

<p><b>Dynamic Learning Maps (DLM)</b> (Federal/State)</p> <p>For more information: <a href="#">NJDOE Dynamic Learning Maps</a></p>	<p>Grades 3-6</p>	<p>ELA, Math, and Science</p> <p>Classified students noted in IEP</p>	<p><b>District Testing Window:</b> 4/6/26-5/22/26</p>	<p>Time Varies per student</p>
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