

Margate City School District Assessment Schedule 2025-2026 School Year

Type	Subject	Assessment	Grade s	Testing Mode	Time Allotted	Time Frame	Info for Parents and Sample questions	Info on accommodations
Content Area Benchmark Assessment	ELA and Math	LinkIt Benchmarking	2-8	Computer-based	1 - 2 periods	Fall, Winter, Spring		
	Science, Social Studies, Computers, Art, Music, Health, Spanish	Teacher Generated	Varies	Varies	1 – single period	Based on individual teachers		Based on individual student needs
District Delivered Standardized Assessment	Reading	DIBELS Early Literacy	K - 4	1:1 individually administered	8-10 minutes	Fall, Winter, Spring	Info for Parents	
	Cognitive Assessment	Inview -DRC/CTB	2 and 5	Paper-based	2 – double periods	March TBD	Info for Parents	
	Algebra Aptitude	IAAT -Iowa Algebra Aptitude Test	5-6	Paper-based	1 – single period	May TBD	Info for Parents	
State Mandated Assessments	ELA or Math	NAEP <i>National Assessment of Educational Progress</i>	8th	Computer	90 minutes	Winter 2026	Info for Parents	
	ELA, Writing, Math (FIELDTESTING)	New Jersey Student Learning Assessment- Adaptive Field Testing ELA/Writing/Math	4-8	Computer based testing	1 Unit Math- 60 minutes 1 Unit ELA-60 minutes 1 Unit Writing-120 minutes	October 27-November 14 2025		
	ELA and Math	New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA) English Language Arts (ELA)/ Mathematics	3 - 8	Computer-based with paper-based options for students with disabilities	2 Units ELA* 3 Units Math* 2 Units Algebra*	April 27-May 22 2026	NJSLA Parent Resources & Released Items	NJSLA Accessibility Manual
	Science	New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA) Science	5 and 8		4 Units (30-45 min per unit)	April 27-May 22 2026		
	ELA, Math, and Science	Dynamic Learning Maps (DLM) for students with disabilities	3 - 8	Computer-based	No time limit	April 27-May 22 2026	DLM Information Sample Items	DLM Accessibility Manual

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	English language proficiency test	ACCESS and Alternate ACCESS for English Language Learners	all	Hybrid computer and paper-based	No time limit	Feb 2-Mar 27 2026	ACCESS Parent Info Sample Questions	ACCESS/WIDA Accessibility Manual
End of Course	Math/Algebra	Big Ideas (Gr 5-8)	5-8	Paper-based	1-2 double periods	June TBD		

**3rd grade ELA units are 75 min each, 4th- 8th gr ELA units are 90 min each, 3rd-8th gr math units are 60 min each, Alg units are 90 min each*