

Montclair Public Schools: 2020 - 2021 Summary of State and District Testing

State Assessments

Assessment & Subject Area	Dates of Administration & Duration	Grades Covered	State Requirement For Graduation	Results Available
<p>New Jersey Student Learning Assessment for English Language Arts (ELA) and Math (NJSLA-E, NJSLA-M)</p> <p>Spring (Regular) Administration https://nj.mypersonsupport.com/</p>	<p>Spring 2021 DATES TBD by NJDOE</p> <p><u>Computer-based:</u> April - May <u>Paper-based:</u> April - May <u>ELA Duration:</u> Grade 3: 2 units @ 75 min per unit* Grade 4 - 11: 2 units @ 90 min per unit* <u>Math Duration:</u> Math 3 - 8: 3 units @ 60 min per unit* Alg1, Geo and Alg2: 2 Units @ 90 min per unit*</p>	<p>ELA: Grades 3 - 11 Math: Grades 3 - 8 and for grades 9 - 11 by enrollment in course Algebra 1 & 2 and Geometry</p> <p>Algebra A students take Math 6 or 7 NJSLA-M</p> <p>Algebra B students take Algebra 1 NJSLA-M</p>	<p>State requires all students in grades 3 - 11 take these assessments</p> <p>Graduation Option #1 ELA 10 and Algebra 1 passing score 750 or higher</p> <p>See details**</p>	<p>No results for Spring 2020</p> <p>Test was cancelled by NJDOE</p>
<p>New Jersey Student Learning Assessment – Science (NJSLA-S)</p> <p>http://measinc-nj-science.com/</p>	<p>Spring 2021 DATES TBD by NJDOE</p> <p><u>Computer-based:</u> April - May <u>Paper-based:</u> April - May <u>Duration:</u> Grade 5: 4 units, 30 min/unit* Grade 8: 4 units, 45 min/unit* Grade 11: 4 units, 60 min/unit*</p>	<p>Grades 5, 8 & 11</p> <p>Comprehensive science exam.</p>	<p>State requires all students in grades 5, 8 and 11 take the assessment</p> <p>(Not a graduation option)</p>	<p>No results for Spring 2020</p> <p>Test was cancelled by NJDOE</p>
<p>ACCESS 2.0 for English Language Learners (ELL)</p> <p>https://www.nj.gov/education/bilingual/ells/20/</p>	<p>Spring 2021 DATES TBD by NJDOE</p> <p><u>Administration:</u> February - April, 2020 <u>Duration:</u> 4 units, 30-65 / unit *</p>	<p>All identified English Language Learners, K-12</p>	<p>One of the measures used to exit student from ESL program</p>	<p>No results for Spring 2020</p> <p>Test was cancelled by NJDOE</p>

Dynamic Learning Maps (DLM) ELA & Math https://www.state.nj.us/education/assessment/apa/dlm/	Spring 2021 DATES TBD by NJDOE <u>Administration:</u> April - May	Students with significant intellectual disabilities in Grades 3 - 8 and 11	NA	No results for Spring 2020 Test was cancelled by NJDOE
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District Assessments

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The Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (PSAT) www.collegeboard.com	<u>Administration:</u> October 17 & 29, 2020 <u>Duration:</u> 3 hours*	Administered to all 11 th graders	Option for graduation. See details Passing score of 22 or higher	December 2020
District Algebra Placement Test	Spring 2021 DATES TBD <u>Administration:</u> May - June 2021 1 hour test* Grade 5 consists of problems based on 5 th and 6 th grade Algebra Focus Standards. Grade 6 consists of problems based on 6 th and 7 th grade Algebra Focus Standards	Administered to: all 5 th graders and 6 th grade students enrolled in Math 6 in BAMS and GMS	NA	Parents & students receive schedule in Summer 2021
District Midterms and Final Exams	Spring 2021 DATES TBD <u>Administration:</u> Midterms: January 2021 Finals: June 2021 2 hour exams*	K-5: End of year test MS: Math only HS: Math and other subjects (see course syllabi)	NA	2 weeks after administration

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<p>Renaissance Learning (RL) STAR Math assessment STAR Reading assessment Grades 2-8</p> <p>*New STAR Early Literacy assessment Grade K – 1 only</p>	<p><u>STAR Math and STAR Reading</u> Grades 2 - 8: Benchmark Testing three times per year Time: 20 minute test</p> <p><u>STAR Early Literacy</u> STAR Early Literacy provides data on both literacy and numeracy. Grades K – 1: Benchmark Testing three times per year Time: 15 minute test</p>	<p>Grades K- 8 test by: 9/15 - 10/15: will be administered remotely during “office hours” or classtime</p> <p>12/15 - 1/15 5/15 - 6/15</p>	<p>NA</p>	<p>Immediate</p> <p>(Data used for instructional planning; however, students should be provided with the necessary scaffolds in order to access grade-level literacy content as much as possible.)</p>
<p>Developmental Reading Assessment, 2nd edition (DRA-2)</p>	<p>NOT ADMINISTERED REMOTELY</p> <p><u>Administration:</u> Fall: Cancelled TBD for Winter and Spring Winter: January - March, Spring: April - June,</p> <p><u>Duration:</u> 3 hours*</p>	<p>K - 3 students: Fall, Winter and Spring</p> <p>4 - 5 students: Twice a year if needed, Fall and Spring, (i.e. students receiving RTI or students suspected of having reading difficulties)</p>	<p>NA</p>	<p>2 weeks after administration</p>
<p>District Placement Tests for Students Accelerated in Learning (SAIL) Screening</p>	<p><u>Administration:</u> Dates TBD</p> <p><u>Duration:</u> Approximately 1 hour per test*</p>	<p>English Language Arts: Grades 6 - 8</p> <p>Mathematics: Grades 3 - 5</p>	<p>NA</p>	<p>Parents/Guardians and students notified of Gifted & Talented identification.</p>
<p>Elementary Go Math Tests Beginning of Year (BOY) Middle of Year (MOY) End of Year (EOY)</p>	<p><u>Administration:</u> September EOY of prior year for Grade 1-5 June EOY for K-5</p> <p><u>Duration:</u> Approximately 1 hour per test* Administer during classtime or “office hours”</p>	<p>Mathematics: Grades K - 5</p>	<p>NA</p>	<p>2 weeks after administration</p>

Other Assessments

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Accuplacer College placement exam Offered through Essex County College	Spring 2021 DATES TBD <u>Administration:</u> TBD <u>Duration:</u> 8:15 am - 11:30 am	Student interest; seniors attending Community College; seniors in need of meeting state graduation requirements	Option for graduation. See details **	2 weeks after administration
Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB)	Spring 2021 DATES TBD <u>Administration:</u> (TBD) <u>Duration:</u> 8:15 am - 11:30 am	Student interest; seniors in need of meeting state graduation requirements	Option for graduation. See details **	2 weeks after administration
Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) College entrance exam	Future DATES TBD <u>Administration:</u> Seniors Only September 23 & October 14, 2020 For details and to register go to: www.collegeboard.com	Student interest; seniors in need of meeting state graduation requirements	Option for graduation. See details **	December 2020
American College Test (ACT) College entrance exam	Future DATES TBD For details and to register go to: www.act.org	Student interest; seniors in need of meeting state graduation requirements	Option for graduation. See details **	
Avant STAMP Testing NJ Seal of Bi-Literacy for Grade 12 World Language Assessment for Grade 8 https://avantassessment.com/stamp4s	Spring 2021 DATES TBD <u>Administration all offered languages except Latin:</u> Grade 8: April 2021 - June 2021 Grade 12: November 2020 - February 2021	All grade 8 world language students (except Latin) Grade 12 students interested in attaining the NJ Seal of Bi-Literacy	NA	Grade 8 – June 2021 Grade 12 – March 2021

*If students are permitted extra time or any other accommodation by their IEP or 504, parents/guardians may contact their child's case manager, counselor or principal for additional details on accommodations and accessibility.

**For details on NJ State Graduation Testing Requirements as of March 2020: <http://www.state.nj.us/education/assessment/parents/GradReq.pdf>

For questions regarding state testing, please contact Montclair Public Schools' District Test Coordinator- Jennifer Goforth, jgoforth@montclair.k12.nj.us, 973-509-4038.
For questions regarding district and other tests, please contact your child's counselor or principal.