

April 15, 2024

Dear Parent/Guardians:

I hope this letter finds you well. Pineland Learning Center will be administering the federal and state mandated **New Jersey Student Learning Assessments (NJSLA)** to students in grades 3-9 for English language arts, math and science to students in grades 3, 8, and 11. These assessments are based on the grade level appropriate New Jersey Student Learning Standards (NJSLS). Please refer to the chart below for the appropriate dates, grade level, and content area in which your child will be participating.

Grade Levels	Content	Dates	Times
3 <sup>rd</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade	ELA & Math	April 29-May 2, 2024	9:00-11:30
9 <sup>th</sup> Grade	ELA & Math	May 6-9, 2024	9:00-11:30
5 <sup>th</sup> , 8 <sup>th</sup> , and 11 <sup>th</sup>	Science	May 13-14, 2024	9:00-11:30

We encourage all our students to be present during the above scheduled time. *If your child is unexpectedly absent on the day of their scheduled assessment, they will be required to make it up.* 

Please be aware your child will have the opportunity to participate in practice tests, as provided by the New Jersey Department of Education. He or she will be utilizing instructional time in preparation for the upcoming assessments.

For more information on the NJSLA please visit the following links below to the New Jersey Department of Education's Assessment and Resource Center:

https://www.nj.gov/education/assessment/index.shtml

https://nj.mypearsonsupport.com/

If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

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