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Dear Parents/Guardians,

We would like to take this opportunity to inform you that the NJSLA Spring 2023 testing will be held during the month of May. These computer-based assessments are aligned to the New Jersey State standards. More information regarding the state assessments can be found on the next page. Also, in addition to the detailed NJSLA testing schedule below, the schedule can also be found on the Office of Assessment and Accountability website.

- **Charles Street School Testing Dates**
 - **Math (3rd - 5th Grade) - May 8th – May 10th**
 - One 60 Minute Unit Per Day
 - **ELA (3rd - 5th Grade) - May 11th and 12th**
 - May 11th - One 75-minute unit (Gr. 3) / One 90-minute unit (Gr. 4-5)
 - May 12th - One 75-minute unit (Gr. 3) / One 90-minute unit (Gr. 4-5)
 - **Science (5th Grade Only) – May 16th- May 19th**
 - One 45 Minute Unit Per Day
- **Palmyra Middle School / Palmyra High School**
 - **Science (Grade 8 and 11 ONLY) – May 9th-May 12th (No testing the 8th)**
 - **NO DELAYED OPENING**
 - Grade 8 Two 45-minute units each day (5/9 and 5/12)
 - Grade 11 Two 1 hr units each day (5/10 and 5/11)
 - **Math (Grades 6-8 and HS Math) – May 15th -May 16th- Math 17th**
 - May 15th - One 60-minute unit (Grades 6-8) / One 90 Minute unit (HS Math- Algebra I, Algebra II, Geometry) **DELAY FOR STUDENTS NOT TESTING ONLY (ALL Grade 12 regardless of math class and Students not in Algebra I, Algebra II, or Geometry)**
 - May 16th - One 60-minute unit (Grades 6-8) / One 90 Minute unit (HS Math- Algebra I, Algebra II, Geometry) **DELAY FOR STUDENTS NOT TESTING ONLY (ALL Grade 12 regardless of math class and Students not in Algebra I, Algebra II, or Geometry)**
 - May 17th - One 60-minute unit (Grades 6-8) / Any student in HS that is notified they need to make up testing in Math and/or Science. **(Delayed opening for all high school students that do not need to make up testing in Math or SCI)**
 - **Make-up Testing Dates** – Ongoing throughout month of May (case by case basis)
 - **ELA (6th-9th Grade) – May 18th and May 19th**
 - **DELAY FOR STUDENTS NOT TESTING ONLY (Grades 10-12)**
 - 5/18 and 5/19
 - One 90-minute unit per day

Please continue to assist us in providing each and every one of our students with the greatest opportunity to be successful and demonstrate their true abilities. Please be aware that any student who arrives late to school while the test is being administered will have to make up that test. Students who arrive late will have to wait in a holding area until testing is over. We encourage all students to get a good night sleep and come to school prepared. This means having a fully charged district issued Chromebook and Aux compatible headphones. If you have any questions or concerns regarding the state assessment, feel free to contact me by phone or email. On behalf of Palmyra School District, thank you for your continued support.

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For more information regarding NJSLA Spring testing, please explore the following hyperlinked resources from the New Jersey Department of Education website. Materials are subject to change and may be updated periodically by the NJDOE.

- General Parent Resources
 - <https://nj.mypearsonsupport.com/ForParent/>
- Testing Tutorials
 - <https://nj.mypearsonsupport.com/tutorial/>
- Practice Tests
 - <https://nj.mypearsonsupport.com/practice-tests/>
- Parent Portal
 - Log in - <https://nj-results.pearsonaccessnext.com/login>
 - [User guide](#)
- Digital Item Library (released copies of previously used materials)
 - <https://nj.digitalitemlibrary.com/home>

Additionally, if you have any questions about any of the above. Do not hesitate to reach out to me.

We hope all our students have a successful testing season and rest of the 2022-2023 school year.

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