

CRESSKILL PUBLIC SCHOOLS

HIGH SCHOOL/MIDDLE SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Families,

Cresskill High School will administer the New Jersey Graduation Proficiency Assessment (NJGPA) during the week of March 13-17. The assessment is a graduation requirement for students in the class of 2024. This is a mandatory graduation requirement under New Jersey law and there is no opportunity for students to opt-out.

The assessment will be aligned to New Jersey Student Learning Standards (NJSLS) for grade 10 ELA and NJSLS for Algebra I and Geometry. The assessment format will be familiar to students and educators, as it will be delivered on the same platform students use for the current New Jersey Student Learning Assessments (NJSLA). There will be two 90 minute Mathematics sections and three 90 minute sessions for English/Language Arts. Assessment results will be available prior to the end of the school year in June.

Mathematics testing will take place at Cresskill High School on Monday March 13 beginning at 7:40 AM. English Sections I and II will be administered on Tuesday March 14 at 7:40 AM and section III will take place at 12:37 PM on Wednesday March 15.

In addition to this testing, 11th grade students will be scheduled to take the NJSLA-Science assessment in early May. Further guidance will be communicated for that test in April.

Please bring non-wireless headphones compatible for Chromebooks for testing. Headphones are needed for ELA testing and for students with this designated accommodation.

NJGPA testing resources can be found at <https://nj.mypearsonsupport.com/ForParent/>. The State Assessment Parent Portal is available at <https://nj-results.pearsonaccessnext.com/login>. Practice tests may be found at <https://nj.mypearsonsupport.com/practice-tests/>.

Sincerely,

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