

New Jersey Graduation Proficiency Assessment (NJGPA)

- 2015 - New Jersey adopted the Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers (PARCC) to replace HSPA and previous assessments in the elementary and middle school in language arts and mathematics.
- 2019 - Tests reconfigured and renamed NJSLA (New Jersey Student Learning Assessment)
- 2022 - NJGPA first administered in March to Gr. 11 students. NJ State Board of Education designates this a Field Test for the Class of 2023.
 - Scale from 650-850 with “cut” score of 750
 - Assesses proficiency in:
 - Grade 10 Language Arts standards
 - Algebra I and Geometry standards
- 2023 - March administration to Gr. 11. Now used as a First Pathway in New Jersey High School Graduation Assessment Requirement for Class of 2024.
 - Scale from 650-850 with “cut” score of 725 to indicate “Graduation Ready”

NJGPA March 2022 vs. 2023

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ACCESS for ELLs

The ACCESS for ELLs tests the following skills:

- Oral Language (Listening & Speaking)
- Literacy (Reading & Writing)
- Comprehension (Reading & Listening)

Overall Score = 35% Reading + 35% Writing + 15% Listening + 15% Speaking

Years in District	Students Tested	% Students with score below 4.5	% Students with score of 4.5 & above
0-2	145	65%	35%
3-4	9	78%	22%

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